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Registration Opens Today For Ruth Loop

4/7/61

New Candidates Must Mail Blanks To Park Dept.

Registration for the Babe Ruth Baseball League is open the league board of directors announced today. A blank is printed on the sports page of today's edition of The Eagle. It also will be carried in editions tomorrow morning and Monday afternoon. New candidates must mail their blanks to the Parks and Recreation Department prior to the tryouts. Dates for the tryouts will be announced at a later date.

No registration will be conducted at the fields this year. Tryouts again will be conducted on the Common and at Deming Field.

Boys living inside the North and East Little League boundaries will report to the Common. Those who reside in the South and West Little League territories will go to Deming Field. If a new candidate isn't sure where he should report, he should go to the one closer to his home.

All aspirants will be welcome, regardless of whether they have played in the Little Baseball League. Any boy born prior to Sept. 1, 1948 and on or after Sept. 1, 1945 will be eligible. Attendance will be taken at each practice. In order to qualify for selection, a candidate must attend a minimum of two-thirds of the practices.

VFW To Sponsor Team Again in Ruth League

2/2/61

The Pittsfield post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars voted at its meeting last night to continue sponsorship of a team in the Babe Ruth Baseball League for 1961.

The post also voted to observe Loyalty Day on May 1, and to donate 50-star U.S. flags to the Boys' Club Cavaliers Drum Corps and to St. John's Ukrainian Catholic Church.

William J. Todd was appointed chairman for "Monte Carlo night" Feb. 25 at the post home for the benefit of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Mario J. Cassinelli, junior vice commander, was named chairman for Poppy Day, May 5 and 6. Some 12,000 poppies will be sold.

It was announced post officers will be nominated March 1 and election is on March 15. The club corporation will nominate and elect on April 16.

Seven new members were admitted to the meeting, held in the post home. Mr. Cassinelli reported that the post membership now totals 395, three over the quota set by department headquarters.

BR Leagues To Hold First State Meeting

2/2/61

The first 1961 meeting of the Massachusetts Babe Ruth Baseball Leagues, Inc., will be Sunday afternoon at 2 at the Drury Square fire station in Auburn.

The deadline for filing for continuation of league charters has been set at Saturday, April 1. State dues must be paid by this date. Requests for new charters must be made by Monday, May 1.

Member leagues are reminded to inform the state secretary of their league contracts. This information should also be forwarded to headquarters in Trenton, N.J.

Communities interested in sponsoring the state Babe Ruth tournament should file a formal bid with the state committee.

BRL Auxiliary Schedules Its 1st Meeting

4/7/61

The first organizational meeting of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League Women's Auxiliary will be held tomorrow morning at 10 at the Springside House, 874 North Street.

All mothers of Ruth League players and other interested women are invited to attend.

BR Candidates Asked To Use Age Chart

4/20/61

Sixty-three candidates in American League and 58 in the National League have registered for the 1961 Babe Ruth Baseball League season.

Officials have found that several boys have incorrectly listed their ages according to the following age determination chart:

Born	Date	Age
On or After	9—1—45	15
Before	9—1—46	15
On or After	9—1—46	14
Before	9—1—47	14
On or After	9—1—47	13
Before	9—1—48	13

Registration will continue until tryouts begin. The tryout dates will be announced next week.

Cianfarini Named Scout For Athletics

3/6/61

Nato Cianfarini, former Pittsfield semipro southpaw pitcher and an assistant coach for Pittsfield's Northeastern American Legion baseball champions in 1960, has been named an area scout for the Kansas City Athletics.

The appointment was made by Bill Enos of Cohasset.

Cianfarini has been active as an umpire and coach since his retirement as a player. He was a mound mainstay for the Wine AC more than 20 years ago at the height of City Baseball League popularity on the Common. He also has been closely associated with the Babe Ruth League, both as an umpire and coach.

Cianfarini is 46. He is a General Electric Company employe.

BR Auxiliary Will Meet Tonight at 8

4/24/61

The Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League women's auxiliary will meet tonight at 8 at the Springside House.

The organization, open to mothers of players and wives of coaches and directors of the league, will assist the board of directors, help with tournament ticket collections and projects and serve as a welcoming committee for visiting teams.

The auxiliary organized this year.

Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League—
1961 Registration Coupon

4/7/61

PLEASE PRINT

1. Name _____ Age____
2. Birthdate Month——Day——Year——
3. Address_____ Phone _____
4. Did you play Little League Baseball? Yes ☐ No ☐ Check One
5. What Little League? North ☐ South ☐ East ☐ West ☐ Check One

When you have filled out this coupon, put in an envelope and mail to:

Pittsfield Babe Ruth League Registration
Parks and Recreation Dept.
874 North Street, Pittsfield

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BRL Registrations Said Behind Expected Total

4/15/61

Registration for the Babe Ruth Baseball League has fallen behind the expected totals in all three age brackets, Paul E. Brindle Jr., league secretary and manager, reported last night.

The league will need 60 13-year-olds, he said, and only 66 have enrolled in this bracket.

But registrations have been received in the 14- and 15-year-old classes, Brindle disclosed.

In order to be eligible for BRL play, a boy must have been born between Sept. 1, 1945 and Sept. 1, 1948.

Brindle asked that candidates send in their registration blanks and not keep them until the tryouts. The drills probably will start Saturday morning, April 29, and will continue nightly throughout the following week.

Inter-league play will be tried this year for the first time. A split schedule has been adopted, with each team playing 11 games in each half. This will mean a slate of from 120 to 132 games, by far the largest total for any community in Massachusetts, Brindle said.

Opening games have been scheduled for Saturday, May 20. The Moldmasters, champions of the city and the American League last year, will oppose the Terminal Diner, 1960 National League titlists, in the first game.

In order to qualify for selection, a boy must attend two-thirds of the tryouts, Brindle said.

Russo Voted Fourth Term As BR Head

1/7/61

Louis Russo was elected to his fourth term as president of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball Leagues at a recent organizational meeting at Springside House. The term of office is a year.

James J. Frank was re-elected vice president of the American League and Colin Keegan was chosen vice president of the National League. Vincent Hebert was again selected treasurer and Paul Brindle secretary.

Three new members were elected to the board of directors. They are Anthony Giardina, Charles Simonelli, and Robert Boyer. Re-elected to the board were Joseph Harrison, John Marchesi and Samuel Quadrozzi. All the officers are also on the board.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Jan. 19, at 8 at Springside House.

BRL Tryouts Rescheduled For Wednesday

14-, 15-Year-Olds To Be on Common; Sponsors Named

The 14 and 15-year-olds' Babe Ruth Baseball League tryouts, rained out Saturday morning, will be held Wednesday night at 6 on the Common.

Two new sponsors have been found to replace St. Mary's and the Marine Reserve. They are General Electric in the American League and Ida and John's in the National. The Pittsfield Molding Co., last year's champion, will be the Moldmasters this season. Last year's Pastime Alleys will be the Imperial Lanes this year.

13-Year-Old BRL Tryouts Begin Monday

4/29/61

Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League tryouts will begin Monday evening at 6 for 13-year-olds.

Boys who played in the North and East Little Leagues will be on the Common, and boys from the West and South Little League territories will be at Deming Field. Registrations will end with this tryout.

Boys born between Sept. 1, 1947 and Aug. 31, 1948 are officially 13 year old.

Attendance will be kept at all tryouts and, according to a rule passed this year, boys in the Babe Ruth program will not be allowed to play in any other league except junior and senior highs.

The teams will be selected Friday.

Tryouts for 14- and 15-year-olds will be this morning at 9:30 on the common.

Eight Pass Umpires' Test

5/3/61

Examination Given Monday Night at CYC By Berkshire Assn.

Eight county men passed the Berkshire County Baseball Umpires' Association test Monday night at the Catholic Youth Center. They were Charles Deleo, John Brennan, John Simeno, Joseph Strizzi, Romolo (Slo) Magi, and Charles Mole all of Pittsfield, Stanley Bubriski of Housatonic and Raymond Gunn of Sheffield.

The new umpires will work high school jayvee games and Babe Ruth League contests this year for experience, although they may work high school varsity games in case of emergency.

The association conducted a series of four clinics at the CYC before the examination. To be eligible for the test, the prospective umpire had to attend at least two of the clinics. The eight successful men were the only ones taking the exam.

Ruth Leagues Select 65 New Players

5/10/61

Sixty-five boys were picked for both Pittsfield Babe Ruth baseball leagues at a meeting of coaches and league officers last night at the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department office at Springside House. Sixty of the boys were 13-year-olds, one was 14 and four 15.

The new selectees will be required to turn in birth certificates to their coaches.

NATIONAL LEAGUE TEAMS

TERMINAL DINER—Jerry Fresia, William Winslow, Peter Salvatore, John Bernardo, Albert Masino, John Crook.

GEAA—Thomas Grieve, William Woodson, Norman Cheever, Robert Choiner, George Jobson, Richard Blasioli, David Sou[illegible]rd.

UNION FEDERAL—Constant Carifer, Fred Sangiovanni, Michael Doolan, James [illegible]gie, Robert Sykes, Tim Carlo.

IMPERIAL LANES—David Kearns, Allan Lemone, Francis Selva, James Albano, William Dassat, Peter Barry.

IDA AND JOHN'S—Pat Bonacitacola, Richard Klemansky, Edward Bates, John Schermerhorn, Kenneth Williams.

IUE 255—Kevin Brennan, Peter Riccarini, Charles Farrell, Joseph Williams 3rd, David Storie.

AMERICAN LEAGUE TEAMS

MOLDMASTERS—Eugene Curletti, Patrick Bassi, William Kellogg, Clifford Nilan, Martin Miller.

GENERAL ELECTRIC—David Allen, Robert Doyle, Ronald Goyette, Paul Pierce, Gary Papallo.

BESSE-CLARKE—Peter Russo, Dom Lucaroni, James Pero, Jeff Nicholson, Ken Marshall.

VFW 448—Ed Evans, Mitchell Massaconi, Edward Archey, Joseph Kellar, William Hoeske.

OUTIMIST CLUB—Steve Kri[illegible], Jon Woitkowski, William Carey, Bruce Eulian, Mike Kane.

ADAMS SUPER MARKET—Dennis Strizzi, Mike Chesney, John Russo, Wayne Farnsworth, Courtney Olds.

BRL Tryouts To Continue

5/5/61

Brindle Announces Practice Slates By Age Classes

Because of the delay caused by inclment weather, tryouts for the Babe Ruth Baseball League will continue, Paul E. Brindle, league manager, announced today. He listed new dates for the practices.

Brindle said new players will not be picked until Tuesday or Wednesday. One hundred ninety-four boys are competing for 67 openings.

The schedule for workouts: tonight at 6, 13-year-olds at both the Common and Deming Field; tomorrow morning at 10, American League 14- and 15-year-olds at the Common; National League 14- and 15-yar-olds at Deming; Monday night at 6, 13-year-olds at the Common and Deming.

Periscope Puts Joey Costanzo's ERA at 1.38

Joey Costanzo, former Pittsfield High and American Legion pitching ace, has an earned run average of 1.38 in five games to date for the Stockton, Calif., team of the Class C California State League, according to Player Periscope, a minor league record service.

Costanzo has won one and lost none. All of his duty has been in relief. He has allowed 12 hits in 13 innings, has struck out seven, and has given only one base on balls.

Joey Shows 'Em

FAIR OR FOUL

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By Roger O'Gara

A GLOWING REPORT on the professional progress of little Joey Costanzo of Pittsfield was the big news Saturday night in Worcester as far as Nick Morris was concerned. The Pittsfield High coach was attending the annual sports awards night at his alma mater, Holy Cross College. He was cited for a second time as a H.C. graduate who had been outstanding in coaching.

Also present for the event was Joe Cusick, who caught for the strong Cross teams on which Nick played first base in the middle 1930s. Joe now is top Eastern scout for the Baltimore Orioles.

Cusick came to Pittsfield to sign Costanzo last December. He and Al Molnar of Southwick, an area representative for the Baltimore club, were at the Costanzo home at 107 Deming Street when 18-year old Joey finally received the opportunity so many of us had been trying to get for him.

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CUSICK TOLD Morris he just had returned from the Orioles' minor league training base at Thomasville, Ga.

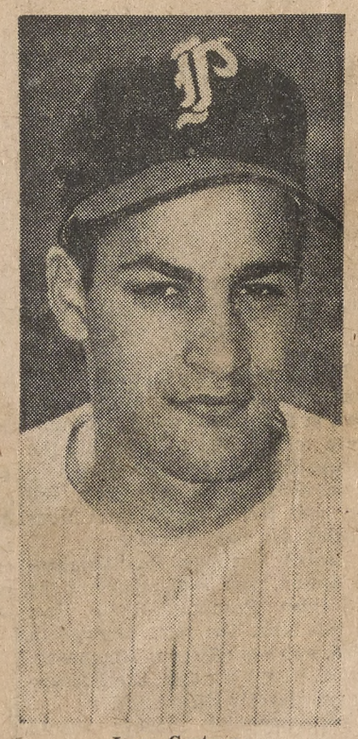
"Joe was very high on Joey," Nick told me. "He gave me some details of his first experience in a real game at the camp late last week."

Joey was pitching for Stockton, Calif., a Class C team, against the Orioles' Double A team, Victoria of the Texas League.

"He walked the first three men, and Cusick was about ready to leave the park," Nick said. "Then he struck out the next three."

Does that sound familiar?

It should. It's almost an exact reproduction of what he did against New Orleans in the American Legion tournament at Hastings, Neb., late last August. Pittsfield was leading 4-1 going into the ninth. Joey had pitched a neat four-hitter. Then he suddenly lost control. He walked three men in succession, and everyone started to sweat. Then he fanned two, and got the last man on a roller to second baseman Red Soldato.



Joey Costanzo

LET'S RETURN to Thomasville for a few lines. Joey's team won 6-1. He went seven innings, and allowed only five hits.

"Joe was especially pleased that he looked so good," Nick said "It meant a lot for him to beat a team of higher classification. Then, too, Joe liked it because Joey proved he could work out of a tough spot without becoming flustered. And another big thing was that Joey became the first pitcher on his club to go as far as seven innings."

Nick said that Cusick reported Costanzo now has a slider.

He didn't have one in high school or Legion ball, although he was the owner of one of the most gorgeous curves we have ever seen.

Rae Scarborough helped Joey to develop the slider. The former star right-hander for the Washington Senators and the Boston Red Sox is in charge of minor league pitchers at the Orioles' camp.

"Cusick said that Scarborough is very high on Joey," Nick said.

This should insure Joey the big chance. The one worry I had when he went South didn't concern his ability. There never has been any question about that.

My worry was that because of his size, he might be lost in the crowd. The Orioles didn't have a big bundle tied up in him, and we feared that some sour minor league manager might mark him for extinction without taking a good look.

However, that worry has passed. With a man of Scarborough's prominence interested in him, Joey should thrive.

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JOEY PROBABLY will be assigned to Stockton, which is in the California State League, Cusick informed Morris.

That's better than Joey dared to hope for a week ago in a telephone conversation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Costanzo.

At that time, he said that if he were lucky enough to survive the final camp cut, he would be sent to Leesburg, Fla., of the Class I Florida State League.

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YOU NEVER KNOW in professional baseball.

Baltimore manager Paul Richards, in a recent Saturday Evening Post feature article, spoke proudly of his fine young pitching staff. One of the men he mentioned was Jerry Walker.

He commented that no one would be reading Walker's pitches this year, because Harry Brecheen, the pitching coach, had shown the young man how to hide the deliveries.

You had the idea Walker would be with the Orioles a long time. Several days before the magazine was put on the news stands, Walker was traded to the Kansas City Athletics.

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BILL RODDA, tragically killed in an automobile accident at the age of 19, was much interested in sports. He was the Pittsfield High sports reporter for WBRK's high school Saturday morning radio show during his junior and senior years. He frequently visited our department in search of PHS statistics.

Bill was a friendly, well-mannered, intelligent boy.

He was a life-guard last summer at Lenox Beach on Laurel Lake.

John Rodda, a younger brother, is a member of the Pittsfield High track team. Bill's father, Clinton, was an excellent competitive amateur skater in the late 1920s. His mother is the former Helen Chiodo, sister of the late Saverio (Sub) Chiodo, a member of Pittsfield High's 1930 Western Massachusetts championship football team.

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GUS REGNIER, former Lenox High and semipro baseball star and for many years one of the outstanding golfers at the Berkshire Hills Country Club, is convalescing at St. Luke's Hospital from surgery for segment re-section of the lower lung. It's the same type of operation that Bob Brennan Sr. and Red Schoendienst underwent.

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FRANCIS CHICHETTO, who is attempting to organize an adult Berkshire County amateur baseball league, reports that Lee may be interested. Jim Collins of that town advised Francis that he is seeking to obtain a sponsor. Francis thinks he now has six possible starters. He'll call a meeting in the near future.

5/19/61

"NOW, JIM, KEEP THAT STANCE and you'll get your share of base knocks" seems to be what Bing Muller of DT specialty processing, is advising Jim Pero, son of Arthur Pero Jr. of DT fuse link assembly. The young ballplayer is attending a tryout of 13 year-olds being conducted by coaches of the Babe Ruth League, many of whom are GE employees. Looking on and elsewhere (the weather was more appropriate for football) are other youthful hopefuls and in the back row from left to right are coaches Ray Meandro, Ordnance; Roy Vosburgh, DT; Lou Orazzio, DT; Ben Noguevia, DT tool room; Lou Gasson, PT, and Don Powers, DT specialty processing.

Blacktop Basketball Court To Be Built on the Common

Construction of a blacktop outdoor basketball court on the Common probably will start shortly, Park Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert disclosed today.

Hebert expects to award a contract for the work within the next 24 hours to Ralph Hutchinson, the only bidder. His price was $2,249.

Hebert said the court will be 85 feet by 50 feet. It will be built east of the playground shelter.

Sought Three Courts

The superintendent originally had requested that three hard-top courts be built at public parks. He planned such surfaces at Springside and Clapp parks as well as on the Common. However, the Capital Outlay Committee appropriated only $2,500 for the project, so Hebert decided to build only one court.

Hebert said he expects that the court will be constructed in time for league play in the latter part of the summer.

"We have already started to form senior and junior leagues," he said.

Asked whether games would be played after dark or at twilight, he said, "If we can get enough money for lighting, we'll have some after-dark games. If we can't, we'll just have twilight games.

Bleachers will be provided for spectators, Hebert said.

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JUNIOR OLYMPIC CHAMPS of Park Department event are from left, standing, Linda Procopio, Judy Bramley, Colleen Termohlen and Paul Procopio. Kneeling, from left, are Mike Sangiovanni, Gladys Archey, leader at Springside Playground, and John Kennedy.

Springside Captures Junior Olympics

Springside Playground took top honors last night at the Department of Parks and Recreation Junior Olympics which were held at Clapp Park. Springside beat Clapp, annual favorites, by 20 points. Springside amassed 427 to Clapp's 407.

Last year Clapp was victorious with a total of 414. This is the second year of pentathlon scoring where one youngster competes in five events; there were six divisions, thus six representatives from each area.

Kennedy Leads Midgets

Winners in midget boys, the 12 years old and under division were: First, John Kennedy of Crane Playground with 94 points. John took first place in all but one of the events in his division. Delbert Hoose of Pitt Playground was second in the division with 80 points and Michael Cook of Springside was third with 68 points.

In the junior boys division for 12-14 year olds, Mike Sangiovanni of Deming was first with 85 points, having won two events and placing second, third and fourth in the other events. Second and third places were separated by one point with Bob Calderwood of Allen Heights having 77 points and Dave Bordeau of Highland with 76 points.

The intermediate division witnessed spirited competition between two St. Joseph's High athletes. The winner was Paul Procopio, varsity basketball and baseball player, with 89 points, having taken two firsts, a second, third and fourth in his five events. Paul is from Clapp Park. Pete Rilla, grid and baseball player at St. Joe, was in second place with a total of 79 points. Pete won one, took second in two, a fourth and failed to qualify in one event. Pete is from Springfield. Third place was taken by Dave Messer of K[illegible] Common with 74 points.

The midget girls' division was won by Linda Procopio of Clapp Park with 86 points. Linda won two, took second in two and failed to qualify in the fifth event. Cookie Valencourt of Wilson was second with 82 points and Ann Majchrowski from Coolidge third with 74 points.

The junior girls' division was won by Colleen Termohlen of Osceola with an 80 point total. Colleen won three and failed to qualify in two. There was a tie for second place between Nancy Miller of Abby Lodge and Dianne Curley of Allen Heights with 78 points each.

The intermediate girls' division was won by Judy Bramley of Springside with 88 points. Judy won two and had two seconds and a fourth. Second was Joan Miller of Abby Lodge with 8 points and third was Kathy Coradeschi of Lakewood with 78 points.

In the over-all playground standings, following Springside and Clapp, a tie existed for third place between Allen Heights and Crane with 382 points each.

The Babe Ruth League

FAIR OR FOUL

By Roger O'Gara

WHAT DOES the Babe Ruth Baseball League in Pittsfield mean to you? If you're like most casual people, you probably can't give the right answer as to its age class.

If you don't know that, it's practically a foregone conclusion you don't begin to appreciate what the league has done and how it has kept going through a number of lean seasons insofar as receipts are concerned.

This spring marks the beginning of the league's 10th year in the city. It followed Little League by two years. In its infancy, this league for boys from 13 to 15 years was known as the Little Bigger League. Then the name was changed nationally.

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PITTSFIELD'S program ranks with the best in the state. This city's representatives have won three Massachusetts crowns in all-star play. That's the high figure in the state.

According to Paul Brindle, a moving spirit in the league since its birth, Pittsfield's total of games this coming season will be from 120 to 132. Brindle, now a league manager and secretary, calls this figure, "By far more than any other city or town in Massachusetts will play."

League graduates have gone on to become high school and American Legion stars. A few have made the grade in college. Most notable in the latter category are Eddie Connolly Jr., and Corky Schmoyer, both of the University of Massachusetts. Each was a Babe Ruth League all-star.

Every one of the 13 members of Pittsfield's 1960 Northeastern Legion champions played Babe Ruth ball. Most were BRL all-stars.

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BRINDLE SUMS it up well when he says, "Of course the big sponsor of the Babe Ruth League is the Department of Parks and Recreation."

What does the department do? Because it feels that Babe Ruth baseball definitely is an [illegible] ant recreational activ[illegible] for the baseb[illegible] pires.

Brindle estimates that between 15 and 20 dozen baseballs will be used this year.

Since all of the league games are played on city parks, the department also assumes the maintenance of the diamonds.

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BRINDLE NOTES the passing of two sponsors this year. St. Mary's and the Marine Reserve no longer will have league teams, he reports.

He said the loss of St. Mary's was "a real shock to the officers of the league because they were one of the original sponsors in 1952."

Those who can remember when the league began also will recall the important and enthusiastic part Rev. John Murphy of St. Mary's played in it. Father Murphy was extremely active in the advancement of the league. He was a league official, and he also coached his own entry. Under him, St. Mary's played smart, aggressive baseball.

Father Murphy now is athletic director at Cathedral High of Springfield.

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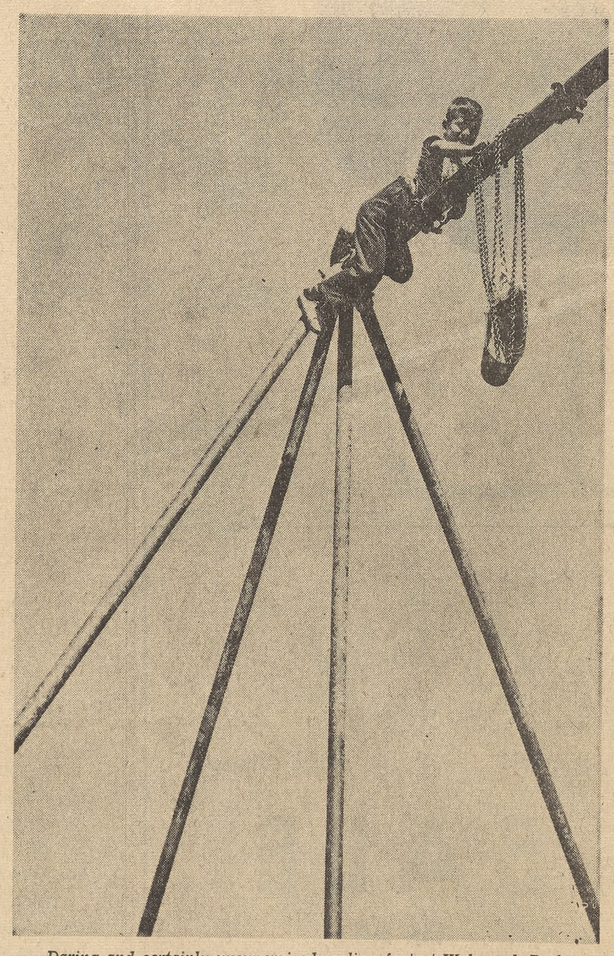
Whirling in the water, this circle of young ladies is playing an aquatic game of ring-around-the-rosy in the wading pool at the Crane playground.

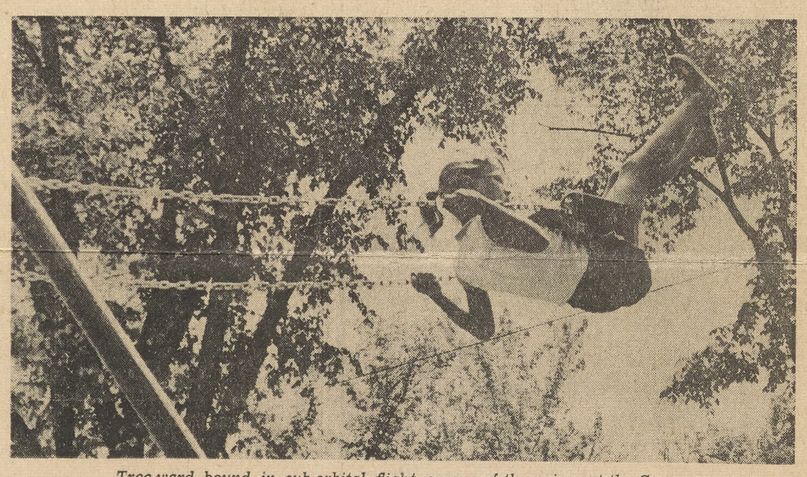


Daring and certainly unsupervised scaling feat at Wahconah Park.

Play Time

IN PITTSFIELD, there are 20 supervised playgrounds. Children in their summer vacation crowd the parks and playgrounds in yelling, romping groups from early morning until darkness. The Park Department offers a program which includes almost every children's game from swimming and baseball, swinging and climbing, to a game called "the big red ball" and even checkers. The playgrounds are supervised from 10 to 12, 2 to 5, and 6 to 8:30 Monday through Friday. After hours, some children return to try their own improved, more challenging versions of sports that are supervised during the day. Here are a few of the popular supervised and unsupervised activities.

Pigtails down, feet up, draw startled gaze.



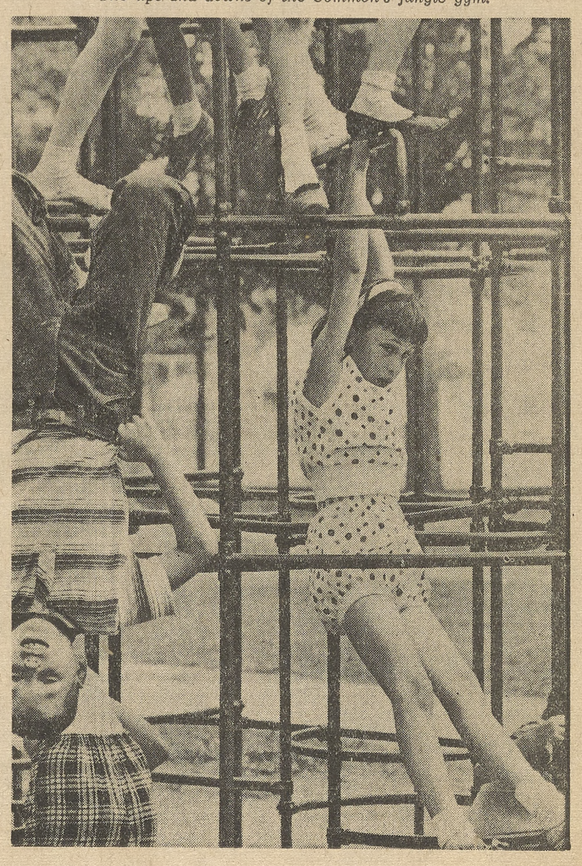
Tree-ward bound in sub-orbital flight, on one of the swings at the Common.

Pictures and Text by Joel Librizzi

Engrossed in thought, checker players and kibitzers ponder next move at the Common.

Unsupervised jump—no slide here.

The ups and downs of the Common's jungle gym.



Square Dance Festival Tops Play Program

Citywide Event Will Be Thursday At Jewish Center

The annual citywide square dance festival will be featured next week in playground activities, the Department of Parks and Recreation announced today.

The festival will be Thursday night from 7 to 8:30 at the Jewish Community Center. There will be recorded music and round, square and folk dancing.

The public is invited to attend the festival and instructions will be given in square dancing. Maureen Hannigan, music and dance supervisor for the Park Department, will be in charge of the dance.

In other events this week, an Arts and Crafts show will be held Thursday through Monday. Projects completed by playground youngsters will be on display in the show window at Berkshire Gas Company on Bank Row. Mary Jane McGovern, arts and crafts supervisor, will direct the exhibit.

Playgrounds conducting carnivals this week will be: Monday, Clapp, Pitt and Abby Lodge; Wednesday, West Memorial and Pontoosuc; Thursday, Deming and Osceola. Trips will be taken: Monday by Allendale; Wednesday by the Common and Dewey; Thursday by Highland and Saturday by Clapp.

Supervisor's schedule for the week of Aug. 14:

Arts and Crafts:

Tuesday morning Wilson, afternoon Abby Lodge; Wednesday morning Deming, afternoon Root; Friday morning Lebanon, afternoon Osceola.

Music and Dance

Monday morning Pontoosuc, afternoon Springside; Tuesday morning Allendale, afternoon Allen Heights and West Memorial; Wednesday morning Coolidge, afternoon Highland; Friday morning Pitt, afternoon Lebanon.

Archery—(All Day)

Monday, Clapp; Tuesday, Coolidge; Wednesday, Allendale; Thursday, Springside; Friday, Deming.

Opening Week Of Parks Near Record

The Department of Parks and Recreation Playground program has completed its first week of activities with a near record number of youngsters enjoying the city's play facilities.

The playground sports program has posted a full schedule of contests for the next week in both the boys' and girls' divisions with exception of July 4, when all playgrounds will be closed. Joseph Metallo, supervisor of athletics, announced that his staff of sports directors will all be assisting in the program beginning Monday. The sports directors are: Penny Fall, Carolyn George, George Pellerin, Donald Reynolds, David Volin, and John Luzis.

The boys' and girls' sports programs include midget and junior teams in softball and volleyball. The programs, largest in the history of the Department of Parks and Recreation, consist of 58 teams in the boys' division and 24 teams in the girls' division.

Special Event

Thursday, July 6, will mark special events day on the city's 20 playgrounds with all areas individually participating in "Patriotic on-Wheels Day." The event consists of the playground youngsters decorating bicycles, tricycles, carts and all play things on wheels in a patriotic theme. There then follows a parade around the playground with prizes awarded in various divisions. This is the first time that the project has been done simultaneously on all playgrounds.

The supervisors' schedule for the week of July 3:

ARTS AND CRAFTS

	Morning	Afternoon
Wednesday	Abby Lodge	West Memorial
Thursday	Wilson	Highland
Friday	Osceola	Clapp

MUSIC AND DANCE

Wednesday	Allendale	Crane
Thursday	Pontoosuc	Deming
Friday	Springside	Lakewood

Pontoosuc, Onota Days To Be Tuesday

The Department of Parks and Recreation announced the schedule today for the annual Pontoosuc and Onota Day activities to be held Tuesday.

Each playground takes part in the event with a trip to either Pontoosuc or Onota Lake beaches. The day's activities will be: 11 a.m. to noon, swim; noon to 12:30, lunch; 12:30 to 1, land games for each playground; 1 to 2, watershow by the lifeguards; 2 to 3, water games; 3 to 3:30, free swim; 4, homeward bound.

All children must have a permission slip from their parents to go on the outing, and all are asked to bring their own lunch and bathing equipment.

Playgrounds going to Onota Lake are: Osceola, Lebanon, Clapp, Common, Coolidge, Pitt, Highland, Root, Deming, and Abby Lodge. Going to Pontoosuc Lake will be: Pontoosuc, West Memorial, Wilson, Allendale, Springside, Allen Heights, Wahconah, Lakewood Crane and Dewey.

Playgrounds will be closed Tuesday morning and afternoon but will be open for the evening session.

Activities have also begun on the areas in preparation for the Mardi Gras on July 25 and the king and queen contest, July 20 at Wahconah Park.

Supervisors' schedule for the week of July 10:

ARTS AND CRAFTS

A.M.	P.M.	Day	
Monday	Wednesday	Common	Pitt
Dewey	Coolidge	Thursday	Root
Tuesday		Deming	
		Friday	
Pontoosuc	and Onota	Lebanon	Osceola

ARCHERY (ALL DAY)

Monday	Wednesday
Clapp	Allendale
	Thursday
Tuesday	Springside
Pontoosuc and Onota Day	Friday
	Deming

Playground Awards Made At Annual Circus Day Event

The annual circus day for the city's playgrounds was held this afternoon at both Deming and Springside parks. Awards were made at each park for outstanding work in arts and crafts, and to the winners in athletic and archery events.

Arts and crafts awards went to Vincent Velez, Lester Poincelot, Nancy Miller from Abby Lodge; Candy Vacchina, Allendale; Jodie Sacchetti, Rosemary Byrnes, Cathy Glassanos, Allen Heights; Michele Simon, Sally Dupuis, Mark Massaconi, Alan Barnaby, Crane; Ann Majchrowski, Christine Parmalee, Coolidge; Mary Phillips, Eleanor Cohen, Dewey; Robert Arienti, Osceola; Michael Case, Richard Keys, Mary Conuel, West Memorial; Janice Wisnowski, Debbie Collins, Pam Troy, Dona Powers, John Raymond, Patty Lee, Wilson.

Awards for the William Tell shoot in archery were presented to John Powers, first place, Dave Carlon, second place; and Dan Card, third place in the midget division. In the junior division Fred Sangiovanni was first; Bob Goodrich, second; and Paul Streetr, third. Bob Donna took first in the senior division, with Al Mendel, second.

Springside Wins Banner

Springside Park was presented the banner for accumulation of the most points at the Junior Olympics. Linda Procopio from Clapp Park was winner in the girls' division; Colleen Termohlen, Osceola, junior girls' division; Judy Bramley, Springside, intermediate girls. John Kennedy from Crane Park was winner in the midget boys' division, and Mickey Sangiovanni of Deming won in the junior boys' division. Paul Procopio of Clapp was winner in the intermediate boys' division.

The home-run tournament midget division winner was Tom Sinopoli from Clapp. Richard L'Hote of Lakewood was runner-up. Peter Rolla from Springside won the junior division, with Bob Pinsonneault of Osceola runner-up.

Ricky Paris and Don Boland from Highland were winners in the horseshoe tournament in the midget division. Winners in the junior division were Al Cook and Richard Carenelli of Lakewood.

All-Star Softball Teams

Members picked for the junior boys' softball all-star team were: Gene Curletti, Crane; Bob Rivard, Highland; Dave Allen, Wahconah; Lew Orozie, Pitt; Dave Tetreault, Wahconah; John Rilla, Lakewood; Paul Procopio, Clapp; Phil Heidel, Deming; Chris Gallagher, Osceola; Jim Carlo, Clapp, on the first team. The second team selected was: Bob Spaniol, Pontoosuc; Frank Scage, Pitt; Mike Lacey, Wahconah; Bob Gillett, Springside; Jim Sokop, Allen Heights; Dick Powers, Crane; Henry Fidel, West Memorial; Fred Royal, West Memorial; Ken Williams, Lebanon; Mickey Sangiovanni, Deming.

Members of the midget boys' softball all-star first team are Mike Trudeau, Highland; Ricky Paris, Highland; Carl Albano, Allen Heights; Tom Rilla, Springside; Jimmy DiNicola, Springside; Bill Hermanski, Coolidge; Paul Andrews, Coolidge; Tom Sinopoli, Clapp; Tony Gibson, Lebanon; Mike Connolly, Deming. The second team includes Les Poincelote, Abby Lodge; Steve Cain, Deming; Lou Bologna, Lakewood; Jim Giansiracusa, Root; Dennis Hebler, Crane; Dave Kerchner, Coolidge; Art Winters, Pitt; Keith Anderson, Pontoosuc; Roger Doulet, Wilson; Frank Gai, Crane.

The boys' midget volleyball city champs were from Highland playground. The team included Ricky Paris, Gary Wowk, Don Boland, Mike Trudeau, George Scanlon and Jimmy Lenardi.

Deming playground won the mixed volleyball championship. The team was composed of Phil Heidel, Richard Blasioli, Dave Blasioli, Mickey Sangiovanni, Joanne Martin, Joanne Galvagni, Mary Ann Polidoro and Sandra Gardner.

Other Winners

On the winning girls' volleyball team, 13 and under, were Barbara Conti, captain, Chris Walger, Janet Richards, Judy Breen, Peggy Masacani, Jean Oakes, Ann Permelani and Sandy Gull.

Springside volleyball team won in the 16 and under classification. The team included Aggie Stillman, captain, Judy Bramley, Sandy Gull, Chris Walger, Jean Oakes, Janet Richards, Barbara Conti, Donna Cook, Mary Ann Placido, Ann Permelani, Peggy Masacani.

Girls' softball, 17 and under, was won by Springside Park. The team included Judy Bramley, Ann Permelani, Aggie Stillman, Barbara Conti, Shiela Conti, Donna Cook, Beverly Richards, Chris Walger, Judy Breen, Mary Ann Placido, Janet Richards, Denise LaGault.

Parks cited for the best sportsmanship and most improvement over the summer in girls sports were Lakewood, for the 13 and under volleyball team; Coolidge, for their 16 and under; and Crane, for the girls' softball 17 and under classification.

Monday, Aug. 14, 1961

Lahey Wins Archery Tournament

John R. Lahey Jr. of Barker Road, a member of the Berkshire Hills Archery Club, was top winner of the Berkshire County archery tournament, held yesterday at Clapp Park. With a point total of 459, he was recipient of "Top Archery of the Day" trophy, donated by the Berkshire Hills Archery Club.

Other winners, listed first, second and third:

325 class, Tom Lahey, Berkshire Hills Archery Club.

250 class, John Lahey Jr., Berkshire Hills; John Kot, Berkshire Bowmen; Jack Duby, Berkshire Hills.

175 class, Bill Haines, Berkshire Hills; Yvon Doucette, Central Berkshire Bowmen; Bernard Beaudin, Berkshire Hills.

100 class, Jim Wayard, Berkshire Hills; Carmen Manello, Buckhorn Bowmen; Adam Pruhenski, Buckhorn Bowmen.

Open class, Murray Kellogg, Berkshire Hills; Larry Seelig, Bukhorn Bowmen; Arcadi Matteotti, Berkshire Hills.

Women's open, Theresa Bernoi, Buckhorn Bowmen; Joan Beakely, Buckhorn Bowmen.

Classifications were according to the national field archery standards.

Twenty-eight archers from four county archery clubs participated in the event with approximately 100 present at the park to witness the afternoon tournament.

Field captain for the event was Richard Pucko of the Berkshire Hills Archery Club. Miss Carolyn George was tournament director and Philip Messer was clerk. Both Miss George and Mr. Messer represented the Department of Parks and Recreation, which cosponsors the event with the Berkshire Bowman's League.

Playground Leader Sessions Open Tuesday for Four Days

The Pittsfield Department of Parks and Recreation will open a four-day playground leadership training institute Tuesday at the Jewish Community Center, Vincent J. Hebert, department superintendent, announced today.

The course will cover principles and techniques in organizing and conducting playground activities and will be conducted by Ben Solomon and Miss Ethel Bowers of Youth Service, Inc., Putnam Valley, N.Y. They will be assisted by Miss Jean Loveland of the Park Department staff.

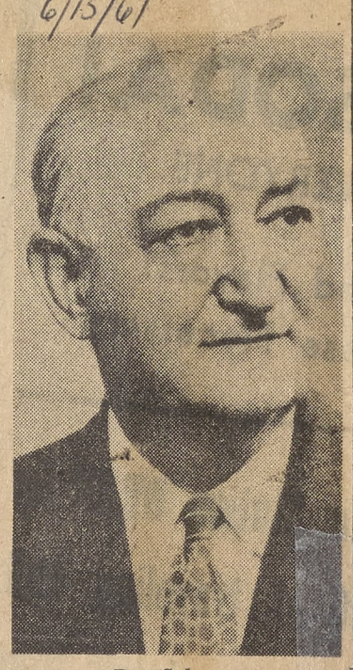
The course has been scheduled primarily for Pittsfield playground workers but is open to the public and is geared especially for teachers and other professional and volunteer youth leaders.

Mayor to Welcome Students

Registration for the course may be made at 1:20 Tuesday afternoon at the Jewish Community Center. Mayor Raymond L. Haughey and Dr. Robert J. Kirvin, Park Commission chairman, will welcome the students, and Mr. Hebert will give a 15-minute talk on city recreation programs.

Classes will be held each of the four days from 1:30 to 5 and 6:30 to 9.

Miss Bowers is the head of the physical education department at Brenan College, Gainesville, Ga. She has been training specialists for the National Recreation Association for 16 years, is the author of 10 books on recreation for women and girls, and is managing editor of the Youth Leaders Digest.



Ben Solomon

Mr. Solomon has written many books on camping, recreation and leadership training. He has lectured at Springfield College, Columbia University, the University of Wisconsin and New York University, and has served as a consultant and training specialist for many organizations, including the New York City Police and Parks Departments and the New York City Board of Education.

Playgrounds To Feature Nature Study

Horse Shoe Tourney Scheduled For August 1-3

The main theme on the 20 city playgrounds next week will be "nature." All areas are planning some form of nature activities, including nature hikes, trips to the Pleasant Valley Sanctuary, and sessions of nature study on the playgrounds.

Also scheduled for next week is the citywide horseshoe tourna- Joe Metallo, playground sports sument. It will be conducted by pervisor, on the Common at 2 p.m. Aug. 1-3. It will be broken down into two divisions; midgets, ages 12 and under, and juniors, ages 13-16. Trophies will be awarded to the two winners in each group.

Schedules Listed

Supervisors schedules for the week of July 31:

Arts and Crafts

	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	Deming	Root
Tuesday	Lebanon	Oceola
Wednesday	W. Memorial	Abby Lodge
Thursday	Wilson	Highland
Friday	Crane	Pontoosuc

Music and Dance

Monday	West Memoria	Highand
Tuesday	Abby Lodge	Root
Wednesday	Pitt	Wilson
Thursday	Allen Heights	Allendale
Friday	Common	Osceola

Archery (all day)

Monday	Clapp
Tuesday	Coolidge
Wednesday	Allendale
Thursday	Springside
Friday	Deming

Blacktop Basketball Court To Be Built on the Common

Construction of a blacktop outdoor basketball court on the Common probably will start shortly, Park Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert disclosed today.

Hebert expects to award a contract for the work within the next 24 hours to Ralph Hutchinson, the only bidder. His price was $2,249.

Hebert said the court will be 85 feet by 50 feet. It will be built east of the playground shelter.

Sought Three Courts

The superintendent originally had requested that three hard-top courts be built at public parks. He planned such surfaces at Springside and Clapp parks as well as on the Common. However, the Capital Outlay Committee appropriated only $2,500 for the project, so Hebert decided to build only one court.

Hebert said he expects that the court will be constructed in time for league play in the latter part of the summer.

"We have already started to form senior and junior leagues," he said.

Asked whether games would be played after dark or at twilight, he said, "If we can get enough money for lighting, we'll have some after-dark games. If we can't, we'll just have twilight games.

Bleachers will be provided for spectators, Hebert said.

Teacher Has a Lot To Learn in Tokyo

A Berkshire Girl Battles To Keep Up With Her Students

By SUSAN WHITTLESEY

Miss Whittlesey, a 1960 Smith College graduate, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Whittlesey III of 380 Holmes Road.

JUNE 8.

TOKYO—The Rotary Club's international convention brought 6,000 Westerners to Tokyo last week, and a revelation to me! I hadn't seen a group of blond-headed, blue-eyed people in 10 months, and as they flocked in from all corners of the earth, I heard myself say, "But, they all look alike!"

O.K. I must admit that at least in the case of Japanese students, it is a true challenge to the untrained eye to find distinctly differing faces. But one reason behind this is, they all wear black uniforms—jackets, skirts or pants, and hats. Matching black hair and black eyes help the foreigner's confusion, too.

And now my final concession . . . or confession: I dream at night of the public school and university students of Japan in a long file. They are marching obediently after their professors. Not one is out of step, not one without a serene expression on face, no one particularly distince from any other.

But wait! In the heart of Tokyo's student district, like the violet under the tree, is my school, Bunka Gakuin. This is a private high scchool and college, where I have been teaching since last September, as the only foreign and (I discovered after four months) only full-time teacher on board. (The others come over from the Uniform Schools.)

Principal Nishimura and Miss Whittlesey at the ceremonies on 25th anniversary of Bunka Gakuin (Cultural Institute).

The First

A breath of fresh air, the first coed school in the country (1921) is thriving with charm and personality rare in ANY country, and EXTRAORDINARY in Japan! An introduction to Bunka Gakuin's founder will explain a little. Mr. Isaku Nishimura, now 77, was the child of Christian parents, is a philosopher, a writer, a talented potter, and the father of nine children (four of whom married a Swede, a Dutchman, a Belgium and an American respectively). Mr. Nishimura's autobiography, which was published last October, opens with his prison meditations. He vacationed in jail during the war for a remark that the Emperor was like a tie. "A man THINKS he needs a tie . . . but he really doesn't." Needless to say, Bunka Gakuin's doors were shut tight during the war years . . . at least to its founder and students. (It did thrive on as a prison for Allied officers, one of whom later became Mr. Nishimura's Dutch son-in-law.)

My "Japanese Grandfather" is a man who says what he thinks, usually in metaphors, but, nevertheless, with direct honesty. He is both the idol and confidant of most of his students. Once a week he expounds to his assembled admirers on anything from "the kingdom of heaven" to "this modern kissing and necking."

To me, the only academic advice he ever offered was this: "Be friend of students. They call you "Miss Whittlesey"? No. "Susan-Sensei (title of all teachers literally meaning 'elder-born'). You are same level. Sometimes, you stop in middle of lecture, and tell them about you, and your life in America. That is better than lecture."

The high school offers primarily studies in English. The college has a three-year liberal arts course. The art department harbors budding painters, sculptors, photographers, and a separate design department breeds successful fashion experts. Everyone is quite free from requirements and restrictions. As a result, I often see my students in TV dramas. Last week I saw one girl dance on the stage of Tokyo's number one theater. Another in the same class is the female lead in a popular movie now highly billed in Japan. Another has one-woman pottery shows which are well-respected here. A recent fashion show starred many Bunka Gakuin designers and models.

Hooky Players

Now that the warm days are here the school garden is full of uke-playing students. The other day, I taught one "English conversation class" over the background harmony of four escapees from the class, who were singing outside under the window. The art department, now making large plaster busts, has modevd, bucket, rag and apron into the garden's courtyard, and the busy artists surround the barefoot students who forsake occasional classes to help prune and water the flowers there.

The other day, I was selected to show Bunka Gakuin to a sophisticated lady, just back from four years abroad, and her worldy young daughter. I chose to present the garden from the second floor. Alas, one of our seniors was roller-skating madly between easels and plaster-buckets after two young damsels who were noisily feigning distress. In hopes of redeeming Bunka Gakuin's honor in these two pairs of unamused eyes, I quickly led them to one of the better classrooms. But doom lurked within. There, two of my students were using my desk as a ping pong table!

"Summer is here!" I offered cheerfully. I haven't asked wether or not the sentimental young lady [illegible]

Miss Whittlesey and some of her students.

Luckily for me, we were putting on the play "Heidi" in English during my first two months in Japan. Many of the students had names in my mind, from their roles in the play. Those hapless actors and actresses have remained "Heidi," "Goat Peter," "Grandfather," and "Barbel," in my classes ever since.

One devil in my freshman class always wore a bright orange hat to class, and sat under it, smiling out at me DARING me to TEACH him something. Knowing it would be better to have him with me than against me, I immediately paid tribute to his finery by dubbing him "Boshi-San," of "Mr. Hat." Though he has since suffered the loss of said bonnet, he is "Mr. aHt," not only to me, but to most of his classmates still.

Who's in Front?

Whether Mr. Nishimura or Mr. Hat is the bigger character, I am not sure. In any case, nowhere along the line am I dealing with conventional stock. Bunka Gakuinites wouldn't FIT into uniforms, I am sure. They go about their business, out of proper dress and somewhat out of step. And, I am not leading the line . . . I am running along behind, breathlessly trying to keep up with them!

Question of Labels

Bunka Gakuin is a pocket of personalities. The only respect in which I have difficulty sorting them out is in putting the right LABELS on each. Nishiyama, Nishimura, Nakayama, Nakamura, Nomura, Nakakubo and so it goes. One ex-teacher-in-Japan advised me before I came to do anything to be personal an informal to uninhibit my students. "Sit on the desk!" he advised. (I often do.) But it is hard to be personal or, on the other side, to maintain even a spark of respect, when you can't remember anyone's name! I resorted in desperation to making a joke of my stupidity in the art of (Japanese) nomenclature.

In Brief . . .

It is to be hoped that the hardworking and unpaid Traffic Commission will not be too downhearted by the predictable defeat of its half-hour parking recommendation in the City Council last night. Almost every expert recommendation in this field—including parallel parking on North Street and, in fact, the original order installing parking meters—has had to overcome heavy opposition before finally winning general acceptance . . . The failure of the half-hour parking proposal, it might be added, makes the need for a real war on meter-feeding and double parking more urgent than ever. This was the one point of solid agreement last night, and it should be followed up vigilantly by the police . . .

Mrs. Ralph Crissey's interjection of a bogus racial issue in her argument for a permit to convert the former Treadway property in Stockbridge to an apartment house was a deplorable performance which doubtless helped expedite the rejection of her application . . . Agricultural National Bank's plan for further embellishing its front with planters and concealed floodlights sounds like another commendable contribution to the general face-lifting that is taking place along North Street these days . . . That opening day crowd of 2,000 at Pittsfield's 20 parks and playgrounds is an impressive testimonial to the good health of the city recreation program.

If there are cobwebs on the aspirin bottle at home, brother, you have been living right and you have a clear conscience.—*Charles City* (Ia.) *Press.*

What you have said and forgotten is precisely what will be recalled next day by those who were present.—*Sparks.*

Dozens of baseball players, it seems, have gone on from the Red Sox to make good in the big leagues.—*Boston Globe.*

Wednesday, July 12, 1961

More Than 600 Participate in Lakes Program

Youngsters from the city's 20 playgrounds traveled yesterday to Onota and Pontoosuc lakes for the annual lake day event. About 319 youngsters were reported at Pontoosuc and 311 at Onota. There also were a large number of parents present assisting the playground staff in watching over the youngsters.

The day's activities included land and water games as well as free swim periods. The youngsters also were treated to a water show by the life guards at both beaches. The shows included water ballet, canoe jousting and an exhibition of water safety procedure.

Miss Jean Loveland, recreation supervisor for the Department of Parks and Recreation, was in charge of the day's activities.

3/25/61

Librizzi

SPRING FEVER assumed epidemic proportions among much of the younger citizenry yesterday, and the jungle gym on the Common, unassailed during the long winter months, bore the brunt of the attack. Spring arrived officially at 3:32 Monday afternoon but the Common was mostly miserable and cold until yesterday. Veteran observers say winter's back is broken.

ncreases League Lead by Beating

5/19/61

Mahan

HEADING HOME on his circuit smash in the second inning is Johnny Tagliaferro of Pittsfield High. His blow gave PHS a 2-0 lead over Williamstown High in important Northern Berkshire Baseball League contest yesterday afternoon at Clapp Park. Pittsfield preserved its unbeaten league record by winning 6-3.

6/23/61

Park Department Announces Top Supervisory Staff

James Archey | Philip Messer | Mary McGovern | Olan Mills — Joseph Metallo | Kanter — Maureen Hannigan

Five supervisors have begun summer work for the Department of Parks and Recreation. They are: Joseph N. Metallo Jr., athletic supervisor; Mary Jane McGovern, arts and crafts supervisor; Maureen Ann Hannigan, music and dance supervisor; James J. Archey, publicity supervisor; and Philip E. Messer, assistant recreation supervisor.

Mr. Metallo is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Metallo of 425 Fenn St. He graduated from Pittsfield High School in 1957 and is a June graduate of LaSalle College in Philadelphia, where he received his B.A. degree in English-education. At La Salle, Joe was an assistant to the basketball coach, and assistant director of intramural sports. He has worked for the department in past summers as an assistant leader.

New Rochelle Student

Miss McGovern, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. McGovern of 132 Brown St., is a 1960 graduate of Pittsfield High School and is presently a sophomore at the College of New Rochelle, N.Y. She was active in high school dramatics and the PHS yearbook along with volunteer work at the Catholic Youth Center. She was previously employed by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Miss Hannigan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn P. Hannigan of 53 Winship Ave. A 1960 graduate of Pittsfield High School, she is a sophomore at the College of Our Lady of the Elms in Chicopee. At the Elms, she is a member of the college glee club. She was employed by the Park Department last year.

Archey Returns

Mr. Archey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elrich J. Archey of 228 Union St. He is a 1960 graduate of St. Joseph's High School and is a sophomore at Stonehill College, North Easton. At Stonehill, he is a member of the student senate, organization editor of the college newspaper and vice president of the Young Republican Club. This is his second year with the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Mr. Messer, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Messer of 19 Alcove St., is a 1954 graduate of Pittsfield High School. He received his B.S. in education from Oswego (N.Y.) State Teachers College earlier this month. At Oswego he was student body-student council president, vice president of his senior class and a member of Sigma Tau Chi fraternity. This is his second year as assistant recreation supervisor with the department.

More Than 2,000 At Playgrounds On Opening Day

Opening day at Pittsfield's 20 playgrounds attracted more than 2,000 youngsters yesterday, according to the Department of Parks and Recreation.

The largest crowd was reported at Springside Park where 175 children attended the morning session. Registration at the playgrounds started yesterday and will continue throughout the week.

About 70 young swimmers dunked themselves at the Springside pool during its opening day yesterday. The Crane pool still is being repaired but is expected to open Monday.

Marsha Gaffey Is Engaged

U. of M. Graduate Betrothed to D. P. Desjarlais

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Gaffey of 37 Burbank St. today announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marsha Ann, to Donald Paul Desjarlais of 767 East St., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Desjarlais of Williamsett. Her wedding is planned for Sept. 16 at St. Joseph's Church.

Vantine

Miss Marsha Ann Gaffey

Miss Gaffey graduated from Pittsfield High School, class of 1957, and this year, from the University of Massachusetts with a B.A. degree in sociology.

A draftsman in the GE ordnance department, Mr. Desjarlais graduated from Chicopee High School in 1951 and the GE drafting apprentice course in 1956. He is a veteran of two years' Army service.

Philip B. Messer Graduates Fourth in His Class 6/17/61

Philip B. Messer

Philip B. Messer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Messer of 19 Alcove St., graduated Sunday from the State University of New York College of Education at Oswego. He was graduated cum laude, fourth in his class, with a bachelor of science in education.

Mr. Messer graduated from Pittsfield High School in 1954 and was employed as a laboratory technician at the General Electric Co. until he entered the university in 1957.

While at Oswego, Mr. Messer was active in extracurricular activities and was honored on several occasions for his academic achievements. He is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, National Education Honor Society; Epsilon Pi Tau, National Industrial Arts Honor Society; and the Social Studies Honor Society. He has been named to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." He was vice president of the Associated Student Body, an vice president of the senior class. He is also a member of Sigma Tau Chi social fraternity and the Newman club.

Mr. Messer has been awarded a graduate resident assistantship at Ohio State University, to be taken in counseling psychology, and will begin work on his master's degree in September.

This summer he will be an assistant supervisor of recreation for the Pittsfield Park Department.

tsfield, Massachusetts, Thursday, July 27, 1961.

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MASSED CARS parked on either side of Lebanon Avenue at the playground slow down passing motorist while neighborhood children watch the proceedings. The narrowing dow of the traveled way last night was the work of area parents who seek action to curb speeding

Lebanon Playground Speeders Prompt Parent Demonstration

Approximately 20 parents whose children use the Lebanon Avenue Playground parked their cars on opposite sides of the street early last evening, narrowing the pavement to nearly one-way width, to protest speeding in the area.

Unofficial leader for the demonstration was Orrin H. Brewster of 255 Lebanon Ave., whose primary reason for acting was "because my son almost got hit riding his bike last Saturday afternoon."

Mr. Brewster said he and others in the neighborhood had protested to the mayor, to Councilman Donald G. Butler, to the Police Department and the Park Department. Assurances were given, he said, that something would be done, but "nothing has been done yet."

There are existing signs saying "Playground," Mr. Brewster said, "but they're so far back you can't see them."

He said the problem could be solved with a crosswalk at the playground and lettering on the pavement on both approaches to the crosswalk.

Miss Windover Is Betrothed

North Adams Alumna To Wed S. M. Henry, Waterbury Engineer

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Windover of 19 Allengate Ave. today announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Ann, to Sherman M. Henry, of Waterbury, Conn., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lucius Henry of North Adams. The wedding is planned for Sept. 2.

Miss Windover, a 1957 honor graduate of Pittsfield High School, graduated in June from North Adams State College with a bachelor of science degree in education. While at college she was a member of the dormitory council and the student council. Her offices included freshman class treasurer, Christian Association president and dormitory president.

Mr. Henry graduated from Drury High School in 1956 and from the University of Massachusetts with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. He was a member of Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity. He has done graduate work at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. Formerly employed at Sprague Electric Co., Mr. Henry now is a design engineer for Waterbury Farrel, Foundry & Machine Co.

Crane Pool Opening Postponed Until July 3

Crane wading pool will not open until Monday, July 3, because of repairs that are being made, the Parks and Recreation Department announced. The swimming classes will also begin on the same day.

The pool had been scheduled to open Monday, June 26.

Archery Finals To Be Tomorrow

The finals for the citywide playground archery tournament will be tomorrow at Clapp Park under the supervision of Miss Carolyn George, archery director for the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Competing in the finals will be semifinals winners from all of the city's playgrounds in three divisions, midget, 10 to 12 years of age; junior, 13 to 15 years of age; and senior, 16 to 18 years of age.

The midgets will shoot at 9:30 in the morning with the juniors and seniors competing at 2 in the afternoon.

Plaques will be awarded to first, second and third place winners.

Two To Speak on WBEC About Playgrounds

Two Parks Department employes will speak on the various aspects of Pittsfield playgrounds this Sunday on the radio program "Your Department of Parks and Recreation."

Miss Jean Loveland, recreation supervisor for the department, will discuss the playground program in general. Carol Madison will speak about the facilities offered at the Dewey Playground, where she is leader.

The program will be broadcast over station WBEC Sunday night at 6:30.

Golfers Banned From City Parks, Hebert Warns 7/27/61

Pittsfield's parks and playgrounds are not to be used as golf courses, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation, warned today.

"We have been getting almost daily complaints about golfers using the play areas, especially on the Common, Clapp Park and at North and South Junior High Schools," Mr. Hebert said. "I would like parents and children to know that as of today the no-golf rule will be strictly enforced."

Mr. Hebert said that golf endangers the safety of non-players using the recreation facilities and also creates a maintenance problem for his department because of the damage to turf. He said he hoped that eventually Pittsfield would have a municipal golf course and driving-range facilities.

900 Attend Circus Day At 2 Parks 8-26-61

More than 900 children attended circus day at Springside and Deming parks yesterday afternoon. The event was sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation. The youngsters participated in games and activities during the afternoon. Awards for outstanding teams and outstanding work in arts and crafts were made. Most valuable player awards were made for girls' sports in the following divisions: volleyball (13 and under), Linda Procopio from Clapp Park; volleyball (16 and under), Janet Richards from Springside; softball (17 and under) Judy Bramley from Springside Park. Free refreshments of soda, cookies, ice cream and candy donated by Pittsfield merchants were enjoyed.

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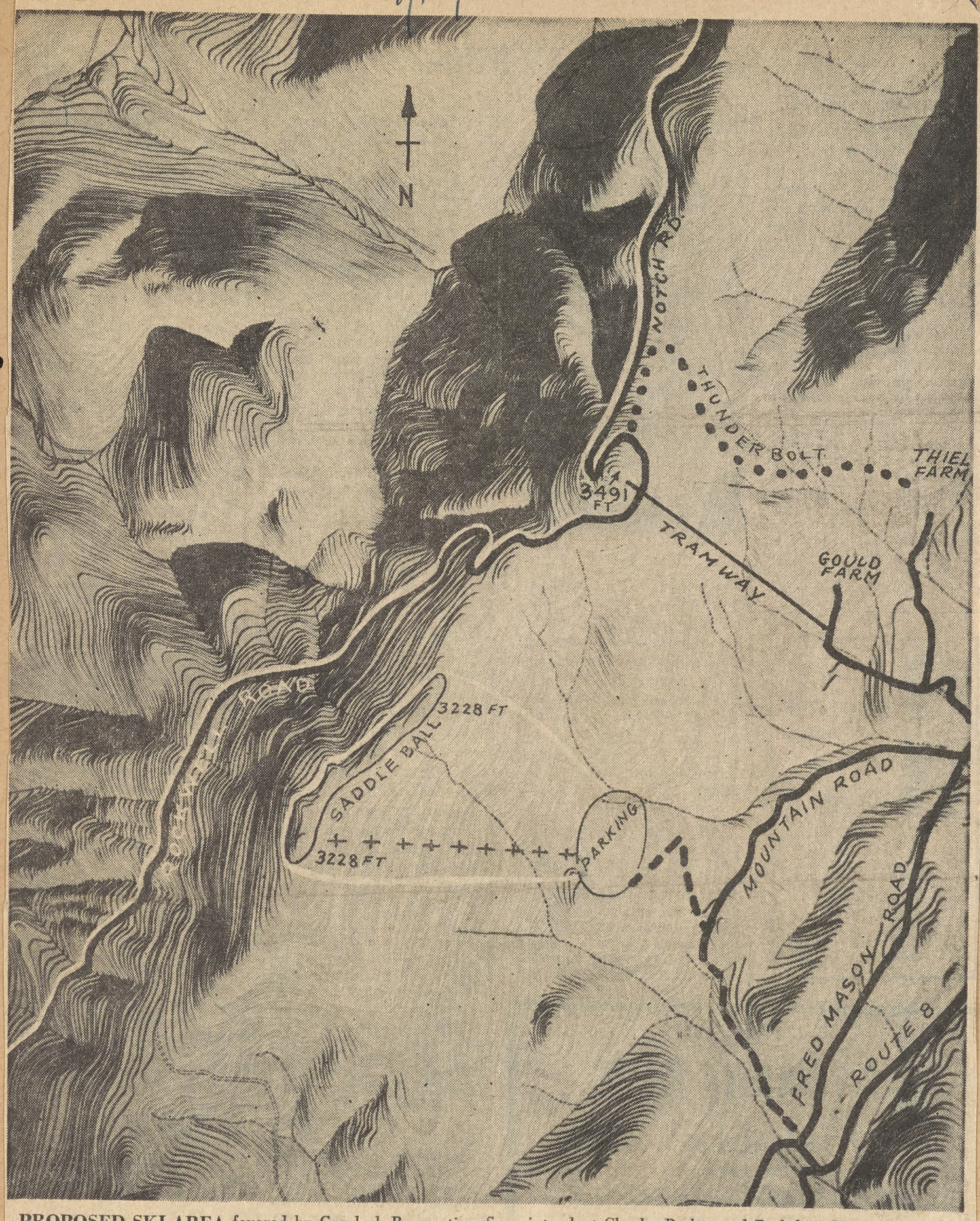

PROPOSED SKI AREA favored by Greylock Reservation Superintendent Charles Parker and Berkshire Museum science curator Bartlett Hendricks is outlined in white on this relief model of the Greylock and Saddleball mountain. Crosses show where a chair lift could be built from a parking area to one of Saddleball's summits. The broken line shows an unimproved road to the area. Dots indicate where the Thunderbolt ski trail winds down the precipitous east face of Greylock. The ski development favored by the Tramway Authority would be on the southeastern slope of Mt. Greylock.

Bicentennial Family Picnic Set Aug. 20

7/14

Pittsfield's bicentennial family picnic will be held Aug. 20 at Clapp Park under plans announced today. For the event, the Bicentennial Committee is arranging an array of old-time features, races and contests.

Watermelon and lemonade will be sold at old-fashioned prices, announced by Mrs. Myron Adelson, picnic chairman, as "two cents or four pins." There will be pie-eating contests for boys, sack races for girls, egg-in-a-spoon races for women and tugofwar for men.

Supervision Planned

Playground supervisors will have charge of the sports events, using the complete athletic facilities at Clapp Park, including the track, softball diamond, and the jumping and horseshoe pits. Among competitions being planned are dashes, relay races and distance runs.

Youngsters will compete in age groups: under 6, 6 to 12, 12 to 16, 16 to 21. Winners will receive "Pittsfield Bicentennial" ribbons for the first four places.

The picnic is open to past and present residents of the community, Mrs. Adelson said. Families are invited to take box lunches. There will be no charge for admission, and the program will be informal.

Pie-Bakers Needed

Mrs. Adelson is seeking to augment her committee of 15 with some pie-bakers. She needs large and succulent blueberry pies for pie-eating contests.

Members of her committee are Mrs. Gordon Adelson, Mrs. Richard Narbis, Mrs. Richard P. Raftery, Mrs. Joseph Flynn, Mrs. Ralph Gates, Mrs. Davis Thomas, Mrs. Joseph Scalise, Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. William Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold Heidel and Mr. Adelson.

Working closely with the committee is Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation.

Only 143 Days to Christmas

7/25/61

Believe it or not, Christmas is in the air. Yesterday—one of the hottest days of the season—John D. Roberts of 226 Lenox Ave. stopped Vincent J. Hebert, Parks and Recreation superintendent, on the street and asked him if he would like a Christmas tree.

Mopping his brow, Mr. Hebert said he would take a look.

Mr. Roberts said he had a 35-foot blue spruce in front of his home which he plans to fell because it obscures the house. He said he would wait and cut the tree in December if the city could use it.

Again mopping his brow, Mr. Hebert explained that many Pittsfield residents donate trees for the Park Square Christmas display. He said his department considers all "entries," choosing the best. He noted that the tree donations usually do not start reaching his office until late October or early November. Mr. Hebert thanked Mr. Roberts for the offer and started down the street feeling a little cooler, but not much.

Mayor Asks $90,000 To Cover Pay Increases

7/20

Mayor Haughey today filed a $90,000 order to cover city employe pay raises for the remainder of the year. The City Council will consider the measure after voting on ordainment of the pay-raise ordinance on Tuesday.

The two-grade, pay increase ordinance for about 520 city employes passed a first Council reading on July 11. Ordainment is expected, as is approval of the money from surplus funds.

Mayor Haughey said he would like Council approval of the $90,000 so, if the ordinance is passed, the raise will be effective on July 31.

The pay raise is expected to increase the annual $2.8 million city payroll excluding School Department personnel by $200,000.

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Showers Tonight, Tomorrow Expected To Break Heat Wave

7/24/61

A week-long stationary weather system has been pumping hot, moist air into the Berkshires, causing the highly humid weekend. The United States Weather Bureau in Pittsfield said stationary systems usually stay for only four or five days, but the present high pressure formation has been sitting on the area for more than a week.

Relief from the spell is expected on Wednesday, preceded by thunder showers tonight and tomorrow, said the bureau.

13,500 at Beaches

No temperature records were broken this weekend, but the 84-degree, 100 per cent humidity on Saturday, and the 87-degree, 90 per cent humidity yesterday resulted in brow-mopping and rush to local recreational facilities.

An attendance high for the year was reported by the Parks and Recreation Department, as Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert said about 13,500 persons visited Pontoosuc and Onota Lake beach and picnic areas. He said the public parking lots were filled by 3 p.m. Unable to reach the beach, people turned to the cooler state forests and mountain peaks. Some 4,500 relief seekers hit the beaches on Saturday.

Three rescues were reported at Pontoosuc Lake yesterday—none of a serious nature. Onota Lake was free of bather mishaps.

About 30,000 persons attended concerts at Tanglewood this weekend, while a reported 800 last night heard Cannonball Adderly, saxophonist, at Music Barn in Lenox.

Librizzi

DRIVEN BY HEAT WAVE, the largest crowds of the season sought relief yesterday at the city's beaches at Onota and Pontoosuc lakes. Here are seen some of the bathers who cooled off at Burbank Park, Onota Lake. 7/24/61

Senior Citizens

GE Pensioners Give Concert Attended by 80

Eighty attended a concert by the GE Pensioners' orchestra recently at the Senior Citizens' Center. The concert was made possible by the donation of a piano by Mrs. Martha Waterman.

Impromptu concerts, mostly initiated by Mrs. Waterman and Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy, also have been held at the center.

The center has new draperies, made by Mrs. Edward F. Ladd and Mrs. Georgette Mouhat, from donated fabric.

A recent food sale cleared $93.81 to be added to the activity fund. Volunteer workers for the week were Mrs. David Morrison and Mrs. R. D. Bousquet.

G. G. Pilblad of the Newton & Barnfather Funeral Home set up chairs for center members and members of the Golden Age Club during the Firemen's Muster parade yesterday.

Boating Club Plans Picnic

The Pittsfield Boating Club will hold its first annual picnic Sunday, at the home of Commodore Al Boryta, Narragansett Avenue. As this is a shore home, members may come by car or by boat.

Activities will start at 1 p.m. A parade of boats will start at 2 followed by a "Log Race" on Pontoosuc Lake. All members are asked to bring a compass and speedometer.

A beginners' and an old-timers' water ski contest will be held. Prizes will be given for all events. Free water-skiing lessons will be given to members.

The picnic will be at 4. This is a private club picnic for members in good standing only. Mr. and Mrs. William Nesbit of Lanesboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frary of Lenox are cochairmen of event.

Next directors meeting to be Aug. 1. The next scheduled boat trip will be Aug. 13 to Lake George.

Turnverein Band Plays Tonight In Park Square

7/29/61

The 31-piece Turnverein band will present its third Park Square concer of the summer season tonight from 8 to 9:45.

Robert R. Briggs will conduct the band in popular and march selections and will feature music from the Broadway shows, "May Fair Lady" and "The Sound of Music."

Ernest St. John, comanager of the band, announced that the band will use their newly acquired three-microphone hi-fidelity sound system during the rest of the Park Square concerts.

The concert is sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and musicians union, Local 109.

Eagles Band At Lake Sunday

7/29

The Eagles' Military Band will be featured Sunday afternoon in a Pontoosuc Lake concert. The concert will begin at 2 p.m. and continue to 3:45. The eighth in a series of eleven, the concert is sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and Local 109 of the Musicians' Union.

Turnverein Band In Lake Concert

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The Turnverein Band will be featured tomorrow afternoon in an outdoor band concert at Pontoosuc Lake. The band will be conducted by Robert R. Briggs, local music teacher, and the program will feature popular selections and marches.

The concert, from 2 to 3:45 p.m., is sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation. This is the third in a series of 11 outdoor band concerts.

Band Concert Tomorrow Night

7/11

The Turnverein Concert Band will be featured tomorrow evening in a Park Square band concert beginning at 8. Robert R. Briggs will conduct the band.

The concert is sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and Local 109 of the Musicians Union.

Program Set For Pontoosuc Jazz Concert

The program for the second annual jazz concert by Berkshire County orchestras to be held at the public swimming area of Pontoosuc Lake Sunday afternoon from 1:30 to 3:30 was announced today by chairman Tom Scannell.

The concerts, which is free to the public, is being sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and Musicians Union, Local 109, through a grant by the Musicians' Performance Trust Fund.

The program will begin with Tommy Scannell's Berkshire All-Stars playing a series of Dixieland numbers: "Marchin' and Swingin'", "The Wolverine Blues," "Up Lazy River," "The Original Dixieland Centipede," "Old Man Mose" and "When the Saints Go Marching In."

Other Numbers

This will be followed by the Nick Melle Trio playing "How High the Moon," "Bernie's Tune" and "The Blues."

The Eastover Jazz Quartet will play "Isn't It Romantic," "Sometimes I'm Happy," "It's Almost Like Being in Love" and "Hoot."

The second half of the program will consist of Dick Russo's band playing: "Copley Square," "Fast Company," "Fascinating Rhythm," "The Play Is Memory," "Artistry Jumps" and "The Maids of Cadiz."

The participants are all musicians living in the Berkshire area. Some are full-time musicians, others earn part of their income by playing music nights and weekends, others are college students home on summer vacation.

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Will Yeats Memorial?

FAIR OR FOUL

By Roger O'Gara

WILLARD YEATS, dead at 53, wasn't even a fair athlete, but he was a big man in one Pittsfield sport.

That was swimming. He and a handful of dedicated men did much to bring competitive swimming back to respectability in this city. For years he was a member of the Boys' Club committee. He wasn't the name-lending type either. He worked at it.

He spent hours of his free time in arranging hundreds of details — transportation, budgets, records, equipment, correspondence. You name it. He did it.

Never robust, he wasn't in particularly good health in the last several years. He didn't complain, though. And he didn't resign. No one knew how hard he worked for the young swimmers. A friend was surprised when he started to go over Will's papers several days after Will had died.

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A MINOR SPORT like swimming (and the adjective isn't used to deprecate value or importance) needed men like Will Yeats here.

For unless youngsters are given chances to compete with their age equals from other communities, they never know how good they are.

Will Yeats helped greatly to provide those opportunities.

It certainly would be fitting for the swimming committee to name a major annual race after him and to set up a trophy with his name on it.

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WHAT IS the biggest meet on our calendar?

Is it the big winter one at the Boys' Club? Or is it the summer outdoor event at Pontoosuc Lake?

Whatever it is, the most important race on the program should be designated as the Will Yeats memorial event.

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WILL DERIVED great satisfaction when his son, Willard Jr., became one of the better area competitors in the water sport.

The important thing to note is that he was on the Boys' Club swimming committee before this young man could take a stroke. And he stayed on it after young Will went to Brown University, where he recently completed his junior year.

Will also was an ardent Pittsfield High fan. He was especially fond of football, and missed very few games over the last four decades.

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HE WAS a close friend of Chuck Stewart, long-time PHS three-sport coach.

Will's devoted wife, the former Mildred Prodgers, is a sister of Col. John (Bud) Prodgers, former Pittsfield High and Brown University star football end. Col. Prodgers came here from Washington, D.C. for Will's funeral.

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AN OPEN LETTER to Jim Tripodes, manager of the Great Barrington American Legion team of the Inter-State Baseball League, is written by Francis A. Chichetto Jr., president of the Berkshire County Semipro Baseball League and playing manager of the Pittsfield entry in that circuit.

Commenting on a letter written recently by Tripodes, Chichetto said, "Last winter, I mailed out eight letters to managers throughout the county. The Barrington Legion was included. Each letter stated that at some future date, the proposed Berkshire County Baseball League would be formed.

"Shortly after I had received answers from all the interested teams, I released my initial press communique to Roger O'Gara of The Eagle. It stated that Dalton, Lee, Lenox, North Adams, Pittsfield and Great Barrington were interested. In my second communique, the following week, I further stated that Dalton and Lee were no longer interested and that Cheshire and Becket were. Hence before our first meeting the interested teams were North Adams, Lenox, Becket, Cheshire, Pittsfield and Great Barrington.

"Within a week, the first of three meetings was held at the CYC in Pittsfield. May I say "your local fans" that Great Barrington's "stormy but too busy" Jim Tripodes was not there. Nor did he see fit to attend the following two meetings. Finally the Berkshire County Semipro Baseball League was formed with Pittsfield, Lenox, Becket and Cheshire as affiliates.

"In conclusion, may I suggest that the fans from Great Barrington appropriate a "James Tripodes Fund" in order that he may subscribe to The Eagle. Thus when some future sports extravaganza is offered, he will read it first in The Eagle.

"I hope I have answered all questions as to why the Barrington Legion was not admitted to our league. I hope these valid facts are sufficient proof as to who really is right.

"If you wish to carry our vendetta from The Eagle to a baseball diamond, at some future date and at your convenience. I would welcome such a meeting."

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CHRIS GALLAGHER, shortstop for the Civitan team in the West Little Baseball League, compiled quite a hitting streak in recent games. He had 18 base hits in a row before he reached on an error in the fifth inning of Sunday's game with M & B Electric. Among his hits were two home runs.

This must be a record. Little League started in Pittsfield in 1950. There have been some stratospheric batting averages over the years, but we can't recall anyone coming close to the figure Chris made.

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TOMMY BOLKO, whose triple gave Chicopee High the run that meant a 3-2 win over St. Stephen's High of Worcester in the Western Massachusetts final, is the same young man who hit that distant home run against Pittsfield High at Clapp Park. The ball landed on the roof of a barn after clearing the fence by many feet.

Bolko, a catcher, is a switch-hitter. He batted left in the PHS game. He also was swinging from that side when he made the big hit against St. Stephen's.

City, County Swimming Meet Set for Saturday, Aug. 12

7/25/61

The 15th annual City of Pittsfield and Berkshire County outdoor swimming meet will be held at Pontoosuc Beach Saturday afternoon, Aug. 12, at 1:30, it was announced today by the Department of Parks and Recreation. The event will be cosponsored by The Eagle.

There will be no entry fee. All competitors in the city championship events must be residents of Pittsfield, but the Berkshire County events are open to anyone. Competitors may enter only two events designated for their group.

Medals will be awarded to the top three in all events.

The city championship events will be: midget division (10-years-old and under) 25-yard freestyle, 25-yard backstroke and 25-yard breaststroke; junior division (11- and 12-years-old) 25-yard freestyle, 25-yard backstroke, 50-yard freestyle, and 50-yard breaststroke; intermediate division (13- to 15-years-old) 50-yard freestyle, 50-yard backstroke, 100-yard freestyle and 50-yard breaststroke and senior division (16- to 18-year-olds) 100-yard freestyle, 50-yard backstroke, 50-yard breaststroke and 50-yard butterfly (boys only).

The Berkshire County championship events will be: junior division (11- to 13-years-old) 50-yard freestyle and 50-yard backstroke; intermediate division (14- to 16-years-old) 50-yard freestyle and 50-yard backstroke, 50-yard breaststroke, 100-yard freestyle.

Entry blanks are available at the Department of Parks and Recreation office at Springside House; at the beachmasters' office at Onota and Pontoosuc Lakes, and at Crane and Springside pools. All entries must be returned by Monday, Aug. 7 and should be mailed or delivered to John C. Marchesi, supervisor of recreation for the Department of Parks and Recreation, 874 North St.

Swimming Lessons Registrations To Open

7/9/61

Registration for the second session of swimming lessons will be held on Monday and Tuesday, it was announced today by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Registration will be taken from 9 a.m. until noon either by telephone or by coming in person to the Department of Parks and Recreation office, Springside House, 874 North St.

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Public Beaches Not Supervised, Hebert Warns

Parks and Recreation Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert reported that as of yesterday the public beaches at Pontoosuc and Onota lakes are closed and, consequently, there are no life guards there. Having observed a large number of young people swimming at the lakes yesterday, he felt that mothers should be aware of this fact so that youngsters might be properly supervised, if they continue to go swimming.

Swimming Permission Blank

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I hereby give permission to _____ to participate in the swimming classes to be conducted by the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department.

_____
(Signature of Parent or Guardian)

Return to staff member at Pontoosuc or Onota Lake at first session.

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COOL AFTERNOON at Pontoosuc Lake on a weekday produced this unbusy scene. In the background is Mt. Greylock, cooler yet.

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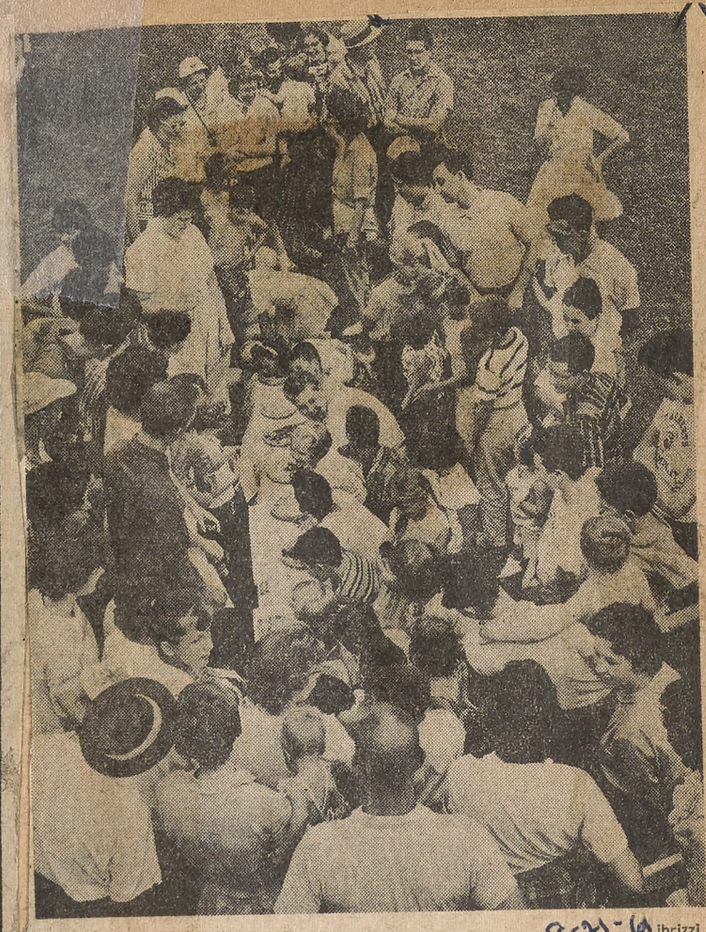
WITH A BANG—500 of them, to be exact—Pittsfield wrote finis last night to its official celebration of the city's 200th anniversary. Fireworks, postponed from last Saturday, drew thousands to Clapp Park for the spectacular finale.



8-21-61 Librizzi

PIE-EATING CONTEST embroiled about a dozen boys and girls at Clapp Park during yesterday afternoon's bicentennial family picnic, which turned out to draw far fewer people than its sponsors expected. The count showed about 200, half of them children. Youthful scorekeepers in various events at the picnic turned in somewhat garbled reports, but apparently tagged Harry Klein as fastest eater of pies.

Playground Circus Day Is Friday

8-19-61

Season Concludes With Events at Deming, Springside

The Parks and Recreation Department will conclude the 1961 playground season Friday with the annual Circus Day program scheduled for Deming and Springside parks.

Trophies and awards for the entire season for all playgrounds will be presented at ceremonies at the two parks.

Play-offs in all sports leagues will be concluded during the week. In midget boys' softball, Coolidge will play Springside Tuesday morning at 9:30 in the second of the best-of-three series. Coolidge won the first game. If a third game is necessary it will be played Wednesday.

Volley Ball

The finals in the 13-and-under volley ball league for girls will start Tuesday morning at 9:30 with Springside Park playing Clapp Playground at Clapp. The second game will be played Wednesday morning at 9:30 at Springside, and if a third game is necessary, it will be played Thursday.

The second game in the best-of-three series for the trophy in the 16-and-under girls' volleyball league is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon at 2 at Springside between Springside and Osceola. Osceola was the winner in the opening game played yesterday.

The third game has been scheduled tentatively for Thursday.

The finals in the girls' 17-and-under softball league will be played between Springside and Deming at Springside on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 6:30.

Arts and Crafts

Monday morning West Memorial, afternoon Highland.

Tuesday morning Allendale, Allen Heights, Crane, afternoon Springside, Wahconah, Dewey.

Wednesday morning Common, Coolidge, Pitt, afternoon Lakewood, Deming, Root, Abby Lodge.

Thursday morning Lebanon, Osceola, Clapp, afternoon Pontoosuc, Wilson.

Music and Dance

Monday mornitng Deming, afternoon Pontoosuc.

Tuesday morning Allen Heights, afternoon Wilson.

Wednesday morning Osceola, afternoon Lebanon.

Thursday morning West Memorial, afternoon Springside.

Archery (All Day)

Monday Clapp, Tuesday Coolidge, Wednesday Allendale, Thursday Springside.

Archery Contest Semifinals Set For July 12-18

7/11

Semifinals in the annual William Tell archery shoot sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation will be held July 12 to 18 at city playgrounds, it was announced today by Carolyn George, archery director.

City finals will be held July 20 at Clapp Park. Trophies will be awarded to first-place winners with ribbons going to those placing second and third.

The contest is open to anyone between the ages of 10 and 18 who knows how to use a bow and arrow. Age divisions will be: Midgets, 10 to 12 years old; juniors, 13 to 15, and seniors 16 to 18. Participants may use their own equipment or that of the Park Department.

Each person in the contest will be given six chances to hit an apple which will be placed on the head of a dummy; one participant from each playground will qaulify for the finals.

75 Attend Square Dance

8-18-61

Approximately 75 youngsters and adults participated in the annual square dance festival of the city playgrounds conducted last night at the Jewish Community Center. This year's event was one of the most successful in recent years, it was announced by the Department of Parks and Recreation, sponsor of the event.

Austin P. Gaylord of Paula Avenue was caller and instructor for the evening.

An exhibition group for the playgrounds did a few numbers to get activities under way. The group included: Cathy and Philip Glassanos of 140 Windsor Ave., Paul Hermanski of 117 Allengate Ave., Jodie Sacchetti of 255 Dalton Ave. and Michele Marano of 24 Allengate Ave., all of Allen Heights Playground; Timothy Hannigan, 53 Winship Ave., from Pontoosuc Playground; and Robert and Patricia Lee of Mohegan Street, from Wilson Playground.

Cookies and punch were served. Cooperating in conducting the event was the Berkshire Square Dance Association.

Playgrounds' Circus Day To Be Friday

8-23-61

Circus day, the last day of the Pittsfield playground season, will be held at Deming and Springside parks this Friday.

Parks going to Deming for the afternoon are Deming, Lebanon, Osceola, Clapp, Abby Lodge, Root, Lakewood, Common, Allendale and West Memorial.

Attending circus day at Springside will be Springside, Pontoosuc, Wilson, Highland, Wahconah, Crane, Allen Heights, Coolidge, Pitt and Dewey.

Youngsters should register at the assigned parks at 2:30 p.m. Special contests and activities, including the orange, sack and pilot races and a tug of war, have been planned for the afternoon.

Awards for the various summer playground activities will be made at both areas. There will be refreshments.

Gaylord To Call For Playground Dance Festival

8-16-61

Austin C. Gaylord of 50 Cleveland St., president of the Berkshire Square Dance Association, will be caller at the Playground Square Dance Festival tomorrow evening from 7 to 8:30 at the Jewish Community Center.

Included in the evening's activities will be round, square and folk dancing. Instructions will be given in square dancing.

An exhibition group from the playgrounds will perform some of the more popular square dances. The group will be made up of youngsters from Wilson, Pontoosuc and Allen Heights playgrounds.

Each playground will have different colored bow ties for the boys and hair ribbons for the girls, it was announced by Maureen Hannigan, director of the festival. The ties and ribbons are to add color and atmosphere to the event and will also help in identifying the younger children.

A special invitation has been made to parents of the playground youngsters participating in the festival. The event is free and open to the public and refreshments will be served.

Tickets Offered Children for Comic Opera

7/31/61

Fifty tickets have been given to the Department of Parks and Recreation for a new comic opera, one in a series of Young Audiences concerts presented by the South Mountain Association.

Tickets for the Wednesday afternoon performance of "The Pet Shop" by Vittorio Rietti were given to the Park Department by Mrs. Willem Willeke, musical director of the association.

Because of the limited number of tickets, all children interested in attending are asked to contact Maureen Hannigan, music and dance supervisor for the Park Department, through their playground leaders.

Children, who have signed up at their playgrounds, are asked to meet at Pittsfield High School Wednesday afternoon at 2:15, where transportation will be provided to South Mountain.

The opera will be performed by the Hawthorne Opera Players.

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Diane Wins Bike On Playground Trip

8-17-61

Diane Boulais, nine, of 173 Dewey Ave., was the winner of a girl's bicycle awarded in a drawing held as a high-light of Dewy Playground's first excursion on Wednesday.

The drawing was held at Mountain Park in Holyoke where a group of children from the playground had gone by chartered bus, for a day's outing.

8-10-61

FORMULATING PLANS for the fourth annual Berkshire County open archery tournament Sunday are, seated from left to right, Joseph A. Collins, Berkshire Hills Archery Club; Carolyn George, archery supervisor for Park Department; and Edward Burnett, Berkshire Bowmen. Standing, from left, are Clifford Keefner, Buckhorn Bowmen; Richard Pucko, Berkshire Hills; Jack Lahey Jr., Berkshire Hills; James Towart, Central Berkshire Bowmen.

Archery Tourney To Be Sunday

The Department of Parks and Recreation has announced plans for the fourth annual Berkshire County Open Archery tournament. It will be held on Sunday at Clapp Park beginning at 1:30 p.m. The event is cosponsored by the Berkshire County Bowman's Council and the Department of Parks and Recreation.

There will be six elasses in the men's division and one class in the women's division, with trophies awarded to first place winners in each class and plaques awarded to the second and third place winners. The archers will be classified according to the National Field Archery Association standards. There will be an open class for those who are not classified. In the women's division there will be just an open class.

An entry fee of $1 will be collected at Clapp Park at the Registration desk. Post entries will be accepted at Clapp until 1 p.m. on the day of the tournament. The alternate date for the tournament in case of rain will be Monday evening at 6 p.m.

Registration blanks are available are: Bernie's, Ernie's, Dick Moon's and Pittsfield Sporting Goods stores, Besse-Clarke and from Ralph Williams, 34 Pomeroy Ave., all in Pittsfield, and at Kenyer Archery in Great Barrington.

George T. Farley Appointed Principal of Briggs School

6/15/61

George Thomas (Tom) Farley, a sixth grade teacher at Pomeroy School, last night was named principal of Briggs School.

The action was taken at the monthly meeting of the School Committee in the High School.

He was chosen from nine candidates. There was no discussion at the meeting, and the vote was unanimous. He was recommended by Supt. of Schools Edward J. Russell.

Mr. Farley has been in the Pittsfield school system since 1950. He is a graduate of Holy Cross, and has a master's degree from North Adams State College. He is president of the Pittsfield Teachers Association.

Mr. Farley married the former Margaret Therese Nesbit of this city, and they have five children. The family lives at 113 Brown St.

Librizzi

George T. Farley

Mrs. Delaiti Succeeds Boland

Also appointed at the meeting was Mrs. Nancy B. Delaiti as supervisor of art in the junior and senior high schools. She succeeds Robert M. Boland, whos resignation was accepted last night and who will teach next year at Berkshire Community College.

She has taught school 10 years, 6 of them in Pittsfield. She is now at South Junior High School. She is a graduate of Oberlin College and has a master's degree in art from Columbia. She has also taken library science work at Simmons College. She has taught in programs sponsored by the Berkshire Arts Center.

A letter from Francis J. Moynihan, High School basketball coach, concerning a raise in pay, was referred to the salary subcommittee.

A request for extra pay to cover work done on records during the summer was granted James D. Fenn, adjustment counselor. He was given $500. Last year Mr. Fenn received $480 for similar work.

Other Business

A request from custodians for additional vacation time was tabled for further study. The custodians are asking for a two-week vacation for service up to five years, three weeks from the fifth to 10th year of service, and four weeks thereafter.

The committee filed a petition from 10 citizens urging that it reconsider its action in turning down a request from High School football coach Nicholas J. Morris that a position of director of athletics be created and that he be appointed to it. It was filed at the request of Committeeman Edward S. Harubin, who had made the original motion, and who felt he had a personal interest in the matter. He was unable to attend last night's meeting. It will be taken up at a special meeting the committee has scheduled for July 12, at which it will consider several matters.

All resignations of teachers presented were aprpoved. They were listed in Tuesday's Eagle.

A third appointment was granted Bernard M. Kelley, a teacher at Central Annex.

Golfers Banned From City Parks, Hebert Warns

Pittsfield's parks and playgrounds are not to be used as golf courses, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation, warned today.

"We have been getting almost daily complaints about golfers using the play areas, especially on the Common, Clapp Park and at North and South Junior High Schools," Mr. Hebert said. "I would like parents and children to know that as of today the no-golf rule will be strictly enforced."

Mr. Hebert said that golf endangers the safety of non-players using the recreation facilities and also creates a maintenance problem for his department because of the damage to turf. He said he hoped that eventually Pittsfield would have a municipal golf course and driving-range facilities.

Pre-School Children Ruled Off Playgrounds Unless With Adults

7/6/61

The Department of Parks and Recreation issued a statement today asking the cooperation of parents in not allowing their preschool age youngsters on the playgrounds unless in the company of an adult. The playground leaders cannot take the responsibility of caring for the youngsters.

In the past, older brothers and sisters were allowed to bring preschool age children on to the areas and to care for them; however, this practice has not been successful.

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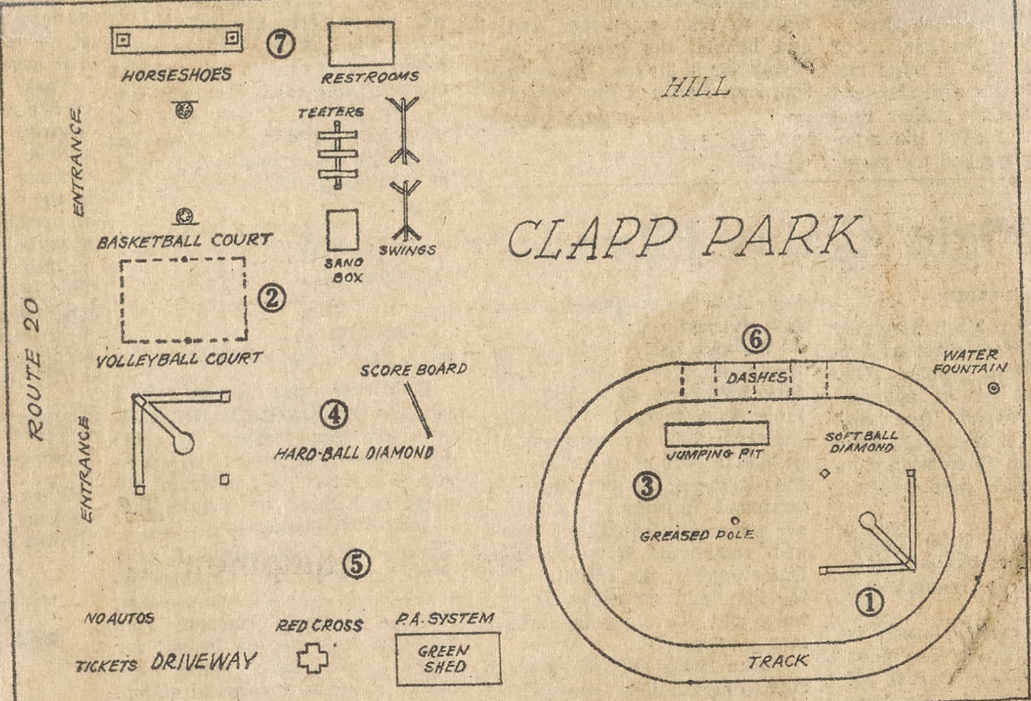
Plouffe

PREPARING FOR arts and crafts show at Dewey Playground are Miss Mary Jane McGovern, arts and craft supervisor, assisted by Mark Murphy, Eleanor Cohen, Irene Dubiski and Ernestine LaDouceur. The display is in the Berkshire Gas Company's Bank Row windows until Monday. Awards will be presented to the winners on Circus Day, Aug. 25. Children from the city's 20 playgrounds have entered potholders, puppets, pins and paintings.

Clapp Park Carved Up for Family Picnic

8-18-61



Clapp Park has been marked out in seven activity areas for sports events that will be features of Sunday's bicentennial family picnic, which is open free to the public.

The affair will start at noon and continue — officially — until 5. Families are expected to bring box lunches; no cooking can be permitted because of park restrictions.

Clapp Park is in Pittsfield on West Housatonic Street (Route 20).

Miss Jean Loveland of the Parks and Recreation Department designated the various activity areas for the map above, prepared by Eagle artist Jack Rice. Miss Loveland, with five assistants, will supervise the various sports activities. Ribbons for the first four places will be awarded in each event.

Among other picnic attractions, lemonade and watermelon will be distributed at a nominal fee—ranging down to two cents—and soft drinks will be sold.

Picnic arrangements were made by a group under Mrs. Myron Adelson working for the Pittsfield Bicentennial Committee.

Miss Loveland's sports plans are keyed as follows to the park map, with numbers referring to designated ares:

1. Softball diamond. Father-son baseball, base-running contest, water-walking race, throwing and catching water balloons.

2. Volleyball court. Mother-daughter volleyball games, beach-ball volley, straw caroms race, straw Kleenex race, egg-spoon race.

3. Inside of track. Clothes race, sack race, three-legged race, orange race, tug of war.

4. Near scoreboard. Saltine race, balloon bust, newspaper fashion show, toilet-paper roll.

5. Hardball outfield. Greased pole, balloon race, potato race, rolling-pin throw, playground-ball throw.

6. Track near pits. Broad jump, 25-yard dash, hop-step-jump, egg throw, pilot race.

7. Horseshoe pits. Miscellaneous activities.

Boulevards Bow in Finals Of Tourney

Spalding Club Triumphs 6-5 On 3 Cheap Runs

8/4

Boulevard Cafe of Pittsfield lost to the Spalding Co. team of Chicopee 6-5 in the finals of the Western Massachusetts Class B. softball tournament Tuesday night at Manning's Field in Fairview.

Bruce Mendal pitched a five-hitter for the Pittsfield team, but was the victim of shabby support. Spalding rallied to win by scoring three runs without a hit in the bottom of the sixth inning. The losers committed seven errors.

Eddie O'Hearn and Terry MacCartney with three and two hits, respectively, led the Pittsfield attack. Churck Loyer was the all-around star for Spalding. Although he was touched for eight hits, he struck out seven. He drove in his team's first two runs with a double in the first inning.

The line score:

				R	H	E
Spalding	300	003	x—6	5	2	
Boulevard	102	020	0—5	8	7	

Loyer and Silvia; Mendel and Robarge.

Mastercraft Tops Coachman 4-1 Behind Miller

7/15

Behind the four-hit pitching of Bing Miller, Mastercraft Tile Co. defeated the Yellow Coachmen 4-1 last night at Brown Street Field in the first game of the Morningside Softball League play-offs. Monday night the Tilemen will face Rainbow Restaurant for the first half title.

Joe Wrzesinski was the offensive star for the winners with a single, triple and home run. John Gamberoni tripled for the Coachmen. Clem Lacy allowed only six hits in the losing cause.

Rainbow Wins In Softball Over LeBlanc's

The Rainbow Restaurant turned 16 hits into 14 runs last night to beat LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. 14-8 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field. LeBlanc's had only three hits, but was issued 18 walks.

Roger Dean led Rainbow at the plate with a single, a double ,a triple and five runs batted in. Bob Davis, with a triple and two singles, and Al Chapman, with a double and two singles, also were outstanding.

Cam Jacobs and John Manship failed to bat officially for the losers. Jacobs was walked four times, and Manship was walked three times and was hit once.

The Yellow Coachmen will play Emily's Snack Bar tonight.

The line score:

				r	h	e
Rainbow Cafe	303	422	—14			
LeBlanc's	200	010	5— 5			

Gardner, Burzimati and Chapman; McConkey, Maloy and Manship.

Bernie's Wins 25-2 In Slow Pitch Play Over Bank Team

7/11/61

Bernie's Sporting Goods pelted the Pittsfield National Bank 25-2 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Norm Caribo and Charlie Monterosso had four hits apiece for the winners. Winning pitcher Bill Delphia had a shutout for the first six innings.

Sonny Bruno had two hits for the losers.

The line score:

				R	H	E
BERNIE'S	630	822	4—25			
BANK	000	000	2— 2			

Delphia and Phillips; Campoli and Izzo.

Wilson Fans 7 Men in Row

8/9/61

Berkshire Auto, Mold & Tool Play To Tie in CSL

Gene Wilson, until recently a resident of Winston-Salem, N.C., struck out seven straight Berkshire Auto batters last night in pitching American Mold & Tool to a 6-6 tie in a City Softball League game at Deming Field. The bespectacled right-hander's feat occurred from the first through the third inning. Play was halted at the end of the seventh because of impending darkness.

In all, Wilson fanned 11 men. He and his mound rival, Johnny Enright, each threw four-hitters. Enright had two of the hits off Wilson. Both were bunts. Only two of the runs off Wilson were earned. Mold & Tool also profited, making two unearned scores.

The big blows were a bases-loaded triple by Bill Perkins of Mold & Tool in the second and a two-run double by Bert Gibby of Berkshire Auto in the fifth.

Wildness plagued both pitchers. Enright walked seven, all in the first three innings. Wilson passed eight.

This was the second tie between these teams.

There will be no league game tonight.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Auto	000	420	0—	6	4	3
American Mold & Tool	050	100	0—	6	4	5

Wilson and Pickard; Enright and Gable

LeBlanc's Has Six-Run Burst In 12-4 Win

MORNINGSIDE SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Mastercraft Tile Co.	2	0	1.000
Yellow Coach	2	1	.667
LeBlanc's Windows	2	1	.667
Rainbow Restaurant	1	1	.500
Emily's Snack Bar	0	1	.000
Eaton Paper Co.	0	3	.000

7/29/61

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday—Rainbow vs. Mastercraft
Tuesday—Eaton's vs. Yellow Coach
Wednesday—Emily's vs. LeBlanc's
Thursday—Eaton's vs. Rainbow
Friday—Emily's vs. Eaton's

LeBlanc's window and Siding Co. broke open a close game with a six-run sixth inning to down Eaton Paper Co. 12-4 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night. Dick Larouche's grand slam home run was the crucial blow. Other offensive heroes for LeBlanc's were Tony Cultrera with three singles, and Marty Kelly with a triple and a single.

Beginning Monday night all games will start at 6:15.

The line Score:

				R	H	E
LeBlanc's	230	106	x—12	15	1	
Eaton's	001	003	0— 4	9	2	

McConkey and Manship; Hover and Perachi.

Rainbow Tops Eaton's, 4-2, In Morningside

Rainbow Restaurant scored two runs in the sixth inning to defeat Eaton Paper Co., 4-2 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

The runs came with two outs, when Bob Davis walked, Al Chapman reached on an error and Al Newman Jr. doubled.

Ronnie Richards, pitching his first game for the Restaurantmen, allowed only two hits, RBI singles by Bill Mason and Tom Lee in the third inning.

Tonight Eaton's meets Emily's Snack Bar.

The line score:

				R	H	E
Rainbow	010	102	x—4	7	2	
Eaton's	002	000	0—2	2	2	

Richards and Chapman; Lee and Perachi.

Eagle Cafe Walks To Win In CSL Game

8/8/61

Leaders Score Their Three Runs Without a Hit

Eagle Cafe walked leisurely to a one and one-half game lead in the City Softball League race by packing all its scoring into one big base-on-balls inning as it edged Berkshire Auto 3-2 last night at Deming Field. Trailing 2-0 going into the bottom of the fifth inning, the pace setters drew six passes from diminutive southpaw Butch Potter in that inning. Three came with the bases full.

Twenty-three-year-old Potter, who was celebrating the birth of his second child, a daughter, limited the powerful Eagles to a pair of infield hits. Furthermore, he had three safeties himself as lead-off man.

However, wildness proved his undoing. He just couldn't locate the plate after retiring two of the first three men he faced in the fifth. Five successive walks followed.

The losers made eight hits off fireball Joe DeAngelis. A pass, singles by Bobby Hunt and John Enright and Bert Gibby's double meant two runs in the fourth.

There were five double plays. The losers made three. Third baseman Hunt made the defensive gem when he took a hit away from Eddie DeAngelo with a neat back-hand stab of a torrid grounder in the third. Both teams played errorless ball.

Berkshire Auto will oppose American Mold & Tool in a league game tonight at 6:15 at Deming.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	000	030	0—	3	2	0
Berkshire Auto	000	200	0—	2	5	0

J. DeAngelis and DeAngelo; Potter and Tetlow.

Berkshire Mutual Tops Life 11-9 In Extra Innings

7/24/61

Berkshire Mutual needed an extra inning last night to beat Berkshire Life in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park 11-9.

Mike Mole paced Mutual with three hits, one a home run. Bob Steiner had three hits and Dave Rainey had four RBIs for the winnners.

Everett Heiss headed Life with three hits.

Monday night Bernie's Sporting Goods will play Berkshire Life.

The line score:

Mutual	131	021	03—	11		
Life	000	061	11—	9		

Kiley and Eksuzian; Welsh and Stanley.

Bernie's Defeats Berkshire Life In Comeback, 17-6

7/25

Bernie's defeated Berkshire Life 17-6 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night, after trailing 5-1 at the end of four innings. Charlie Monterosso had four hits for the winners, including a home run, and Jim Farry and Junior Clark also had home runs. Tom Smith hit a homer to spark the losers' attack.

Highway Dept. will meet Berkshire Mutual in a league game tonight at 6:30.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
BERNIE'S	010	046	6—17	16	1	
BERKSHIRE LIFE	320	001	0— 6	12	3	

Boulevards Take CSL Lead On 5-2 Win

8/1/61

Mendel Pitches Five-Hitter Against Auto Club

Boulevard Cafe leads the City Softball League race today following its 5-2 win over Berkshire Auto last night at Deming Field. However, Eagle Cafe, which has held the advantage most of the time in recent weeks, can climb into a first-place tie by beating American Mold & Tool tonight at 6:15 at Deming.

Bruce Mendel pitched effectively for the Boulevards, allowing only five hits and walking but one. The runs off him were unearned. Bill Jakacky threw a seven-hitter for the losers. He passed three. Only one of the winners' runs was earned.

Frank Costanzo homered in the sixth inning for the Boulevards. Terry MacCartney had two hits for the winners, John Enright the same number for the losers.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	100	301	x—5	7	2	
Berkshire Auto	020	000	0—2	5	7	

Mendel and Daly; Jakacky and Tetlow.

Rainbow Tied For Loop Lead On 5-3 Win

8/11/61

The Rainbow Restaurant, behind the two-hit pitching of Milt Gardner, became the fourth team tied for first place in the Morningside Softball League as it topped Mastercraft Tile 5-3 last night at the Brown Street Field.

Fran Devanney led the Rainbow team with a triple and a single. Ted Burzimati backed him up with two singles.

Gene Catalano had a double which scored two runs, and Ray Goyette had a triple to pace Mastercraft. The line score:

RAINBOW	001	301	0—5
MASTERCRAFT	030	000	0—3

Gardner and Chapman; Miller and Wrzesinski.

Dick LaRouche Leads League

7/24

Dick LaRouche of LeBlanc's Window and Siding Company led the Morningside Softball League in batting during the first half with an average of .552.

Joe Knappe of Mastercraft was runner-up with .500, Jack Navin of LeBlanc's was third with .469.

Twenty-three players hit .320 or better.

Mastercraft defeated the Yellow Coachmen and the Rainbow Restaurant in a triangular play-off for the title.

The schedule for this week: tonight, Yellow Coachmen vs LeBlanc's; tomorrow, Emily's vs Eaton's; Wednesday, Rainbow vs Coachmen; Thursday, Mastercraft vs. LeBlanc's; Friday, Eaton's vs LeBlanc's.

The standings and the averages:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Mastercraft Tile Co.	9	3	.750
Rainbow Restaurant	7	4	.636
Yellow Coachmen	7	4	.636
LeBlanc's Window & Siding Co.	4	6	.400
Emily's Snack Bar	4	6	.400
Eaton Paper Corp.	1	9	.100

Most Hits—LaRouche 16, Navin 15.
Home Runs—Sherman 3, Wrzesinski 2, Faye 2.
Triples—Knappe 6, Sherman 3, R. Munger (Coachmen) 3.
Doubles—LaRouche 4, Wrzesinski 4, Kennedy 3, Gans 3.

	AB	H	Pct.
LaRouche (LeBlanc's)	29	16	.552
Knappe (Mastercraft)	20	10	.500
Navin (LeBlanc's)	32	15	.469
Roche (Eaton's)	22	10	.455
Wrzesinski (Mastercraft)	31	14	.451
Sherman (Coachmen)	31	13	.419
Gans (Emily's)	34	14	.412
Kettles (Eaton's)	22	9	.409
Gamberoni (Coachmen)	22	9	.409
Farley (Mastercraft)	25	10	.400
Faye (Mastercraft)	35	14	.400
Devanney (Eaton's)	20	8	.400
Schmidt (Mastercraft	23	9	.391
Jacobs (LeBlanc's)	28	10	.357
Pires (Coachmen)	23	8	.348
Crennan (Emily's)	26	9	.346
Davis (Rainbow)	29	10	.345
Pierson (Rainbow)	29	10	.345
Burzimati (Rainbow)	21	7	.333
Ostrigis (Mastercraft)	33	11	.333
Manship (LeBlanc's)	27	9	.333
Barnes (Coachmen)	25	8	.320
Chapman (Rainbow)	25	8	.320

Eagle Cafe Ties for 1st In CSL Race

8/2

Joe DeAngelis Throws One-Hitter In 2-0 Victory

Eagle Cafe again is tied for first place in the City Softball League race today following its 2-0 conquest of American Mold & Tool last night at Deming Field. Hard-throwing Joe DeAngelis held the losers to one hit, and struck out 12.

The Eagles will have a chance to gain a one-half game lead as they oppose Berkshire Auto tonight at 6:15 at Deming.

The only hit off DeAngelis was a solid single by opposing pitcher Gene Wilson in the sixth inning. Such a performance by DeAngelis was necessary to best Wilson's effort. Wilson yielded only four scratch hits. Had he received decent support, the game still might be going. He struck out seven and walked only one. DeAngelis passed four.

The Eagles' first run was a tainted homer in the first by Frank DeAngelis. Frank hit a routine fly ball that the left fielder misjudged badly. Frank also had another hit, a bunt.

The other run by the winners also was cheap. It came in the sixth when Bud Turner completed the circuit when the left fielder permitted a bloop single to roll through his legs to the fence.

The line score:

				r.	h.	e.
Eagle Cafe	100	001	x—2	4	1	
American Mold & Tool	000	000	0—0	1	2	

J. DeAngelis and DeAngelo; Wilson and

Boulevards Win 12-4, Stay in Race

7/25

Terry MacCartney Has Perfect Night Against M & T

Scoring in five of its six turns at bat in a 14-hit barrage, Boulevard Cafe stayed in contention in the City Softball League race by overwhelming American Mold & Tool 12-4 last night at Deming Field. The victory put the Boulevards only one game behind the pace-setting Eagle Cafe, which will oppose Berkshire Auto in a league game this evening at 6:30.

Former Pittsfield High infielder Terry MacCartney led the winners at bat with a perfect four for four. Harry Wesley of the Boulevards hit an inside the park home run in the sixth inning. Frank Costanzo, Tom Gagne and pitcher Bruce (Deucer) Mendel had two hits apiece for the winners.

Ed Peterson led the losers with a pair of safeties.

Play was called at the end of six innings because of darkness.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
BOULEVARD CAFE	431	201—	12	14	3	
MOLD & TOOL	040	000—	4	7	7	

Mendel and Daly; Kolodziej and Mayer.

Water Department Defeats Bernie's

7/20

The Water Department had little trouble in defeating Bernie's Sporting Goods 7-1 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

Jim Pierce and Al Goerlach had three hits apiece to lead water. Pitcher John Marchesi worked five shutout innings before giving up Bernie's only run in the sixth.

Bill Delphia had two hits for the losers.

Tonight the School Department will play the Pittsfield National Bank.

The line score:

				r	h	e
Water	112	101	1—7			
Bernie's	000	001	0—1			

Marchesi and Pierce; Delphia and Phillips.

Rainbow Beats Emily's 14-13 In Morningside

7/20

The Rainbow Restaurant outlasted Emily's Snack Bar last night to win the first game of the Morningside Softball League second-half 14-13 at the Brown Street Field.

Al Newman Jr. stood out for Rainbow with a triple, two doubles, a single, three runs scored and four RBIs. Al McLean had a home run and a single for the winners.

Bob Davis, with a triple and a single, and Ray Pierson, with a double and a single paced Emily's.

Mastercraft Tile Co. will meet Eaton's Paper Corp., tonight at the Brown Street Field.

The line score:

Rainbow	401	603	0—14
Emily's	008	230	0—13

Gardner, Newman and Chapman; Cook and Ditello.

Mastercraft Tile Tops Emily's 12-1 In Softball Game

6/14

Mastercraft Tile Co. last night made 10 hits in crushing Emily's Snack Bar 12-1 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Joe Knappe, giving up only four hits for the winners, also paced the offense with two triples. Don Ostrikis backed him up with a triple and a single. Joe Wrzinski had a double and a single.

Fran Woodin, with a double, had the losers' only extra base hit.

Tonight the Yellow Coachmen will play the Rainbow Restaurant.

The line score:

Mastercraft	123	402	—12
Emily's	000	001	0— 1

Eagle Cafe Triumphs 5-1, Takes Lead

6/13/61

Bob George Holds Boulevard Cafe to 5 Hits, Fans 8

Eagle Cafe leads the City Softball League race by the waferthin margin of one-half game today following its 5-1 conquest of Boulevard Cafe last night at Deming Field. It was the second win against one loss for the Eagles, and gave them the slight advantage over Boulevard and Berkshire Auto, who are tied for second with one-one records.

Big Bob George pitched effectively all the way for the winners, allowing only five hits, fanning eight, and walking five.

The lone run for the losers was unearned. It stemmed from two errors in the opening inning.

Frank DeAngelis led the Eagles' attack with two hits. Dick MacCartney had three of the Boulevard safeties.

Berkshire Auto will oppose American Mold & Tool in a league game tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	202	100	—5	6	5	
Boulevard Cafe	100	000	0—	1	5	3

George and F. DeAngelis; Mendel and Robarge.

Berkshire Mutual Wins 18-4 Game In Slow Pitch

Berkshire Mutual buried the School Department 18-4 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Ted Eksuzian led the barrage with a first-inning grand slam home run. Bob Steiner and Ed Blake paced the winners with four hits apiece.

Earl Hatch had three hits for the losers.

Tonight the Fire Department will meet the Water Department.

The line score:

Mutual	442	323	x—18
School	202	000	0— 4

Clark and Eksuzian; Catalano and Dwyer.

CSL Game Ends In 14-14 Tie

6/24/61

Darkness Halts Berkshire Auto, Mold & Tool

After five successive losses, American Mold & Tool almost won a City Softball League game last night at Deming Field. However, after it had rallied to tie the score with one out and the bases full in the bottom of the seventh inning against Berkshire Auto, the umpires called the contest because of darkness. The final count was 14-14. Play lasted two hours and 20 minnutes.

The Mold & Tool team scored three runs in the seventh. Mold & Tool had an 11-6 margin in hits, but also led in errors 5-3.

Norman Charland of Mold & Tool drove in five runs with three hits. One was a double.

The schedule for next week:

Monday—Boulevard Cafe vs. Berkshire Auto.
Tuesday—Eagle Cafe vs. Mold & Tool.
Wednesday—Mold & Tool vs. Boulevard.
Thursday, Auto vs. Eagle.
Friday, Boulevard vs. Eagle.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Auto	100	461	2—14	6	3	
American Mold & Tool	251	210	3—14	11	5	

Potter, Jakacky and Martini, Enright; Pickard, Kolodziej and Perkins.

Water Department Sinks School Team In 18-3 Contest

7/6/61

The Water Department, with Al Goerlach leading the attack with three hits, crushed the School Department 18-3 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Jerry Doyle and Ray Charland contributed home runs to the winners.

Jack Carroll had two hits for the School Department.

Tonight Pittsfield National Bank will meet Berkshire Mutual Insurance Co.

Water	1202	004	0—18
School	102	000	0— 3

Pravia and Higgins; Catalano and Quinlan.

Auto Outfit Wins on Hit By Pitcher

7/6/61

Jackacky's Single In Sixth Defeats Tool Team 3-2

Pitcher Bill Jackacky's single in the bottom of the sixth inning scored the run that gave Berkshire Auto a 3-2 victory over American Mold & Tool in a City Softball League game last night at Deming Field.

Jackacky and Butch Potter had two hits apiece for the winners. Butch O'Lari and Sam Mayer led the losers with two safeties each.

League-leading Eagle Cafe will oppose American Mold & Tool in a league game tonight at 6:30 at Deming Field.

				R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Auto	002	001	—3	9	3	
Amer. Mold & Tools	000	002	0— 2	5	4	

Jackacky and Gable; Kolodjiez and Perkins.

Rainbow Beaten 8-0 by LeBlanc's In Morningside

6/13/61

Behind the six-hit pitching of Jerry Cullen, LeBlanc's Siding & Window last night handed the Rainbow Restaurant its first loss of the season 8-0 in a Morningside Softball League game played at the Brown Street Field.

Marty Kelly, with a double and a single, and Dick LaRoche, with two singles, led the winners.

Tonight Emily's Snack Bar will meet Mastercraft Tile Co.

The line score:

LeBlanc's	050	010	2—8

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Feigner's Team Beats City League Stars 6-5

7/31/61

By ROGER O'GARA

Pittsfield's City Softball League All-Stars came within a change of pitchers of achieving a feat of large proportions at Wahconah Park Saturday night. They were on the threshold of a second successive conquest of the famed King and His Court before an enthusiastic but disappointing assembly of 850.

They led 3-1 entering the seventh and final inning, but succumbed 6-5 as Eddie Feigner's outfit scored five times.

Feigner Fans 19

Gene Wilson and Bob George, two well-proportioned right-handers, held the talented road club to one run through six innings. Then Tommy Potter, a diminutive left-hander, went to the mound. The Feigner outfit slammed him for three hits, and these along with an error, a base on balls and a hit batsman enabled the desperate pros to escape what would have been a real humiliation.

Feigner, who had vowed in a pre-game talk that the 1960 result wouldn't happen again, pitched considerably better than he prognosticated. Mixing blinding speed with a real "raise" ball and an occasional slow curve, he struck out 19.

The 33-year-old master showman also was the hitting star. He had five safeties, exactly the number the Pittsfield team made off him and one half of his club's output. Included were a pair of doubles.

If a man can swing in the right groove against Feigner's fireball, he can get himself a home run. That's because the combination of a power cut and the speed of the pitch will send the ball into an unprotected outfield.

Three Home Runs

Three Pittsfield players made such connections. They were Johnny Enright, Frank DeAngelis and Bobby Hunt. Enright and DeAngelis hit solo jobs to center and left center in the first and fourth, respectively, and Hunt's went to center with a mate aboard and one out in the seventh.

This raised hopes that Pittsfield could go ahead for the third time during the evening, but Feigner bore down to fan the next two batters.

Feigner walked only two men. One of these came while he was pitching blind-folded.

Feigner had two singles in the seventh. Al Jackson and Mike Meilicke also singled in that fruitful turn. Hits brought in only two of the runs. A pass and a hit batsman forced in scores with the bases loaded, and Jackson's sacrifice fly to right accounted for the run that eventually decided.

Good Pitching

Wilson, a recent arrival from Winston, N.C., held the visitors to six hits and one run in the first four innings. George, the winner over them last year, threw no-hit, no-run ball through the next two innings. His only problem was wildness. He walked two in the fifth. He set the side down in order in the sixth.

Enright made a great play at third for Pittsfield in the fourth. He knocked down Feigner's torrid smash, lost his footing, but pegged Eddie out from a sitting position.

The score:

KING AND COURT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jones, ss	9	2	1	0	4	0
Meilicke, c	7	1	3	19	1	1
Feigner, p	8	1	5	1	0	0
Jackson, 1b	8	2	1	1	0	0
	32	6	10	21	1	1

CITY LEAGUE STARS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
DeAngelo, ss	3	0	0	0	4	0
Turner, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Gordon, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Enright, 3b	1	1	1	0	2	1
Shogry, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1
F. DeAngelis, rf	3	1	2	4	0	1
Peterson, 1b	2	1	0	6	0	0
Scherben, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Hunt, lf	2	2	1	3	0	0
Perkins, c	1	0	1	3	0	1
Gable, c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Wilson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
George, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Potter, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pickard, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	5	5	21	8	4

KING AND COURT	000	100	5—6
CITY LEAGUE STARS	100	110	2—5

RBI—Jones, Meilicke 2, Feigner, Jackson, Enright, DeAngelis, Hunt 2. 2B—Feigner 2. 3B—Perkins. HR—Enright, DeAngelis, Hunt. SB—Hunt 2. SAC—Jackson. LOB—King and Court 10, City League Stars 1. BB—Feigner 2, Wilson 1, George 2, Potter 1. SO—Feigner 19. HO—Wilson 6 in 4 innings, George 0 in 2, Potter 3 in ⅓, Pickard 1 in ⅔. HBP—Potter (Meilicke). WP—George, Potter. PB—Gable. L—Potter. U—Coppolino and Pierson. T—1h, 22m.

Fire Dept., Overwhelmed By Bernie's

6/24/61

CITY SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Water Department	4	0	1.000
Berkshire Mutual	3	1	.750
Bernie's Sporting	3	1	.750
Highway Dept.	2	1	.667
School Dept.	1	2	.333
Berkshire Life	1	3	.250
Fire Dept.	0	2	.000
Pittsfield National Bank	0	3	.000

Bernie's Sporting climbed into a second-place tie with Berkshire Mutual in the City Slow Pitch Softball League by trouncing the Fire Department 20-3 last night at Clapp Park.

King led Bernie's with a home run and four RBIs. O'Brien and Delphia had four hits apiece for the winners.

Kruger led the Fire Department with two hits.

The Fire Department will oppose the Pittsfield National Bank in a league game Monday night at Clapp.

				R.	H.	E.
Bernie's	792	011	—20	21	3	
Fire Dept.	000	201	0— 3	8	3	

Delphia and Rogers; Armstrong and Coty.

Boulevard Cafe Ties for First

6/17

The Boulevard Cafe softball team defeated American Mold and Tool 13-8 last night at Deming Field to go into a tie for first place with Eagle Cafe in the City Softball League. Both have won three and ost one.

Boulevard was trailing 8-5 in the ourth inning when Bruce Mendel elieved Bud Daly on the mound. lendel finished up without giving p another run and only two hits. erry McCartney had a triple, ouble and single for the winners.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
oulevard	032	170	—13	9	6	
old and Tool	062	000	0— 8	9	5	

Water Department Crushes Bank In Slow Pitch

7/27

The Water Department, with home runs by Jerry Doyle and Ray Charland, easily beat the Pittsfield National Bank 16-4 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game last night at Clapp Park.

Bob Murphy had two hits for the losers.

Tonight, the School Department will play the Fire Department.

The line score:

WATER	350	530	x—16
PITTSFIELD	000	201	1— 4

City Stars Are Selected For Game Against Feigner

7/20

The City Softball League All-Stars, who will oppose Eddie Feigner's four-man team under lights at Wahconah Park Saturday night, July 29, at 8 have been selected. The choices were made by the four league coaches.

The first team will be: Doug Hugabone, Eagle Cafe, first base; Bud Turner, Eagle Cafe, second base; Terry MacCartney, Boulevard Cafe, shortstop; Dick MacCartney, Boulevard Cafe, third base; Bob Hunt, Berkshire Auto, left field; Eddie O'Hearn, Boulevard Cafe, center field; Frank DeAngelis, Eagle Cafe, right field; Bill Perkins, American Mold & Tool catcher

Bruce Mendel of Boulevard Cafe, Bob George of Eagle Cafe and Tom Potter of Berkshire Auto have been chosen as pitchers.

This second team was picked: Harold Linker, Boulevard Cafe, first base; Doug Gordon, Berkshire Auto, second base; Joe DeAngelis, Eagle Cafe, shortstop; John Enright, Berkshire Auto, third base; Tom Gagne, Boulevard Cafe, left field; Joe Scherben, Eagle Cafe, center field; Tom Murphy, Berkshire Auto, right field; Bob Gable, Berkshire Auto, catcher.

Leo DeAngelis of Eagle Cafe and Paul Wilson of American Mold & Tool were named coaches.

Eagle Cafe Moves Ahead In CSL Race

7/20

Boulevard Cafe Seeks To Tie For 1st Tonight

Eagle Cafe is one-half game ahead in the City Softball League's see-saw race, but Boulevard Cafe can climb into a deadlock for the top by beating Berkshire Auto tonight at Deming Field. Starting time will be 6:30.

The Eagles edged last-place American Mold & Tool 7-6 in a thrilling contest last night.

The winning run was made by Bud Turner, who opened the sixth inning with a triple, and scored on a tag-up after a pop fly to the second baseman in shallow right field.

Mold & Tool threatened with two outs in the seventh on three successive walks. However, pitcher Joe DeAngelis retired the next batter on a foul pop-up. DeAngelis held the opposition hitless after relieving starter Doug Hugabone with no outs in the sixth.

Mike Latura had two hits for the winners, and made a spectacular catch of a long fly. Joe Scherben also came up with a fielding gem in the Eagle outfield.

Ray Kolodziej made two hits for the losers.

The line score:

Boulevards Win in 10th At Westover

7/19

Boulevard's City Softball League contenders defeated the Westover Air Force Base 4-1 in 10 innings Sunday afternoon at Westover.

Doug Hugabone held Westover to four hits. His mates made only seven off Joe Loyer, but three in a row plus an error in the top of the 10th accounted for the winning margin. Loyer was fast, striking out 13.

A single by Eddie O'Hearn in the sixth inning tied the score for the Pittsfield team.

Don Mendenhahl had two of the losers' hits.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	000	001	000	2—	4	7	0
Westover Air Force	001	000	000	0—	1	4	1

Hugabone and Daly; Loyer and Barry.

Highway Wins 9-7 Over Life Team

7/14

The Highway Department, led by Joe Hodlin's two hits and two RBIs, defeated Berkshire Life 9-7 last night in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

Harry Beaudin had three hits for the losers.

Tonight the School Department will face Berkshire Mutual.

The line score:

Highway	201	060	8—9
Berkshire	250	000	0—7

Squeeze Bunt By Mike Scipione Wins for Eagles

Mike Scipione's squeeze bunt brought in the third and deciding run as the Eagles beat the Orioles 3-2 yesterday morning in a Park Department Midget Baseball League game on the Common. Butch LeClair went the route for the victory.

Art Fowler had two hits for the winners. Don White smashed a triple for the Orioles.

The line score:

				R.	H.
Eagles	111	00	— 3	4	
Orioles	002	000	— 2	3	

13-Run Inning In CSL Game

7/2

Berkshire Auto Pounds American Mold & Tool 18-1

A 13-run sixth inning capped Berkshire Auto's 18-1 win over American Mold & Tool in a City Softball League walkaway last night at Deming Field.

Former St. Joseph's High and North Adams State basketball star Billy McKeever led the winners at bat with three hits in five swings, including an inside-the-park home run. He batted in four runs.

Art Gwinnell and Butch Potter limited the losers to five hits.

Eagle Cafe and Boulevard Cafe will renew their first-place fight tomorrow night at 6:30 at Deming. The Eagles currently lead the runner-up Boulevards by a full game. There will be no action in the league tonight.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Auto	400	1013	x—18	12	0	
American Mold & Tool	100	00 0	0— 1	5	1	

Gwinnell, Potter and Gable; Pickard and Perkins.

Mastercraft Wins Title In Softball

7/19

The Mastercraft Tile Co. scored three runs in the second inning last night and then coasted to the first half championship of the Morningside Softball League by beating Rainbow Restaurant 6-2 at the Brown Street Field.

Don Ostrikis had two singles and Tom Farley a long triple to pace the winners' attack. Each drove in one run. Milt Gardner, with a fourth-inning home run, drove in the losers' two runs.

Ray Pierson was outstanding defensively for Mastercraft.

Bing Miller allowed only three hits as the winning pitcher.

Tonight Emily's Snack Ban and Rainbow Restaurant will being the second half of the league.

Mastercraft	031	001	1—6
Rainbow	000	200	0—2

Miller and Wrzesinski; Gardner, Newman and Chapman.

Park Softball Will Include Three Leagues

4/25/61

Blanks Available For Registration; Loops Close May 8

Application blanks for the Park Department softball leagues, the City League, the Slow-Pitch League and the Morningside League, now are available at the Springside House on North Street.

The Slow-Pitch League, 21 years old and older, will be open to all teams this year. In the past, it has included only municipal departments.

Applications will close Monday afternoon, May 8 at 5.

Eagle Cafe Wins 17-8 As CSL Opens

6/7/61

Defending Champs Rally To Top Mold And Tool Team

Eagle Cafe's defending champions rallied to defeat American Mold and Tool 17-8 in the City Softball League's season opener last night at Deming Field.

Behind 7-0 at the end of three innings, Eagle Cafe scored in its next four turns at bat. It culminated the uprising with an eight-run splurge in the seventh.

Big Joe DeAngelis, who came on in relief of starting pitcher Roe Blais in the third inning, struck out eight and limited the losers to three hits and one run the remainder of the way.

The winners' attack was led by Bud Turner, Joe Scherben and Blais. Each had three hits.

Berkshire Auto will oppose Eagle Cafe in a league game tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

		R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	000 432 8	17	17	1
American M. & T.	412 000 1	8	9	2

Blais, J. DeAngelis and F. DeAngelis; Robinson, Perkins, Garner and Perkins, Garner.

Morningside League Meeting Tomorrow

3/9/61

The first organizational meeting of the 1961 season of the Morningside Softball League will take place tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Department of Parks and Recreation office at 874 North St.

Berkshire Mutual Tops Highway 7-3

6/1/61

Berkshire Mutual won its second game of the season last night downing the Highway Department 7-3 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp park.

Gene Eksuzian paced the winners with two hits, one a home run. Bob Steiner had two hits and three RBIs for Mutual.

Charlie Abrial, with two hits, led the losers. One his was a two-run homer.

Tonight Water Department will meet the Pittsfield National Bank.

The line score:

Mutual	030 022 0	7
Highway	010 000 2	3

Mastercraft Belts Eaton's In Softball

6/6/61

The Mastercraft Tile Co. clicked for 10 runs in the first two innings last night to beat Eaton Paper Corp. 18-7 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street field.

Joe Knappe, the winning pitcher, had three triples and a double to aid his cause. Jerry Schmidt, Joe Wrzinski and Perch Kennedy each had three hits for the winners.

The losing pitcher was Tim Lee.

Tonight, LeBlanc's Siding and Window Co. will play the Yellow Coachmen.

Mastercraft	460 007 1	18
Eaton's	000 060 1	7

Bernie's Wins 21-0 In Slow Pitch Softball League

6/13/61

Bernie's Sporting Goods crushed the Pittsfield National Bank 21-0 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Caribou, Delphia, King and Monterosso paced the winners.

Tonight the Highway Department will play the Water Department.

The line score:

Bernie's	4182 000	21

Mastercraft Tile Grabs 2nd Place In Morningside

6/26/61

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rainbow Restaurant	4	1	.800
Mastercraft Tile Co.	5	2	.714
Yellow Coachmen	4	2	.667
LeBlanc's Windows	3	3	.500
Emily's Snack Bar	1	4	.200
Eaton Paper Co.	1	6	.142

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tonight—LeBlanc's vs. Coachmen.
Tomorrow—Rainbow vs. Eaton's.
Wednesday—Emily's vs. Coachmen.
Thursday—LeBlanc's vs. Mastercraft.
Friday—Rainbow vs. Emily's.

Mastercraft Tile Co. gained undisputed possession of second place in the Morningside Softball League by defeating LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. 4-2 in a game at the Brown Street Field Friday night.

Bing Miller starred for the winners by pitching a seven-hitter and hitting two singles.

Marty Kelley had a home run for LeBlanc's.

Mastercraft	200 020	0—4
LeBlanc's	010 001	0—2

Miller and Catalano; Cullen and [illegible]ship.

LeBlanc's Wins Morningside Game by 19-7

6/16/61

LeBlanc's Siding and Window Co. exploded for 14 runs in the fifth and sixth innings last night to trounce Emily's Snack Bar 19-7 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Dick LaRoche, Cam Jacobs, Jack Navin and Benjy Noquiera led the winners with four hits apiece. Dick Chapman added a double, a triple and a home run.

Tonight, Mastercraft Tile will play Rainbow Restaurant.

The line score:

LeBlanc's	160 007	19
Emily's	022 300	7

Bernie's Stops Berkshire Life In Slow Pitch

6/6/61

Charlie Monterosso, with three hits and two RBIs, paced Bernie's Sporting Goods to a 7-1 win over Berkshire Life in the Park Department Slow Pitch Softball League last night at Clapp Park.

Louis Sweener added a two-run home run for the winners in the fourth.

The line score:

Bernie's	113 200	7
Berkshire Life	010 000	0—1

Big Inning Wins 16-10 For Coachmen

5/25/61

The Yellow Coachmen beat Emily's Snack Bar 16-10 last night in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field. A 14-run third inning put the Coachmen on the highway to victory.

Ed Sherman paced the winners with two triples and a home run. Ray Munger and Bobby Kahn backed him up with a triple and a single apiece.

Chuck Gans had three singles for the losers.

Tonight, Rainbow Restaurant will play Eaton Paper Corp.

The line score:

Coachmen	0014 011	0—16
Emily's	10 3 150	0—10

Rainbow Tops Mastercraft 2-1 in MSL

6/7/61

The Rainbow Restaurant grabbed a one-run lead in the first inning, added another in the seventh, and held on to beat Mastercraft Tile 2-1 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

Ted Burzimati, after reaching on a walk and stealing second, scored the winners' first run on Milt Gardner's single.

A sixth-inning squeeze play by Mastercraft tied the game at 1-1. Jerry Schmidt, on base on Mastercraft's only hit, was driven in by Perch Kennedy.

Roger Dean singled in Al Chapman in the seventh for the winning run.

Tonight the Yellow Coachmen will meet Eaton Paper Corp.

Rainbow	100 000	1—2
Mastercraft	000 001	0—1

Yellow Coachmen Top Eaton's 13-2

6/8/61

The Yellow Coachmen erupted for eight runs in the first two innings last night and went on to beat Eaton Paper Co. 13-2 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Moose Delphia headed the winners' attack with a home run, a double and a single. Ray Munger and Tom Lee paced the losers with two triples, and a triple and a single respectively.

The winning pitcher was Clem Lacey.

Tonight Mastercraft Tile Co. will play LeBlanc's Siding and Window Co.

The line score:

Coachmen	351 200	2—13
Eaton's	000 020	0— 2

LeBlanc's Wins In Morningside Softball League

6/30/61

LeBlanc's Siding and Window Co., although getting only seven hits, picked up 17 walks and belted Mastercraft Tile Co. 14-5 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

Dick LaRouche and Ray Maloy each had two singles for LeBlanc's. Ray Goyette had a triple for the losers.

Tonight Rainbow Restaurant, now leading the league, will play Emily's Snack Bar.

The line score:

LeBlanc's	241 016	0—14
Mastercraft	002 010	2— 5

Cullen and Manship, Knappe, Pellerin and Catalano.

Clinic for Umpires Of Park Leagues Slated Wednesday

5/13/61

The Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department will conduct its first umpires' clinic for the 1961 softball and baseball season Wednesday night at 7:30 at the Common. Anyone desiring to umpire in either softball or baseball for the department is invited to attend.

Joseph Harrison, umpire in chief, for the Park Department leagues, will conduct the clinic.

Slow Pitch League To Meet Monday at 8

5/13/61

The first organizational meeting of the 1961 season for the City Slow Pitch Softball League will be held on Monday night at 8 at the Department of Parks and Recreation office, 874 North St.

LeBlanc's Wins Opening Game In Softball

5/24/61

LeBlanc's Siding and Window Company opened the Morningside Softball League with a 15-11 win over Eaton Paper Co. at Brown Street Field last night.

Bob Vollinger, with a home run, a double and a single, and Jack Navin, with two doubles and a single, led the winners' attack.

Don Hover had three singles and Larry Roche had a home run and a single for Eaton's.

Tonight the Yellowcoachmen will play Emily's Snack Bar.

The line score:

LeBlanc's	400 344	—15
Eaton's	040 131	2—11

School Dept. Tops Bank Team 16-3 In SP Softball

6/3/61

The School Department gave the Pittsfield National Bank a lesson in softball last night as the school team belted out a 16-3 victory in the City Slow Pitch League. Frank Dwyer with three hits and Earl Hatch and Ray Levante with homers paced the school attack. Jim Lenahan had two hits for the bank boys. Berkshire Life and Bernie's Sporting meet Monday.

The line score:

		R.	H.	E.
School Dept.	400 352	16	16	3
Pittsfield National	300 000	3	6	5

Batteries: Catalano and Dwyer; Campoli and Izzo.

City League Opens Softball Slate Tuesday

6/3/61

The Parks and Recreation partment City Softball League will open its season Tuesday night at 6:30 at Deming Field with a game between the 1960 champions, Eagle Cafe, playing American Mold and Tool, a new entry in the league. Linden Auto and Zayre's have dropped out of the loop this year.

The schedule for the rest of the week is: Wednesday, Berkshire Auto vs. Eagle Cafe; Thursday, American Mold and Tool vs. Boulevard Cafe; and Friday, Boulevard Cafe vs. Berkshire Auto. All games will be played at Deming and will start at 6:30.

Late Rally By Auto Club Beats Champs

6/8/61

Five-Run Seventh Means 8-4 Conquest Of Eagle Cafe

A five-run, two-out rally in the top half of the seventh and final inning gave Berkshire Auto an 8-4 win over Eagle Cafe's defending champions in a well-played City Softball League game last night at Deming Field. Four hits, two walks and an error figured in the important run-making.

Standout player for the winners was little Butch Potter, who pitched a strong six-hitter and led his team's attack with three hits. He experienced real difficulty only in the fifth inning when the Eagles scored three times on a single by Leo DeAngelis and long-home runs by Frank and Joe DeAngelis.

Frank was the offensive star for the losers with three hits, all for extra bases. He had a pair of doubles in addition to his home run.

American Mold & Tool will oppose the Boulevard Cafe in a league game tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

The line score:

		R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Auto	000 120	5	8	0
Eagle Cafe	001 030	4	6	3

Potter and Gable; George, J. DeAngelis and F. DeAngelis.

School Team Triumphs 9-3 In Slow Pitch

JUN 23 1961

The School Department, behind Jack Carroll's three hits, beat Berkshire Life 9-3 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Gene Catalano and Eddie Carroll each had two hits for the school team.

Gene Welter paced the losers by belting three hits.

Tonight the Fire Department will meet the Highway Department.

The line score:

School	232 200	—9
Life	000 012	0—3

Catalan and Dwyer; Hall and Stanley.

Tile Team, Coachmen In MSL Opener

The Morningside Softball League will open Monday night at 6:30 at the Brown Street Field with the Mastercraft Tile team, the 1960 champions, playing the Yellow Coachmen.

The remainder of the schedule for next week is as follows:

Tuesday, Eaton Paper vs. LaBlanc's Siding & Windows; Wednesday, Yellow Coachmen vs. Emily's Snack Bar; Thursday, Rainbow Restaurant vs. Eaton Paper.

All games this year will be played at Brown Street Field Monday through Thursday at 6:30 and Friday will be open for rained-out games. Alexander (Scotty) Leslie will again serve as league manager and Mrs. Leslie as scorer.

Coachmen Top LeBlanc's 5-3 In Softball

6/2/61

Although outhit 9-5, the Yellowcoachmen last night defeated LeBlanc's Siding & Window Co. 5-3 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Leroy Fowler, with two singles, and Ed Sherman, with a triple, led the winners at bat. Dick LaRoche topped the losers with a home run and a double.

The line score:

Coachmen	101 111	0—5
LeBlanc's	000 110	1—3

Water Dept. Tops Bernie's 5-2 In Slow Pitch Loop

6/1/61

The Water Department, defending champions of the slow pitch Softball League, stepped off on the right foot with a 5-2 win over Bernie's Sporting Goods last night.

Jerry Doyle and Roger Bowlby had two hits apiece to pace the winners. Louis Sweener had three for Bernie's. The line score:

Water Dept.	002 003	—5
Bernie's	000 110	0—2

Water Dept. Wins 23-7 In Softball

6/8/61

The Water Department washed the Pittsfield National Bank down the drain 23-7 in a Park Department City Slow Pitch Softball League game last night.

Roger Bowlby had three hits and four RBIs for the winners.

Tonight the Fire Department will meet the School Department.

The line score:

Water	460 360	4—23
Bank	223 300	0— 7

Slow Pitch Softball Loop Opens Monday

5/27/61

The City Slow Pitch Softball League will open its season Monday night with Berkshire Life playing Berkshire Mutual. All games will begin at 6:30 and will be at Clapp Park.

The eight-team league includes independent sponsors this year. In past seasons it has been exclusively municipal departments.

The week's schedule:

Wednesday: Bernie's vs. Water Department.
Thurday: Highway vs. Fire Department.
Friday: Pittsfield National Bank vs. School Department.

Berkshire Mutual Wins Slow Pitch Softball Game

6/2/61

Berkshire Mutual trounced Berkshire Life 11-0 last night in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game.

Andy Anderson threw a six-hitter for the win. Bob Steiner and Gene Eksuzian led Mutual with three hits apiece.

Tonight the Pittsfield National Bank will meet the School Department.

Mutual	300 071	x—11

Boulevard, Auto Teams Meet Tonight

6/9/61

Boulevard Cafe and Berkshire Auto are scheduled in the City Softball's presentation tonight at 6:30 at Deming Field.

Last night's game listed between American Mold and Tool and Boulevard was postponed because of inclement weather.

CSL To Try For 1st Game In 3 Nights

JUN 23 1961

After two successive rainouts, the City Softball League will try to present a game tonight at 6:30 at Deming Field. Berkshire Auto is slated to oppose American Mold & Tool. This contest originally was slated for Wednesday evening.

Last night's scheduled game between Boulevard Cafe and Eagle Cafe was a weather casualty.

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Mastercraft Tile Edges Coachmen In Morningside

Two three-run innings made the difference last night as Mastercraft Tile Co. edged the Yellow Coachmen 6-4 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Bob Faye and Don Ostrikis, with three and two singles, respectively, headed the winners at the plate.

Moose Delphia had a long triple to lead the Coachmen.

The Rainbow Restaurant will play Emily's Snack Bar tonight.

The line score:

Mastercraft	320	000	x—6
Coachmen	000	211	0—4

Knappe and Catalano; Lacy and Doucette.

Boulevard Takes Lead

6/20/61

Mold & Tool Team Is Beaten 11-4 In CSL Game

Boulevard Cafe leads the City Softball League with a 4-1 record today after its 11-4 conquest of American Mold & Tool last night at Deming Field.

However, Eagle Cafe, only one-half game off the pace, can climb into a tie for first place by defeating Berkshire Auto tonight at Deming. Game time will be 6:30.

Don Daly, who went the route on the mound for Boulevard Cafe, was effective in every inning except the fifth. In that inning, the losers did all of their scoring and made five of their eight hits. Daly put the side down in order in three innings. He gave only one base on balls.

Eddie O'Hearn led the winners at bat with a long homer and a single. Terry MacCartney also of Boulevard, had two hits. Hitting star for the losers was pitcher Ray Kolodziej with two hits, including an inside-the-park home run.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard	304	013	——	11	9	4
Mold & Tool	000	040	0—	4	8	6

Daly and Robarge; Kolodziej and Garner.

Boulevard Drops Pair To Westover

6/26/61

The Boulevard Cafe softball team lost both ends of a double-header to Westover Air Base Sunday afternoon at Deming Field. The scores were 2-1 and 3-2.

Jim Loyer bested Bruce Mendel in a pitching duel in the opener. An unearned run decided in the seventh and final inning. Don Mendenhall had two hits for the winners, Terry MacCartney and Doug Hugabone the same number each for the losers.

Westover did all of its scoring off Hugabone in the last two innings of the second contest. The key blow was Bob Mitchell's single with the bases loaded.

Harold Linker had three of the five hits that Boulevard made off pitcher Ray Hornsey. One was a home run.

The scores:

Westover	000	100	1—2
Boulevard	000	001	0—1

Loyer and Carey; Mendel and Daly.

Second Game

Westover	000	001	2—3
Boulevard	000	100	1—2

Hornsey and Carey; Hugabone and Daly.

Eaton Paper Upsets LeBlanc's 12-11 In Softball Loop

6/20/61

The Eaton Paper Corp. scored its first victory of the season last night as it upset LeBlanc's Siding & Window Co. 12-11 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Ed Kettles came on in relief for the final four innings and held LeBlanc's to two runs. One of his two singles drove in the winning run.

Jim Devaney, with a home run and a single, and Billy North, with a triple and a single, were other standouts for the winners.

Tonight the Yellow Coachmen will play Mastercraft Tile.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eaton's	610	410	——	12		
LeBlanc's	423	002	0—	11		

Lee, Kettles and Perachi; McConkey and Manship.

Boulevard Leads CSL

6/27/61

Cafe Team Drubs Berkshire Auto By 19-3 Score

The Boulevard Cafe leads the City Softball League race by one-half game today following its 19-3 annihilation of Berkshire Auto last night at Deming Field.

Runner-up Eagle Cafe can re-establish the deadlock for first place by defeating American Mold & Tool tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

An 11-run splurge in the third inning was the foundation piece for Boulevard's easy win. Bruce Mendel held the losers to six hits, and shut them out until the sixth inning when they made all of their runs.

Former Pittsfield High Athlete Eddie O'Hearn led the winners at bat with four hits and as many RBIs. Terry MacCartney, another ex-PHS baseball player, had three safeties for the successful cause.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	0111	030	4—	19	16	1
Berkshire Auto	00 0	003	0—	3	6	7

Mendel and Robarge; Enright and Gable.

Highway Wins 16-0 Over School Team In Slow Pitch

Led by Bob Cooper's home run, triple and two doubles, the Highway Department bombed the School Department 16-0 last night in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

Mel Morehead also had four hits for the winners.

Catalano paced the losers with a pair of singles.

Tonight the Fire Department will meet the Highway Department.

Highway	220	192	x—16
School	000	000	0— 0

Rheaume and Abbott; Peppin and Dwyer.

Fire Department Wins 12-8 Game Over Bank Team

The Fire Department defeated the Pittsfield National Bank 12-8 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Bill Whalen, with a home run, and Charlie Kruger and Buzzy Buzzanco, with four hits apiece, paced the winners.

Sonny Bruno led the bank team with a homer.

Tonight Berkshire Mutual will meet Bernie's Sporting Goods.

The line score:

Fire	016	212	0—12
Bank	020	204	0— 8

Wick and Armstrong; Truran and Campoli.

Berkshire Life Wins Slow Pitch Softball Game

6/20

Berkshire Life, after a slow first inning, came alive last night and defeated Pittsfield National Bank 15-8 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

Tommy Marshall had three hits to lead Life offensively. Gene Walter belted a home run and Welsh had a based-loaded triple to back him up.

The line score:

Life	252	015	—15
Bank	400	022	0— 8

Hall and Stanley; Campoli and Izzo.

Eagle Cafe Leads CSL, Faces Chief Foe Tonight

7/3/61

CITY SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.	GB
Eagle Cafe	7	1	.875	
Boulevard Cafe	6	2	.750	1
Berkshire Auto	2	5	.286	4½
American Mold & Tool	0	7	.000	6½

FRIDAY NIGHT'S RESULT

Eagle Cafe, 6, Boulevard Cafe 0.

WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tonight: Boulevard vs. Eagles.
Wednesday: Mold & Tool vs. Berkshire Auto.
Thursday: Eagles vs. Mold & Tool.
Friday: Berkshire Auto vs. Boulevard.

For the second time this year, Eagle Cafe bested Boulevard Cafe in a battle for sole possession of first place in the City Softball League Friday night at Deming Field 6-0.

The same teams will meet again tonight at 6:30 at Deming. Boulevard can bring about a tie for the top by winning. An Eagle victory would give that team a healthy two-game lead.

Joe DeAngelis and Bob George split the pitching duties for the winners to fashion an effective three-hitter. They struck out six. DeAngelis the winner, worked the first five innings, allowing all three safeties. George spelled him at the start of the sixth, and threw two hitless innings to insure the win.

Hitting stars for the victors were Fred Shogry, Doug Hugabone and Frank DeAngelis, with two apiece.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	401	001	—	6	10	2
Boulevard Cafe	000	000	0—	0	3	4

J. DeAngelis, George and F. DeAngelis, Hugabone, Mendel and Robarge.

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Milt Gardner Has No-Hitter For Rainbow

6/19/61

Restaurant Team Ties for Lead on Win Over Emily's

STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Railbow Restaurant	4	1	.800
Yellow Coachmen	4	1	.800
LeBlanc's Window	3	1	.750
Mastercraft Tile	3	2	.500
Emily's Snack Bar	1	4	.200
Eaton Paper Corp.	0	5	.000

WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tonight—LeBlanc's vs. Eaton's.
Tomorrow—Coachmen vs. Mastercraft.
Wednesday—Rainbow vs. Emily's.
Thursday—Eaton's vs. Mastercraft.
Friday—Mastercraft vs. LeBlanc's.

The Rainbow Restaurant moved into a tie for first place in the Morningside Softball League Friday night as Milt Gardner hurled a no-hit 5-2 win over Emily's Snack Bar.

Gardner doubled in two runs to tie the score in the first inning and scored the winning run on Al Newman Jr.'s single.

Joe Gaudette provided the outstanding fielding play of the game with a running catch of Roger Dean's sure home run in the fourth inning. The line score:

Rainbow	300	020	—5
Emily's	200	000	0—2

Gardner and Chapman; Cook and Difello.

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Pravia Shuts Out Berkshire Mutual In Softball Loop

Mo Pravia turned in a three-hit shutout last night as the Water Department defeated Berkshire Mutual 7-0 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

John Marchesi and Ed Arpante each had three hits for the winners.

Dick Stiles had a double for Mutual.

The School Department will face the Fire Department in tonight's game.

The line score:

WATER	402	010	0—7
MUTUAL	000	000	0—0

Pravia and Higgins; Clark and Palmer.

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Mastercraft Tile Tops Eaton's 15-2 In Morningside

Mastercraft Tile Co. scored four runs in each of the first three innings last night to drub Eaton Paper Co. 15-2 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Joe Knappe gave up only three hits as winning pitcher and belted a triple and a single offensively.

Tom Farley had a perfect night at bat for Mastercraft with a double and two singles.

Tonight Mastercraft will play LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co.

The line score:

MASTERCRAFT	444	021	x—15
EATON'S	000	101	0— 2

Knappe and Catalano; Kettles, Lee and Perachi.

Eagle Cafe Ties for Lead

6/28/61

Mold & Tool Club Is Beaten 13-4 In CSL Game

Eagle Cafe again climbed into a first-place tie with Boulevard Cafe in the City Softball League race by overwhelming American Mold & Tool 13-4 last night at Deming Field. Each of the leaders now has a five-one record.

The Boulevards will attempt to go ahead by one-half game as they oppose American Mold & Tool tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

Doug Hugabone was the all-around star for the Eagles. He pitched effectively until the seventh, and paced the 13-hit attack with a triple and two doubles.

The losers committed 11 errors.

Fred Shogry, Bud Turner and Joe Scherben had two hits apiece for the winners. Ray Mayer made two for the losers, who have yet to win a game.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	042	131	2—13	13	3	
Mold & Tool	100	010	2— 4	5	11	

Hugabone, Shogry (7th) and DeAngelo; Kolodziej and Mayer.

Bernie's Belts Mutual by 16-9

6/28/61

Bernie's Sporting Goods, behind Bill Delphia's home run and four RBIs, defeated Berkshire Mutual 16-9 in a City Slow Pitch Softball game at Clapp Park last night.

Gordon McLeod also had a homer for the winners.

Dick Stile's two triples and Snuffy Potter's home run paced Mutual.

Tonight the Water Department will meet the Highway Department.

The line scores:

Bernie's	290	050	—16
Mutual	203	020	2— 9

Delphia and Phillips; Clark and Burbank.

Cafe Teams Meet Tonight For CSL Lead

Joe DeAngelis Drives In 5 Runs As Eagles Wins

Sole possession of first place in the City Softball League race will be at stake tonight at 6:30 at Deming Field, where Boulevard Cafe will meet Eagle Cafe. Each has a six-one record.

The Eagles set the stage for the big contest last night by defeating Berkshire Auto 6-4 to climb into a tie for the lead. Joe DeAngelis and Bob George were the stars for the victors.

De Angelis drove in five runs. He homered in the first inning. George edged the veteran Jimmy Farry in a pitchers' duel. George yielded only four hits. The Eagles made seven.

6/30/61

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	301	020	—	6	7	0
Berkshire Auto	012	001	0—	4	4	1

George and F. DeAngelis, DeAngelo; Farry and Gable.

Emily's Tops Eaton's 8-7 In Softball

6/16/61

Emily's Snack Bar came up with one run in the fifth inning last night to break a 7-7 tie and held on to defeat Eaton Paper Corp. 8-7 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Both teams scored their seven runs in the third inning.

Joe Gaudette and Harry Crennon had a double and a single apiece to lead Emily's. Billy North, Jim Devanney and Tom Lee had two singles each for the losers.

Tonight the Rainbow Restaurant will meet Emily's.

Emily's	007	010	—8
Eaton's	007	000	0—7

Cook and Gans; Lee and Perachi.

Doucette's Double Drives In 3 Runs As Coachmen Win

The Yellow Coachmen scored three runs in the first inning and then held on to defeat LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. 3-1 in a Morningside Softball League game played last night at the Brown Street Field.

Joe Doucette's double in the first drove in all three runs for the winners.

The rest of the game was a pitching duel between LeBlanc's Jerry Cullen and the Coachmen's Clem Lacy.

Tonight the Rainbow Restaurant will play Eaton Paper Corp.

The line score:

Coachmen	300	000	—3
LeBlanc's	000	000	1—1

Lacy and Doucette; Cullen and Manship.

9-Run 1st Inning Gives Rainbow Easy 22-2 Win

6/28/61

The Rainbow Restaurant erupted for nine runs in the first inning and rolled to an easy 22-2 victory over Eaton Paper Corp. in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

Alan McLean had a double and three singles for Rainbow and was backed by Ray Pierson's homer and single, and Bob Davis' triple and single.

Jim Devaney had a triple for the losers.

Tonight Emily's Snack Bar will meet the Yellow Coachmen.

The line score:

Railbow	911	062	3—22
Eaton's	100	001	0— 2

Gardner, Newman and Chapman; Miller, Kettles and Perachi.

Water Team 13-0 Winner In Slow Pitch

6/16/61

Moe Pravia hurled a four-hitter for the Water Department last night as it sank the Fire Department 13-0 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

Al Charland had two home runs for the Watermen. Al Goerlach contributed four hits to the winning cause.

Tonight the Fire Department will play Berkshire Life.

The line score:

Water	314	500	—13

Pravia and Higgins; Wich and Armstrong.

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Boulevard Leads CSL

6/10/61

Berkshire Auto Is Beaten 16-2 By Cafe Team

CITY SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boulevard Cafe	1	0	1.000
Berkshire Auto	1	1	.500
Eagle Cafe	1	1	.500
American Mold & Tool	0	1	.000

LAST NIGHT'S RESULT

Boulevard 16, Berkshire Auto 2.

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday—Boulevard vs. Eagle.
Tuesday—American vs. Berkshire.
Wednesday—Berkshire vs. Boulevard.
Thursday—Eagle vs. American.

Boulevard Cafe moved into sole possession of first place in the City Softball League by thumping Berkshire Auto 16-2 last night at Deming Field. It was the initial start for the winners. Berkshire Auto now has a one-one mark.

Bruce Mendel held the losers to three hits, and threw a shutout after allowing two runs in the first inning. He struck out two, and walked four.

His mates didn't stay behind long, scoring seven runs in the opening round and six more in the second. Mendel, Terry MacCartney, Eddie O'Hearn and Paul Robarge had two hits apiece for Boulevard.

The score by innings and the batteries:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	760	200	1—16	15	1	
Berkshire Auto	200	000	0— 2	3	0	

Mendel and Robarge; Potter and Gable, Martini.

Blais Stars In 9-2 Win By Eagle Cafe

6/16/61

Victors Take Half-Game Lead In City League

Eagle Cafe moved into a half-game lead in the City Softball League race by defeating American Mold & Tool 9-2 last night at Deming Field. Roe Blais was the all-around star for the Eagles. He pitched a strong four-hitter, and drove in three of the five runs made in a fruitful third inning.

Boulevard Cafe, which was deadlocked with Eagle Cafe for first place prior to last night's contest, will attempt to close the gap as it faces American Mold & Tool tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

Ed DeAngelo led the winners with two hits.

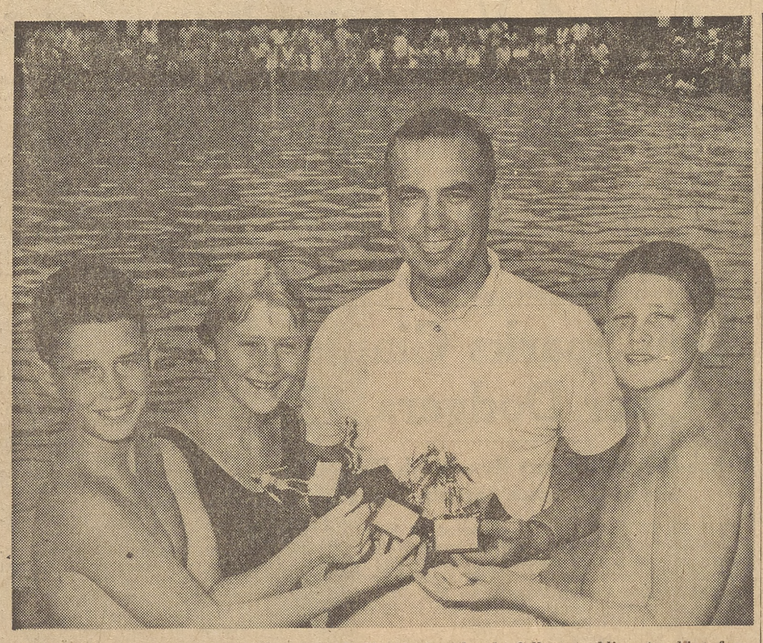
The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	105	201	0—	9	6	4
American Mold & Tool	010	001	0—	2	4	4

Blais and DeAngelo; Deame and Mayer.

Everybody Gets Into The Union's Swim Meet

The Union Awards 84 Trophies to Swim Champs



TROPHIES GALORE—Meet director Phil Shrude has hands full assembling trophies for these three youngsters, each of whom won two awards in The Union's meet Sunday. Left to right are Doug Marvel of Longmeadow, Cynthia Butler of Springfield, Shrude, and Ralph Pelland of Springfield.

Swim Results

Diving (boys, 13-15)—Won by Richard Tetreault, Springfield; Paul Doty Longmeadow, 2d; John Taylor, Springfield, 3d. Winning points—95.15.

Diving (girls, 13-15)—Won by Mary Donohue, Longmeadow; Kathy Trotter Longmeadow, 2d; Toni Bessone, West Springfield, 3d. Winning points—68.95.

Diving (boys, 16-18)—Won by Gerry Falkenberg, Longmeadow; Robert Szenkum, Springfield, 2d; Andre Williams Springfield, 3. Winning points—103.40.

20-yard freestyle (boys 10 and under)—Won by Ricky Scott, Longmeadow; Duane Richter, Longmeadow, 2d; Jimmy Ahrberg, Indian Orchard, 3d. Time—11.0 (new meet record).

20-yard freestyle (girls 10 and under)—Won by Joan Finsilver, Wilbraham; Terry Schumacher, West Springfield, 2d; Beverly Butler, Springfield, 3d. Time—12.8 (new meet record).

20-yard freestyle (boys, 11-12)—Won by Ray Warren, Ludlow; Doug Marvel, Longmeadow and Ray Pelland, Springfield tied for 2d. Time—11.0.

20-yard freestyle (girls, 11-12)—Won by Cynthia Butler, Springfield; Nancy Libiszewski, Ludlow, 2d; Lynn Page, Longmeadow, 3d. Time—11.2.

20-yard backstroke (boys, 11-12)—Won by Tom Kelly, Springfield; Joe Ahrberg, Ludlow, 2d; Charles Ferguson, Longmeadow; 3d. Time—12.7 (ties meet record).

20-yard backstroke (girls, 11-12)—Won by Beverly Bridgman, Springfield; Darleen Johnson, Springfield, 2d; Nancy Libiszewski, Ludlow, 3d. Time—13.1 (new meet record).

40-yard freestyle (boys, 11-12)—Won by Doug Marvel, Longmeadow; Ralph Pelland, Springfield, 2d; Ed Veto, West Springfield, 3d. Time—25.1.

40-yard freestyle (girls, 11-12)—Won by Cynthia Butler, Springfield; Beverly Bridgman, Springfield, 2d; Lynn Page, Longmeadow, 3d;. Hime — 25.0 (new meet record).

80-yard freestyle (boys, 13-15)—Won by Stephen Olson, Springfield; Paul Leming, Longmeadow, 2d; Richard Gray, Springfield, 3d. Time—47.5.

80-yard freestyle (girls, 13-15)—Won by Sue Smith, Springfield; Candy Rock, Longmeadow, 2d; Mareen Caterall, Springfield, 3d. Time—53.5 (new meet record).

40-yard backstroke (boys, 13-15)—Won by Paul Leming, Longmeadow; William Bridgman, Springfield, 2d; Dave Johnson, Springfield, 3d. Time—26.1.

40-yard backstroke (girls, 13-15) — Won by Sarah Appleby, West Springfield; Pricilla Varzeas, Springfield, 2d; Maryann Jennings, Springfield, 3d. Time—27.4 (new meet record).

40-yard freestyle (boys, 13-15)—Won by Ralph Appleby, West Springfield; Richard Gray, Springfield, 2d; William Bridgman, 3d. Time—21.4.

40-yard freestyle (girls, 13-15)—Won by Candy Rock, Longmeadow; Sue Reed, Longmeadow, 2d; Janice Libiszewski, Ludlow, 3d. Time—24.0 (new meet record).

40-yard breaststroke (boys, 13-15)—Won by Daniel Kelly, Springfield; Jim Anderson, Wilbraham, 2d; Jim Harwood, Springfield, 3d. Time—27.2.

40-yard breaststroke (boys, 11-12)—Won by Ray Warren, Ludlow; Ed Solin, Springfield, 2d; Tom Kelly, Springfield, 3d. Time—32.9.

40-yard butterfly (boys, 11-12)—Won by Joe Ahrberg, Ludlow; Ed Solin, Springfield, 2d; Bob D'Agostino, Longmeadow, 3d. Time—28.1 (new meet record).

40-yard butterfly (boys, 13-15)—Won by Paul Doty, Longmeadow; Dan Kelly, Springfied, 2d; Ralph Appleby, West Springfield, 3d. Time—23.0.

40-yard breaststroke (girls, 15 and under)—Won by Sarah Appleby, West Springfield; Linda Scott, Longmeadow, 2d; Darlene Johnson, Springfield, 3d. Time—31.4 (meet record).

40-yard butterfly (girls, 15 and under)—Won by Sue Smith, Springfield; Priscilla Varzeas, Springfield, 2d; Suzette Marks, Wilbraham, 3d. Time—27.7 (meet record).

40-yard backstroke (boys, 16-18)—Won by Dave Smith, Springfield; Jim Page, Longmeadow, 2d; Phillip Daly, Springfield, 3d. Time—23.8 (new meet record).

20-yard butterfly (boys, 10 and under)—Won by Ricky Scott, Longmeadow; Jimmy Ahrberg, Indian Orchard, 2d; Kenny Lessard, West Springfield, 3d. Time—14.4 (meet record).

20-yard butterfly (girls, 10 and under)—Won by Marylou Smith, Springfield; Susan Silvia, Springfield, 2d; Joan Finsilver, Wilbraham, 3d. Time—16.3 (meet record).

80-yard freestyle (girls, 16-18)—Won by Rebecca Otero, Springfield. Time—1.09.2.

80-yard freestyle (boys, 16-18)—Won by Jim Page, Longmeadow, Charles Gray, Springfield, 2d; John Kelly and Dave Smith, Springfield, tied for 3d. Time—46.5.

Five Dual Winners and Nine New Meet Records Feature Ninth Spectacle

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determination in winning the 80-yard freestyle in the 13-15 age group and then bouncing back to take the 40-yard butterfly title. Miss Appleby took a stranglehold on the 40-yard breaststroke and backstroke races, respectively, in the same age groups.

Scott proved he hasn't been neglecting practice by setting a new record in winning the 20-yard freestyle for boys 10 and under in the time of 11.0. Just last summer he tied the existing mark. He also captured the new 20-yard butterfly event.

Adds to Collection

Warren added to a growing collection of trophies for his shelf by taking the 20-yard freestyle and 40-yard breaststroke events among the 11-12 competitors.

Miss Butler marched to the winner's stand first in the 20-yard freestyle and came back later to annex the 40-yard freestyle title in the 11-12 group.

As mentioned, Scott accounted for one new meet record. Other dual champions who cracked marks were Miss Butler, Miss Smith, and Miss Appleby. Add to these record-smashers the names of Joan Finsilver of Wilbraham, Beverly Bridgman of Springfield, Candy Rock of Longmeadow, Joe Ahrberg of Ludlow, and Dave Smith of Springfield and you have a pretty good idea of the continuing success The Union's meet enjoyed Sunday.

Four new events were added this summer and, of course, the times for these go into the record books for future competitors to shoot at. Miss Appleby won the 40-yard breaststroke for girls 15 and under in the time of 31.4; Miss Smith did the 40-yard butterfly for girls 15 and under in 27.7; Scott zipped through the 20-yard butterfly in 14.4; and Marylou Smith of Springfield joined her sister in the winner's circle by capturing the 20-yard butterfly for girls 10 and under in 16.3.

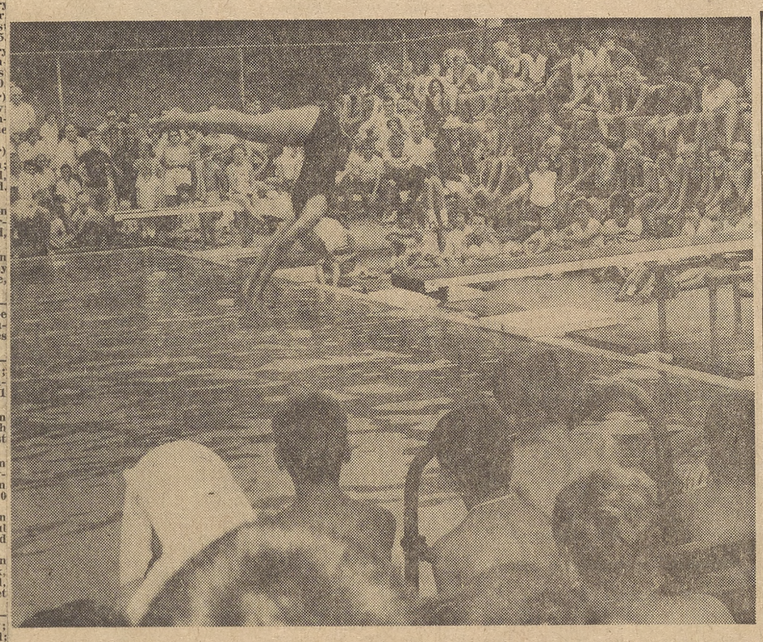
Pittsfield Seeks Revenge

All the Greater Springfield first and the second-place finishers, and in some cases the third-place trophy winners, now look forward to competing champs in The Union's second annual Invitational Meet.

This meet is this afternoon, starting at 1:30, and also will be staged at Emerson Wight. John Marchesi, supervisor of recreation in Pittsfield's Park Dept., will bring his talented array to Springfield seeking revenge. The Greater Springfield stars won last year.

Springfield and Longmeadow, as usual, waged a hot race Sunday for individual area champs. Springfield furnished 12, Longmeadow nine, Ludlow and West Side, three each, and Wilbraham one.

In all, The Union was happy to award 84 trophies.



PERFECT FORM—Mary Ellen Donohue of Longmeadow displays the perfect diving form that won her the 13-15 diving championship Sunday in The Union's meet at E merson Wight.

Rivalries Among Meet Mermaids Bring Record-Shattering Results

By GERRY KEIR

Among the many profitable results of The Union's competition is the fostering of a friendly rivalry between Sue Smith and Candy Rock, a pair of pretty veteran mermaids. Both of them have been competing for four years in these meets, trading victories all along the way.

Sue finished third behind Candy last year in the 80-yard freestyle event for girls between 13 and 15. It was Sue's turn this time, however, as she raced home in meet record time to nip Candy by just a second.

In her other event, the butterfly, Sue also romped home first in setting a meet mark. In doing so, she defeated another of her practice-mates, Priscilla Varzeas.

To top it all off, Mary Lou Smith, Sue's sister, came in first in the 20-yard butterfly.

The performances of these youngsters, who work all summer in preparation for this competition, makes the time and effort worth it.

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Red Silvia, Springfield College swim coach, can look forward to pleasant times in the future if today's meet is any indication. Dave Smith, former Tech High swimming captain who had a win and a third place tie yesterday, will attend SC next year.

Bruce Wright, Western Mass. schoolboy diving champ and a winner last year, hasn't been able to get any work in this season and had to forgo competition. He, too, will be at Springfield in the fall.

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Sorely missed in this year's meet was Harry Feldman, longtime Boys' Club worker who was the announcer for The Union competition for many a meet. Ill this year and unable to attend, Harry was made honorary chairman of the event.

All of his friends on the meet committee missed his presence this year and all wish him a speedy recovery.

Herb Robbins of the Springfield School System handled the announcing chores this year and did a wonderful job keeping the events moving swiftly against nearly impossible odds—namely, 249 excited entrants.

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Another event was added to the meet this year—a diving competition for pooches three and under. This unscheduled addition became necessary when a black-and-white mongrel dog found a way to beat the heat. He jumped into the pool, interrupting the diving events, and it was a few moments before he could be persuaded to leave the water. The judges gave him a score of 3½ for his well-executed dive, and he displayed a wonderful mastery of a basic stroke — the dog paddle of course.

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Mrs. Stanley Appleby of West Springfield was one of the happiest parents present. She works diligently with the West Springfield Y swimming group and was really pleased with the showings of those youngsters.

Among them are her own two children Sarah, who was a double winner, and Ralph, who had a first and a third place. Other members of the close-knit West Side group are Sue Smith and Cindy Butler, both double winners and Priscilla Varzeas who had a second and a third.

The youngsters work out at the "Y" in the winter and at Red Silvia's Pine Knoll Swim School during the summer months.

Mrs. Appleby, who fondly calls the bunch "My Team" says its the year-round work which keeps the kids in such good shape and helps them record the greatest times they have shown.

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Springfield Patrolman Daniel Kelly was a picture of proud parenthood yesterday as he clutched the four trophies won by his two sons Daniel and Thomas. Daniel, who was unbeaten for Cathedral in last winter's schoolboy swim season, had a win and a second and Tom picked up first and third place trophies.

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The swim meet could never have come off but for the tireless work of The Union swim committee. Feted at a post-meet banquet at Santi's Restaurant were meet director Phil Shrude and his lovely daughters Rosemary and Christine, Bob Jennings, Paul Samuelson, Charles Smith, Ed Hayes, James (Red) Bowler, Lou Grimaldi, Mike Pagos, Vern Cox, Bill Lawson, Henry Kelly, Pete Tougias, Bob D'Agostino, Monte Flagg, Bruce Ryder, William Rae, Gene Ruddeforth, Bill and Jim Kavanaugh. All put Bridgman, Jr., Al Santinelli in invaluable time and can be proud of the fine manner in which the meet was handled. The U. S. Air Force Recruiting Station also deserves a word of thanks for provided the much-needed sound equipment.

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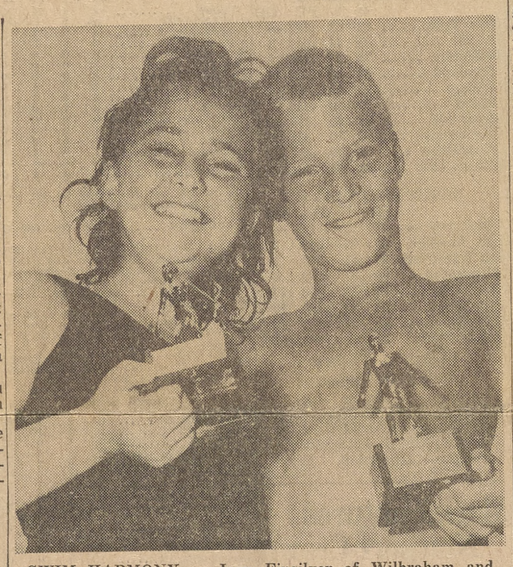
John Marchesi brings his talented Pittsfield squad to Emerson Wight today for the second annual Invitational Swim Meet. All first and second placers in The Union meet are asked to report to the pool not later than 1 p. m.



SWIM HARMONY — Joan Finsilver of Wilbraham and Ricky Scott of Longmeadow are in complete harmony after chalking up triumphs in 20-yard freestyle events for 10 year olds and under. Both established new meet records.

Returns From Fairways

Suffield

SUFFIELD — Al Ende and David Ahern won the member-guest tourney Sunday at Suffield Country Club with a 72. Low net honors went to Bruce Heintz and David Arthur with 80-20—60.

In the best-ball foursome event, Stan Gorman, Steve Kaplan, Walt Martowski and William Stone were the winners with a 61.

Wilbraham

WILBRAHAM — David Clapp and Don Tunstall took low gross honors in the Walter Kenefick Junior Tournament with a 69 gross score Sunday at Wilbraham Country Club. Low net went to T. T. Tunstall and R. Howard with 62. Pete Grazio and Jim Kelley had 63 and Ross Hunt and Sy Gokey had 64.

The winning threesome was T. T. Tunstall, R. Howard and F. Rosso with a 59. Tied with 61's were Bob Rosso, Ron Matson and A. Burgess; and T. Grazio, S. Batchelder and J. Kelley. Posting a 63 were R. Hunt, F. Englen and S. Gokey.

Longmeadow

LONGMEADOW—F. F. Young won the 18-hole medal play tournament Sunday at Longmeadow Country Club with a net 70. Second was F. H. Nelson with 71.

In B division, H. L. Carlisle was the leader with 68, followed by R. E. McCorkindale and J. M. Chalfant with 72's. E. T. Malone won C division with a 68, followed by N. R. Vester, Sr., with a 70.

The Orchards

SOUTH HADLEY — Myron Skolnik and Charlie Smith had a best ball of 61 to win the member-member tournament at The Orchards this weekend. Joe Lukasik and Eddie Pokora had 62 and Tom Morgan and Ray Buratti 63.

The club will hold its annual caddy tournament today.

Tekoa

WESTFIELD — John Geisler won the 18-hole medal play tournament at Tekoa Sunday with a 73-9—64. Bill Giovannini had 76-11—65 and Bill Harraghy a 75-10—65.

Crestview

AGAWAM — Bill Sadowsky retained his club championship Sunday at Crestview Country Club with a 2-up victory over George Cohen. Sadowsky's straight-shooting gave him a 3 up margin at the end of the morning 18 holes. Cohen managed to cut the deficit to one stroke after 28 holes, but Sadowsky applied the finisher on the 35th.

In the nine-hole senior tourney, Lou Lerner was the winner with a 41-8—33. Milton Weinstein was second with 38-4—34, followed by Dr. Maurice Shapiro with 43-8—35.

Ludlow

LUDLOW — The team of Mrs. Jean Nowak, Stan Czub and John Kogut won a lady-pro-member golf tournament at the Ludlow Country Club Sunday with a score of 55. Three teams wound up at 64 to tie for second. They were: Mrs. L. Scibelli, Robert Fleury, T. Tarsa; Mrs. Stan Czub, Ed Bowler, Ike Holbrook; and Mrs. D. Simon, Frank W. Nowak, Mitch Mastalerz. A mystery prize was won by the team of Mrs. Alice Longtine, F. E. Nowak and Bill Shea.

In a best 17 holes tourney, F. M. Nowak, John Zina and Dr. Anthony Sassa tied at 62. In the second division, R. Philip and Lou Turgeon tied at 62.

In the women's tourney, Ann Boyce won in the first division with 63 and Barbara McNeill took the second division with 62.

Southampton

SOUTHAMPTON — Rudy Marek fired a 68 Sunday and is leading the parade for club championship honors at the Southampton Country Club with a total of 143. Seth Bull is second with 145 after shooting a 71 yesterday. In third place now is Roland Rose with 146. He posted a 72 yesterday.

Holyoke

HOLYOKE — Bill Burns with a 79-14—66, copped the medal play handicap tournament at Holyoke Country Club Sunday. Frank Ittner was runnerup, scoring 79-12—67.

George Murray posted an 83-14—69 and was followed by Paul Mosey, 91-12—70 and Greg Graham, 88-18—70. Tied with net scores of 71 were Warren Goss, Fran Beaudry, Bill Clifford, Phil Leary and Jim Dion.

Amherst

AMHERST — Bob Gass and Ray Boyer tied for first in the match play vs. par tournament Sunday at Amherst Golf Club. Both were 1 down. Bob Shumway was 2 down.

In the best-ball threesome tourney, Ted Finn, Howie Mayne and Fred Knowles tied Earl Shumway, Cliff Gibson and Will Beauregard with net 66's.

Oxford

CHICOPEE — Pete Pluta won the 14-holes tournament Sunday at Oxford Country Club with a 57-5—52. In second division, Roland Roy, with 58-8—50, and Fred Dynik, 57-7—50 tied for first. Ray Maynard, Sr., took third division with 68-12—56.

GIANTS DROP TWO

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—End Jerry Richardson and linebacker Jerry Fields were released Sunday by the New York football Giants.

Ciborowski Is Tekoa Champion

WESTFIELD — John Ciborowski beat Ernie Poulin on the first extra hole Sunday to win the championship of the Tekoa Country Club.

Ciborowski knocked his approach shot two feet from the pin on the par four first hole, and when Poulin caught a trap and couldn't get down in two more shots, he gave Ciborowski the putt and the victory. He succeeds George Paiva as champion.

It was a tough one for Poulin to lose and a big victory for Ciborowski, who seemingly lost his chance when he bogied the par five 16th.

This put Poulin one up. They halved 17, with Ciborowski staying alive with a comeback chip after overshooting the green with his approach.

Poulin three-putted the treacherous 18th and the match was square. Both were on the green in two, but Poulin's first putt was strong and he missed a downhiller coming back. Ciborowski got down in two for the equalizer and then won it on the next hole.

The two went around the turn all even and exchanged birds on the 10th. However, Poulin grabbed the lead with a spectacular 40-foot bird from the fringe on the 11th. Ciborowski birdied the par five 15th to tie the whole thing up once more.

Mary Sibley defeated Ardys Farnsworth for the women's championship, 8 and 7 in 36 holes. Mrs. Sibley had medal scores of 76 in both rounds.

In the first division final, Paul Farren defeated Stan Marge, 2 and 1. Bill Graham took the second division title over Roger Moltenbrey while the third division honors went to Gil Beers over Al Okscin, 1 up.

Pro Football

(Saturday)
CANADIAN LEAGUE
Edmonton 35, Montreal 0
Saskatchewan 22, Calgary 15
EXHIBITIONS
National League
Chicago 29, Washington 13
New York 17, Los Angeles 17 (tied)
American League
New York 17, Boston 7
Denver 48, Oakland 21
American Conference

Patriots Cut Two Off Squad

AMHERST (AP) — The Boston Patriots Sunday further trimmed their American Football League roster by releasing ends Pete Johnson from VMI and former Army star Fred Meyers.

Coming off a 17-7 AFL exhibition loss to the New York Titans Saturday night before nearly 75,000 in Philadelphia, the Patriots reported quarterback Babe Parilli had not been seriously injured.

Parilli was knocked unconscious in the late stages of the contest and for a while his condition remained undetermined.

The Boston club now turns to preparations for an AFL exhibition with the Buffalo Bills Friday night at Mt. Pleasant Stadium in Providence, R. I. Last year the Pats whipped Denver on the same field 43-6 in a preseason exhibition.

Olympic Stylists

Standing proudly on view on Olympic-type winners' stand are diving champions in the 13-15 age group of The Union's meet. Left to right are Kathy Trotter, Longmeadow, second; Mary Ellen Donohue, Longmeadow, first; and Toni Bessone, West Springfield, third.

Bertini and Matczak Win Shaker Farms Tourney

WESTFIELD — Bill Bertini and Stan Matczak broke up a tight match with a birdie on 15 and a winning par on 16 to capture the Shaker Farms CC member-guest tournament Sunday, 1 up over John Biuso and Marty Rafay.

Matczak dropped a nine-foot birdie putt on 15 to give his team a one-up lead. Bertini got a par on the 16th and this proved to be the winning margin as Rafay birdied the par five 17th.

Rafay had a shot at a bird on the last hole, but his putt was just shy.

Summary:

Championship Division

Bertini and Matczak defeated Biuso and Rafay, 1 up. Consolations—Homan and Pajak defeated Goldsmith and Hunt, 1 up, 20 holes.

First Division

Collins and Campofredano defeated W. Licht and McDonald, 3 and 2. Consolations—Schaeffer and Hoves defeated Behan and Monoghan, 1 up.

Second Division

Cohen and Feldman defeated Rubin and Dambrov, 3 and 1. Consolations—Hough and Barry defeated Mador and Radding, 1 up.

Third Division

Glynn and Cunningham defeated Gould and LaBerge, 3 and 2. Consolations—Williams and Winkler defeated Kindness and McDonald, 4 and 3.

Fourth Division

Faubian and Vandini defeated Zepko and Bertera, 1 up. Consolations—Lundberg and Filley defeated Schwartz and Weber, 1 up.

Favreau Beats Brodalski For North Adams Crown

By ED TOOLE

NORTH ADAMS — It took some spectacular golf but chunky Freddy Favreau came up as the successful defender in the annual invitation singles tournament of the North Adams Country Club over the week end.

Putting Trouble

In the title match he pulled out a 3 and 1 triumph over long hitting Stan Brodalski of the Forest Park CC in Adams, whose putter deserted him at the most inopportune times.

In the semifinals Brodalski beat Chet Mendel, 2 and 1, while Favreau took care of Steve Kawa, 7 and 6.

The finals were hotly contested. At both the 10th and 14th birdie putts got away from Brodalski.

The turning point didn't come until the 11th. One up at the time, Favreau laid his chip shot within inches of the cup for a bird.

Summaries:

First Division

Semifinals: Brodalski defeated Mendel 2 and 1. Favreau defeated Kawa 7 and 6. Finals: Favreau defeated Brodalski 3 and 1; beaten fours: Suchman defeated Tisdale 1 up (19 holes).

Second Division

Semifinals: Kreseminski defeated Spagnola 2 and 1. Koczela defeated C. Uchman 2 up; finals: Koczela defeated Kreseminski 5 and 4; beaten fours: Collins defeated S. Uchman 3 and 2.

Third Division

Semifinals: Elder defeated Dyson 1 up (19 holes), Accetta defeated Steele 4 and 3; finals: Elder defeated Accetta 6 and 5; beaten fours: Washburn defeated Carson 1 up.

Senior Division

Ed French, North Adams 72-71—143; Odd Decoteau, Taconic 72-73—145; Bill Roberts, Taconic 76-72—148; Fran Hayden, North Adams 71-78—149; Pete Begiebing, Taconic 76-73—149; Harry Sadler, Taconic 77-72—149.

Jap Star Wins Over Rose Again

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Japan's Tsuyhoshi Yamanaka Sunday again defeated his longtime rival, Murray Rose of Australia, as the men's National AAU swimming and diving championships moved to a record-shattering conclusion.

It took an American record performance to win the battle. Yamanaka, rallying in the last 50 meters, was clocked in 4:17.5 Rose was just behind in 4:17.8.

The American record is 4:19.2, set by Alan Somers of the Indianapolis Athletic Club in 1960. And it was Somers who finished third at the Los Angeles Swim Stadium in 4:23.2.

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Final Boxing Program On West Side Tonight

The West Springfield Sporting Club will close out its amateur boxing series at the Eastern States Coliseum tonight. The main attraction will be the appearance of the New England light heavyweight and lightweight champs.

Torrell in Rematch

Johnny Powers, who has delivered Hub boxers for the past two weeks at the Coliseum, will bring these two champions to the West Side. In the light heavyweight class, the champ is Teddy Williams. Holyoke's undefeated light heavyweight, Red Top Owens, will probably be pitted against Williams. Owens has a record of 10 straight wins.

In the lightweight division, Bobby Haggett is the New England champion. Haggett will be stacked against Bobby Provost or George Cruz. Provost from Holyoke and Cruz from Hartford have suffered just one defeat on the West Side programs.

Another bout of interest will be the rematch of Gil Torrell of Holyoke and Norman Kirby of Boston. Torrell is undefeated in 10 bouts and he defeated Kirby two weeks ago in a nip and tuck battle. Kirby, the Mohawk Indian, has showed class in both his tough fights. Bobby Sullivan of Boston will round out the Hub squad. Sullivan appeared last Monday and is considered a good prospect.

Gaining attention every week is Ramon Vanotti of Agawam. By the time the series is resumed next season, Vanotti should be one of the standouts in the area. Armand Belliveau of Hartford, the popular undefeated 147-pounder, will be on tap. Belliveau, is considered one of the best young amateurs that has appeared in this area in some time.

Two tickets to the Pender-Downes fight will be given away tonight to some lucky fan. These ringside ducats were donated by Herman Greenberg, Mass. Boxing Commission chairman. A plaque will be given to the West Springfield Sporting Club by the West Springfield Jaycees for their contribution to the youth movement in this area.

The first bout will get under way at 8.30.

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249 entrants / 129

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., MONDAY MORNING, AUGUST 21, 1961

Everybody Gets Into The Union's Swim Meet

One of the entrants in the Ninth Annual Union Swim Meet leaves Emerson Wight pool Sunday following a record-breaking performance. Diver Andre Williams and meet director Phil Shrude await the chance to congratulate the unidentified performer. The dog, whose impromptu dip was one of the features of the successful show, was later disqualified for not having submitted an entry blank. The pooch's style was described by swimming experts present as a sort of a "people paddle."

Nine Meet Records Smashed In The Union's Swim Event

By GENE McCORMICK

Nine records were smashed, four more went into the books as first-year events, and another mark was tied to highlight The Springfield Union's ninth annual Greater Springfield Swimming Meet Sunday at Emerson Wight pool.

An excited crowd of 900 spectators not only saw some sizzling times registered by a flock of talented swimmers, but witnessed five competitors emerge as dual champions.

Two meet veterans, despite their still tender years, Sue Smith and Cynthia Butler of Springfield, stepped to the Olympic-type winners' stand twice to proudly accept championship awards. Joining them in this select circle were Ricky Scott of Longmeadow, Ray Warren of Ludlow and Sara Appleby of West Springfield, proving conclusively that no one area has a monopoly on some pretty fair swim talent.

Miss Smith displayed dogged

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Five Skating Rinks Opened for Tonight

12-30-60

Five city skating rinks are scheduled to be in operation from 6:30 to 9 p.m. today, it was announced at noon by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

The Park Department closed all skating areas at 5 p.m. yesterday when snow began to accumulate. But the ice cleared last night.

Rinks open today under supervision were those at Springside and Clapp parks, Deming and Osceola playgrounds and the Common. They also operated from 1 to 5 this afternoon. If the cold weather holds, they will be open during the weekend.

Skaters Warned At Expense of Cottage Owners

1/10/61

Materials from a picket fence and a dog house at two Thomas Island cottages were apparently used for bonfire fuel by Onota Lake skaters, police said today.

William Hoffman of 141 Dalton Ave. reported that the fence and dog house at his cottage and his son-in-law's had been destroyed by fire. Mr. Hoffman said kerosene from a tank outside the buildings had apparently been used to start the fire.

Investigating officers found that the materials had apparently been appropriated by skaters for their bonfire.

Librizzi

POPULAR SKATING AREA, the Common, contributed to the record attendance reported by the city's Department of Parks and Recreation for week of Dec. 25 to 31. A total of 13,600 persons used skating, skiing, sliding facilities during period.

More Than 5,000 Used City's Rinks

1/31/61

More than 5,000 persons skated on the six city rinks last week, according to attendance figures compiled by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Ski tows operated only one day, with 80 persons using them; and 675 youngsters were counted on the sliding areas at Clapp and Springside parks.

3,500 Skate, Ski At City's Areas

2/15/61

About 3,500 persons took advantage of the city's winter recreational facilities last week, the Department of Parks and Recreation reported today.

John C. Marchesi, recreation supervisor, said 2,500 skaters had used the various rinks; 275 skiers utilized the tows at two playgrounds; and 700 youngsters were counted at sliding areas.

City's Winter Sports Areas Used by Record 13,600 Persons

More skiers, skaters and sliders used Department of Parks and Recreation areas last week than in any other week of the department's history.

Supt. Vincent J. Hebert reported this morning that 13,600 persons had used the various winter sports facilities from Dec. 25 to 31.

The new record topped the former high recorded in 1957 when 10,300 turned out for skating, skiing or sliding in a single week.

Mr. Hebert said school vacations had apparently combined with ideal weather conditions to bring the new record. He said the total attendance between Dec. 23 and Jan. 2 was about 16,000 person.

Last week saw 7,000 skaters using the rink on the Common alone during hours supervised by the Park Department.

Rinks at Springside and Clapp Parks, the Common, and playgrounds at Deming and Osceola were scheduled to operate from 3:30 to 5 and 6:30 to 9 p.m. today.

Two Skating Rinks Open Today, Tonight

1/3/61

City skating rinks at Springside Park and the Common were scheduled to open at 1 p.m. today. Both will be operated from 6:30 to 9 tonight.

The Department of Parks and Recreation also announced that areas at Osceola and Deming playgrounds and Clapp Park would open at 3:30 p.m. and be open tonight as well.

Ice Skating Rinks Out of Business

2/16/60

Pittsfield's skaters have been temporarily deprived of the six city rinks that have provided almost ideal skating here for a number of weeks.

Recent thaws have washed out all the areas, it was reported today by Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation.

When the weather permits, maintenance crews will start flooding operations once again at Springside Park and on the Common.

Winter Activities at Parks Break All-Time City Records

Old records collapsed like an igloo in spring during the city sponsored winter sports activities this past season, according to a report released today by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

In the realm of attendance, a total of 48,000 persons used the various sports areas or took advantage of instruction programs provided by the department.

Supt. Vincent J. Hebert said the attendance showed an increase of 5,000 from last year, when participation broke all previous records.

More Skating Days

In addition, the Park Department recorded more skating days at the city rinks than ever before; use of the ski tow as Osceola playground hit a new high of 1,625 persons. The top week of the season, Jan. 1 to 7, showed a record participation of 13,625 in all areas.

The winter season ran from Dec. 23, 1960, to March 1. The Park Department has already started preparations for spring baseball and for the summer activities at the playgrounds and beaches.

The number of skating days at Springside and Clapp parks, the Common and Osceola and Deming playgrounds all increased over the 1960 season.

In addition to skating, the department again sponsored a ski-instruction program for children and adults at Bousquet's and Springside Park.

A total of 140 children were registered, an increase of 40 over other years, for the first session at Bousquet's. One hundred youngsters participated in the second series of lessons.

Eighty additional children received instruction at Springside Park because of the demand for ski lessons, Mr. Hebert said.

Junior and senior hockey leagues were operated by the Park Department for the first time this year. The junior league consisted of four teams with 10 boys on each; the senior league had three nine-man teams.

Good Skating, Skiing Forecast For City Areas

Six city skating areas were opened by the Department of Parks and Recreation today, and ski tows are expected to operate over the holiday weekend.

Supt. Vincent J. Hebert said rinks were open from 1 to 5 p.m. at Springside and Clapp parks, Deming and Osceola playgrounds and the Common, as well as the Pittsfield High hockey pen.

Park Department flooding crews took advantage of low temperatures to make ice at the various areas last night and this morning. Mr. Hebert said skating hours for tonight would be announced late this afternoon.

Ski tows at Osceola Playground and Clapp Park are expected to operate Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

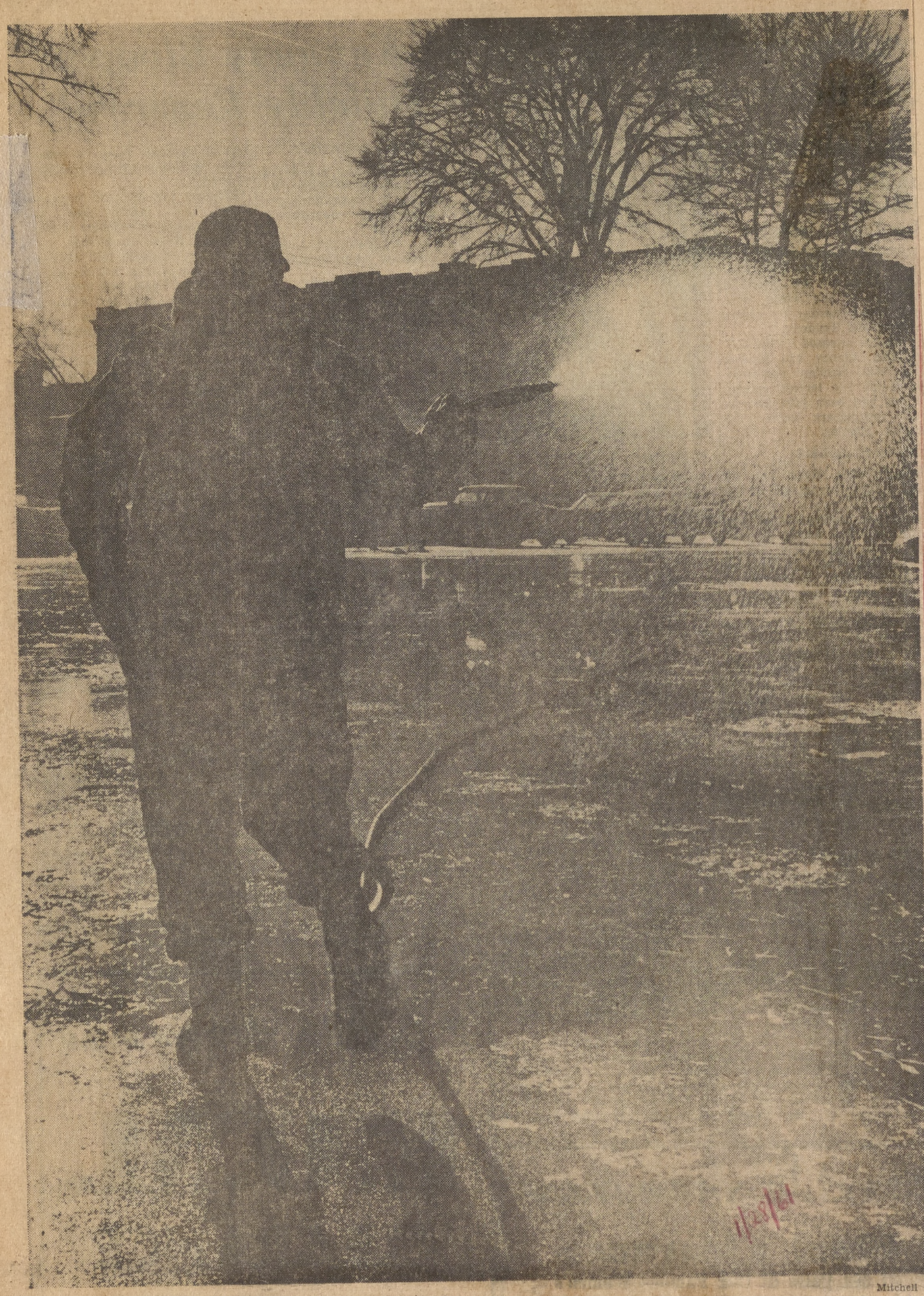
8,000 Persons Use City's Winter Sports Areas

1/9/61

A total of 8,000 persons used the city skating, sliding and skiing areas last week, it was reported today by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Almost 7,000 persons used the skating areas between Jan. 2 and 8, the department said. Others took advantage of sliding facilities at Clapp and Springside parks and ski tows at Osceola playground and Clapp Park.

Springside Park and the Common were open for skating today. Park Department flooding crews were working on rinks at West Memorial, Deming and Osceola playgrounds and Clapp Park.



Mitchell

SUBZERO SPRAYING, which has become routine for the Park Department's long-suffering crew, went on yesterday with particular care on the two-acre rink at the Common. Reason was to prepare for the speed skating meet which opens this afternoon at 1, and will continue through tomorrow. Approximately 350 skaters are entered in the competition.

Park Department Puck Loops Set To Begin Play Saturday

1/18/61

The Pittsfield Department of Parks and Recreation will sponsor two hockey leagues. The program, directed by Edmund Enos, Pittsfield High coach, will begin Saturday and Sunday with games at the rink behind the high school. Enos played hockey at Boston Tech for three years.

The junior loop will consist of boys 15-years-old and under. Four teams have been formed to date. Practice sessions will be every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoon on the Common from 4 to 5. Players should report to the warming house if ice is not available. Persons may join by attending a practice period or by calling the Park Department.

There are three senior teams organized at present and players may join these by reporting Saturday or Sunday at the high school rink. League contests will begin at 2 on Saturday and Sunday. Practice will be Monday and Friday afternoons at 4 on the Common.

The leagues and rosters:

SENIOR LEAGUE

HAWKS—Bob Manning, Ron Kamienski, Matt Kamienski, Paul Boinay, Tim Horrigan, James Norton, Joseph Sonegal.

WINGS—Monroe England, Bob Steele, Neil Hiltpold, Hugh Quirk, Bob Flynn, Robert Kirby, Paul Filippini.

BEARS—Bob Walsh, Jack Downing, Connell Boyle, John Kellar, Kevin Boyle, Norman Opperman, Dick Bairi.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

BLACKHAWKS—Bill Kozack, Brian Coty, James Ogle, Richard Blake, Stephen Teal, Tom Bonville.

REDWINGS—Ron Valade, Richard Valade, David Potts, John Crooks, Joseph Lefebre, Barry Bissaillon, Bob LeFebre.

BRUINS—Peter Vacchina, Paul Vacchina, Frank McCluskey, Stan Chrostowski, Constant Carity, Mike Carity.

RANGERS—Larry Bates, Dennis LeClair, Philip Coty, David Hanson, Peter Stadden, Derry Sporbut, Bobby Williams.

JUNIOR SCHEDULE

Saturday

Blackhawks vs. Redwings, 10:30.
Bruins vs. Rangers, 11:30.

Sunday

Blackhawks vs. Bruins, 11.
Rangers vs. Redwings, 12.

Hockey League Lists Games For Weekend

1/27/61

Contests Slated Tomorrow, Sunday On PHS Rink

There'll be action on the Pittsfield High rink both days over the weekend in the two hockey leagues sponsored by the Parks and Recreation Department.

The Junior League will operate both days. The Bruins will oppose the Red Wings tomorrow morning at 10:30, with the Black Hawks meeting the Rangers at 11:30. Sunday the Bruins will go against the Rangers at 11, and the Black Hawks will face the Red Wings at 11:30.

In the Senior League, the Bears will meet the Hawks tomorrow afternoon at 3 and Sunday afternoon at 3.

The Bruins and the Black Hawks are tied for first in the Junior League.

Any volunteers interested in assisting with the program will be welcome.

The Senior League is open to older boys and men. Those wishing to join teams should report to the PHS rink before game times.

Jr. Hockey League Opens Tomorrow on PHS Rink

1/26/61

The Park Department's Junior Hockey League will open tomorrow morning on the Pittsfield High rink with two matches. The first contest between the Blackhawks and the Redwings will start immediately after the conclusion of the Pittsfield High-Albany Academy match, which is scheduled to begin at 10. The Bruins and the Rangers will meet in the second half of the double-header.

Two contests also are slated for Sunday on the same surface. The Blackhawks will meet the Bruins at 11, and the Rangers will go against the Redwings at noon.

Games also are listed for the Senior League tomorrow and Sunday afternoons at 3, but no pairings have been announced.

Captains of the Junior League teams were announced today by director Ed Enos. They are Bill Kozack of the Blackhawks; Ronald Valade and Barry Bissaillon of the Redwings; Peter and Paul Vacchina of the Bruins; and Dennis LeClair and Philip Coty of the Rangers.

Valade Is Young Giant

Kozack, a West Pittsfield boy, has shown considerable promise to date. He scored four goals in an exhibition game a week ago. Valade is a 13-year-old giant, standing six feet and weighing 185 pounds. He has the hardest shot in the league. Bissaillon has worked well on defense and as a goalie.

The Vacchina brothers are the sons of Pete Vacchina, former Pittsfield High and Brass Rail hockey star. They are two of the best school players in the league, according to Enos. Their dad personally has instructed them in the fine points of the game. LeClair and Coty are regular defense men for their team.

Applications still are being accepted. The Junior League is open to boys 15 years old and under. Older boys and men are eligible for the Senior League.

Interested personnel may join the leagues by reporting to a practice session on the Common. Part of the skating area is reserved for hockey practice from Monday through Friday between 4 and 5 p.m. The other way to enroll is to report at the rear of Pittsfield High before game times tomorrow and Sunday.

Volunteers to assist in coaching or officiating either day this weekend will be most welcome, Enos said.

Senior Hockey Teams Split Over Weekend

1/24/61

Hawks and Bears Each Gain Victory In Season Openers

Two Senior Hockey League games were played at the Pittsfield High rink over the weekend, with the Bears and the Hawks splitting. Th Bears opened league play Saturday with a crushing 6-1 win over the Hawks. The Hawks reversed the decision 5-1 Sunday.

Ed O'Hearn tallied five goals for the Bears Saturday, and was aided by Bob Traver, who added the other. The Hawks averted a shutout when Jack Downing, former Cranwell star, made his team's lone goal.

Jim Whitten and Bob Manning turned the Hawks into a winner the next day. Manning, an ex-Boston College player, scored three goals and had two assists while Whitten made the other two goals. O'Hearn again was the Bears' star. He scored their only goal.

Applications still are being accepted for senior teams. Persons may join by reporting to the rink Saturday or Sunday afternoon at 3.

Bruins and Blackhawks Tie For Junior Puck Loop Lead

1/24/61

The opening week of play in the Junior Hockey League on the Pittsfield High School rink produced a two-way tie for first place.

Saturday, the Blackhawks blasted the Redwings 5-1 as Bill Kozack, Blackhawk captain, put on a one-man show in scoring all of his team's goals. Goalie Jim Ogle turned away seven shots for an outstanding day.

Bob Lefebvre scored the lone Redwing goal and received an assist from his brother Joseph. Both boys stood out for the losers.

In the second game Saturday, the Bruins shut out the Rangers 3-0. Marcel Levesque and goalie Frank McCluskey sparked the victory for the Bruins. Levesque scored one goal himself and assisted Peter Vacchina on two others. McCluskey had eight saves.

The first game Sunday brought together Saturday's winners and resulted in a hard-fought 1-1 tie between the Bruins and the Blackhawks. Bruin defensemen Connie and Mike Caritey held Kozack to one goal for the important deadlock. Levesque scored the Bruin goal.

The final saw the Rangers move into third spot with a convincing 6-0 win over the Redwings. Larry Bates, Bobby Williams, Tom McCormick and Phillip Coty all tallied one goal apiece while Dennis LeClair pushed in two.

This is the final week in which interested boys, 15 years old and under, may join a team by reporting to the Common during the practice sessions any afternoon at 4, or by calling the Department of Parks and Recreation any day this week.

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HOW COME Pittsfield High is such a patsy in hockey?

The big reason is that it has to play an all-prep school schedule. The private institutions almost always have boys who have played lower level hockey.

Pittsfield can't play other public institutions, because it is the only Berkshire high school with a team.

Albany Academy, a two-time conqueror of Pittsfield by horrendous scores, is composed of boys who were pee wee stars in well-organized leagues almost a decade ago.

Pittsfield for years has had well-organized kid leagues in baseball, football and basketball. However, the first junior league here in years was organized under Parks and Recreation Department auspices here this week by Ed Enos, the former Connecticut football star, who is line coach at Pittsfield High. There still isn't any hockey for the small fry.

Coach Frank Blowe of Pittsfield feels that he has a fairly good first team. Yet in this day of mass substitution in the sport, he hasn't the bench strength to compete on even terms with the prep schools.

Blackhawks, Bruins Lead Park Department Puck Loop

1/31/61

STANDINGS	W	L	T		W	L	T
Bruins	3	0	1	Rangers	1	3	0
Blackhawks	3	0	1	Redwings	0	4	0

The Bruins and the Blackhawks remained unbeaten and tied for first in the Park Department Junior Hockey League as each won a pair of games at the Pittsfield High rink over the weekend.

On Saturday, the Bruins, behind the smooth line of Marcel Levesque and Paul and Peter Vacchina, bounced back from a 1-0 first-period deficit to win over the Redwings 3-1. Ron Valade tallied the losers' lone goal. It was matched in the second period by Paul Vacchina. Rich Valade added another to end the Redwings' threat. Mike Massaconi pushed home an insurance goal in the third period.

In the second game, the Blackhawks barely squeezed by the Rangers, 2-1. Larry Bates and Phil Coty led the upset-minded outfit to an early 1-0 lead and managed to check high-scoring Bill Kozack until the second period when he broke loose to tie the game 1-1. Defenseman Tom Bonville was the second Blackhawk to break the Ranger defense for a score and the game ended at 2-1.

Sunday the Bruins registered their second triumph 3-1 over the Rangers.

Levesque opened the scoring in the first period but Tom McCormick came back with a second period tally to deadlock the issue. Jack Kennedy added the winners' third goal of the day in the third period despite Ranger goalie Ed Dodge's record-breaking 16 saves.

Kozack returned to form in the second game by scoring the first three Blackhawk goals in a 5-0 victory against the Redwings. Bonville added two more in the third period. Jim Ogle hung up his first shutout of the season with the win.

Practice will be held on the Common this week every afternoon from 4 to 5.

The lineups:

SATURDAY

BRUINS		REDWINGS
Levesque, c		c, Valade
Peter Vacchina, lw		lw, J. Lefebvre
Paul Vacchina, rw		rw, R. Lefebvre
C. Caritey, ld		ld, Crooks
M. Caritey, rw		rd, Potts
McCluskey, g		g, Laturneau

Bruin spares: Walsh, Massaconi, R. Valade.
Redwin spares: Bissaillon, Kennedy.

SCORING

Bruins: Paul Vacchina, Rich Valade, Massaconi.
Redwings: Ron Valade.

BLACKHAWKS		RANGERS
Kozack, c		c, Bates
B. Coty, rw		rw, McCormick
Blake, lw		lw, LeClair
Syrett, rd		rd, P. Coty
Bonville, ld		ld, Degnan
Ogle, g		g, Dodge

Blackhawk spares: Ludbrook, Simonelli, Teal.
Ranger spares: Williams, Mansfield.

SCORING

Blackhawks: Kozack, Bonville.
Rangers: McCormick.

SUNDAY

BRUINS		RANGERS
Levesque, c		c, Bates
Peter Vacchina, lw		LeClair
Paul Vacchina, rw		rw, McCormick
C. Caritey, ld		ld, P. Coty
M. Caritey, rd		rd, Degnan
McCluskey, g		g, Dodge

Bruin spares: Kennedy, Walsh, R. Valade.
Ranger spares: Mansfield, Williams.

SCORING

Bruins: Levesque, Paul Vacchina, Kennedy.
Rangers: McCormick.

BLACKHAWKS		REDWINGS
Kozack, c		c, Ron Valade
Syrett, rw		rw, Massaconi
Bonville, lw		lw, Lefebvre
Ludbrook, rd		ld, Potts
Teal, ld		rd, Crooks
Ogle, g		g, Laturneau

Blackhawk spares: Blake, B. Coty, Simonelli.
Redwing Spares: Lefebvre, Bissaillon.

SCORING

Blackhawks: Kozack 3, Bonville 2.

Kozack Widens Scoring Lead In Puck Loop

2/9/61

Ogle Top Goalie With .937 Average For Blackhawks

STANDINGS	W	L	T		W	L	T
Bruins	3	0	1	Rangers	1	3	0
Blackhawks	3	0	1	Redwings	0	4	0

Billy Kozack of the Blackhawks increased his scoring lead in the Park Department Junior Hockey League to seven following last weekend's action with an additional four goals. Teammate Tom Bonville, a defenseman, made three goals to tie with the Bruins' Marcel Levesque for second.

Goalie Jim Ogle of the Blackhawks, with a one-goal win on Saturday and a shutout on Sunday, remained the top tender in the league with a .937 save average.

The schedule for Saturday morning will pit the Rangers against the Redwings in the first game at 10:30 and the Bruins against the Blackhawks in a battle for first place in the second.

The first game Sunday will be between the Bruins and the Redwings and the second between the Blackhawks and the Rangers.

The complete statistics:

SCORING LEADERS

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Kozack, Blackhawks	10
Levesque, Bruins	3
Bonville, Blackhawks	3
Pete Vaccina, Bruins	2
Paul Vaccina, Bruins	2
LeClair, Rangers	2
Coty, Rangers	2
McCormick, Rangers	2

GOALIE RECORDS

	Saves	Scored On	Pct.
Ogle, Blackhawks	29	3	.937
McCluskey, Bruins	20	3	.870
Dodge, Rangers	28	8	.778
Laforneau, Redwings	14	8	.637

A HOCKEY enthusiast, Bob Walsh of 441 Pomeroy Ave., writes, "With all the basketball courts in Pittsfield, I'm not too worried about the Boys' Club, but I am worried about the proposed hockey rink. Please let your readers know what is the situation concerning this important facility."

If the basketball surface won't be ready before September, 1962, that also would have to be the opening date for the hockey facility. Plans call for the erection of the rink above the gymnasium.

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Hockey Loops Double Games For Weekend

2-8-61

The Park Department Junior and Senior Hockey leagues will attempt to make up for last weekend's snowed out games with double sessions Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday morning the Rangers will meet the Redwings in the first game at 9:30 and the Blackhawks will face the Bruins in the second.

The Bears will face the Hawks at 1:30 in a Senior League contest.

The final round of Junior League games will pit the Redwings against the Bruins and the Rangers against the Blackhawks.

On Sunday morning, the pairings will be Rangers and Bruins, and Redwings and Bears. The first game starts at 9:30.

The Bears again will play the Hawks at 1:30 in a Senior League game.

The final weekend contest will be between the Redwings and the Rangers, and the Bruins and Blackhawks.

There will be practice sessions every afternoon this week from 4 to 5 on the Common.

Two Games Set Tomorrow in Park Hockey League

2-10-61

The Blackhawks and Bruins meet tomorrow morning in a game that will give the winner undisputed possession of first place in the junior division of the Park Department Hockey League. The teams played to a 1-1 tie in their first meeting.

The Blackhawks depend on speed and power play and leave the defense to goalie Jim Ogle. The Bruins use a smooth passing front line and a good strong defense made up of the Caritey brothers, Con and Mike, and goalie Frank McClusky.

In the opening game of the morning double-header at 9:30 the winless Red Wings meet the Rangers. The cellar-dwelling Wings have added Craig Bowlby and Mike Massaconi to the roster and can no longer be considered patsies.

Opening line-ups are:

RED WINGS		RANGERS
Bowlby, w		w, McCormick
Valade, c		c, Bates
Massaconi, w		w, Williams
Potts, d		d, LeClair
Crooks, d		d, Coty
Laturno, g		g, Dodge

Red Wing LeFebre, LePegre, Bissaillon.
Rangers spares: Phil Degnan, Pat Degnan.

BLACKHAWKS		BRUINS
Syrett, w		w, Vacchina
Kozack, c		c, Levesque
Blake, w		w, Vacchina
Bonneville, d		d, C. Caritey
Teal, d		d, M. Caritey
Ogle, g		g, McClusky

Blackhaws spares: Dudbrook, Coty.
Bruins spares: Kennedy, Valade, Walsh.

Bruins Lead Hockey Loop

2/16/61

Blackhawks Beaten In 2-0 Contest; Rangers Lose Two

STANDINGS	W.	L.	T.		W.	L.	T.
Bruins	5	0	1	Redwings	1	5	0
Blackhawks	4	1	1	Rangers	1	5	0

Four games were played last weekend in the Park Department's Junior Hockey League at the rink behind Pittsfield High. The Bruins gained undisputed possession of first place with victories over the Blackhawks and the Redwings.

The Bruins and the Blackhawks had been deadlocked for first place, having tied 2-2 in their first meeting. Peter Vacchina and Daif Walsh had one goal apiece and Dick Marchetto registered a shutout for a 2-0 win. The Bruins cemented their claim on the top spot with a 3-1 win against the Redwings in a second contest. Marcel Levesque, Vacchina and John Kennedy tallied one goal apiece. Mike Massaconi had the Redwings' lone score.

The Blackhawks rallied for a 4-2 decision over the Rangers. The Rangers led 2-1 in the third period on goals by Larry Bates and Tom McCormick but Jim Ogle, with a timely hat trick, sent the Blackhawks ahead to stay.

The final game saw the Rangers drop their second of the day 5-3 to the Redwings. Ron Valade and Massaconi pushed in two apiece for the win. John Crooks added the fifth. Bates and McCormick had the losers' goals.

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HOCKEY CHAMPIONS of the Pittsfield Park Department Junior League were the Bruins shown receiving individual trophies from John Marchesi, department director of athletics. Pictured in the usual order are: first row, Dan Walsh, Dick Valade, Paul Vacchina, Marchesi, Pete Vacchina and Mike Caritey; second row, hockey program director Ed Enos, Marcel Levesque, Dick Marchetto, Constant Caritey and John Kennedy. Coach Chuck Deleo was absent from the photo.

Ed Enos Is Appoi

PHS Line Coach Signs Pact To Take New Duties July 1

Ex-Canadian Pro and Connecticut Star Also Will Coach Frosh Basketball— Morris Says PHS Will Feel the Loss

By ROGER O'GARA

3/29/61

Edmund F. Enos, 26, for the past two seasons line coach of the Pittsfield High football team, will become assistant football coach at Norwich University in Northfield, Vt., on July 1. He signed a one-year contract Saturday.

He will have responsibility for the line, and also will serve as freshman basketball coach and teacher of physical education.

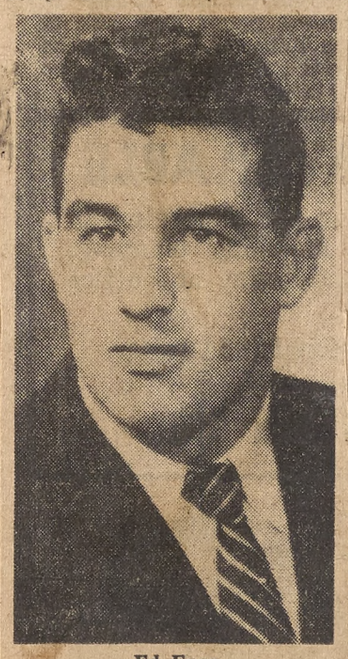
He'll Complete School Year

Enos will complete the school year at PHS, where he also is a teacher of English. He will assist in spring drills at Norwich during the school vacation week in mid-April.

The Pittsfield post was Enos' first as a coach following two years of professional football. He played for the British Columbia Lions in the Canadian League. He was selected as an all-league defensive end in the season of 1958 after making the honorable mention list in his first year in the circuit.

Enos went through pre-season camps with the New York Giants of the National Football League in 1957 and 1958. In each year, he survived until the final cut.

A former University of Connecticut star, he was an All-Yankee Conference and All-New England tackle selectee as a senior in 1956. He played guard at Connecticut as a sophomore.



Ed Enos

Morris' Statement

Coach Nick Morris of Pittsfield High said this of Enos: "We're going to feel the loss. He has done an outstanding job with our line. Our record reflects his fine work. I feel that he will do very well in college coaching. The lines he develops will stand up with any that Norwich meets. I hate to lose him, but wish him every success."

Enos said he was "thrilled over this opportunity."

He added, "I hate to leave Pittsfield, and have enjoyed my stay here. Coach Morris and everyone has been awfully good to me."

Enos was an outstanding lineman at East Boston High. He also starred at Milford (Conn.) Prep before entering Connecticut.

He is married to the former Janice McCluskey of Pittsfield. They live at 168 Linden St.

Enos directed the Park Department's hockey program the past winter.

Blackhawks' Billy Kozack Top Scorer

Bruins Win First Park Department Junior Hockey Loop

FINAL STANDING

	Won	Lost	Tied
Bruins	7	0	1
Blackhawks	5	2	1
Red Wings	2	6	0
Rangers	1	7	0

The Bruins, undefeated but once tied, emerged as the first champions of the Park Department Junior Hockey League. The team was deadlocked by the second-place Blackhawks early in the season, but won its remaining seven games. Seventy boys participated in the four-team league.

The scoring leader was the Blackhawks' Billy Kozack with 15. Marcel Levesque of the Bruins was second with six.

Mike Massaconi of the Red Wings was voted the most outstanding player.

The Bruins won three of their seven games by one goal. The attack was paced by Pete and Paul Vacchina and Levesque.

The leading scorers:

Team	Goals
Hawks, Billy Kozack	15
Bruins, Marcel Levesque	6
Bruins, Peter Vacchina	6
Bruins, Paul Vacchina	6
Red Wings, Mike Massaconi	5
Rangers, Dennis LeClair	5
Rangers, Tommy McCormick	5
Hawks, Jimmy Ogle	5

Local Skaters Competing at Saranac Lake

1/21/61

Twelve local skaters will represent the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club at the Adirondack outdoor speed skating championships at Saranac Lake, N.Y., today and tomorrow.

The following skaters will take part in the following events: Jamy Lambert, peewee boy; Ricky Beach and Billy Farry, special midget boys; Patti Beach and Joanne Farry, peewee girls; Karen Downey, special midget girls; Nancygene Gillett, juvenile girls; Patti Madden and Mary Ann Placido, junior girls; and Patti Smith, intermediate girls.

Speed Skaters Enter Event At Wilmington

Fourteen Pittsfield skaters will take part in the New England outdoor speed skating meet Monday afternoon at 1 at Wilmington.

The skaters making the trip are: Patti Beach and Joanne Farry, peewee girls; Jamy Lambert and Billy Farry, peewee boys; Ricky Beach, special midget boys; Donna Beach and Sally Farry, midget girls; Nancijean Gillette, juvenile girls; Fred Merrill and Gary Fillio, juvenile boys; Mary Ann Placido, Pat Madden and Glennie Zofrea, junior girls; and Pat Smith, intermediate girls.

Charles Downey and Frank Zofrea, cochairmen of the recent Christmas work project, are reminding club members that final returns are due next Thursday evening at the weekly meeting.

Patti Smith Finishes 2nd, 4th, 5th in Events In North Americans

Patti Smith of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club placed second in the intermediate girls' 880-yard race Saturday and fourth in the three-quarter mile event yesterday in the North American Outdoor Speed Skating Championships, this weekend at Lake Placid, N.Y. She was the only local skater participating.

Patti also skated in an Olympic style event for the first time and finished fifth in a field of 10. It consisted of two events of 500 meters and 1,000 meters. Over-all time in both races determined the winner.

Approximately 200 of the top skaters from all over the country were entered.

Patti, 16, and a senior at St. Joseph's High, is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Smith of 97 Brombach St.

Joanne Farry Wins Trophy In N.Y. Meet

Peewee Girl Takes Two Gold Medals In Speed Skating

NEWBURGH, N.Y.—Four Pittsfield skaters placed in the Middle Atlantic outdoor speed skating championship here yesterday. The meet originally was scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, but was postponed because of melting ice.

Joanne Farry won both the 110- and 220-yard peewee races. The victories gave her two gold medals and a trophy as top point winner in her class.

Patti Beach, also a peewee girl, was second in both the 110 and 220.

Billy Farry took a fourth in the peewee boys' 220-yard race, and Pat Smith was fifth in the 220-, 440- and 880-yard events.

Ray Blum, a field engineer from Westover Air Force Base, won the senior division for the seventh time. Cornelia Harrington, an ex-Olympian from Wayne, N.J., swept every event in her class. Another Olympian, Arnold Uhrlass, won the three-mile Joseph Donoghue memorial race.

10 Years Ago

Alex Goguen of Pittsfield placed ninth in the American Olympic speed skating tryouts in St. Paul, Minn.

Five Skaters Win Prizes In NE Meet

WILMINGTON — Melting ice and 50-degree weather marked the New England Outdoor Speed Skating championship meet yesterday.

Five Pittsfield skaters, Patty Madden, Mary Ann Placido, Patti Smith, Jamy Lambert and Billy Farry, won recogniton in the event.

Miss Madden, a junior girl, placed first in the 220, and second in the 440 and 880.

Miss Placido, also a junior girl, finished second in the 220.

An intermediate girl, Patti Smith, placed first in the 880, and second in the 440 and 220.

Lambert and Farry took second and third in the 110 respectively. Farry also placed second in the 220.

The starting time of the meet was postponed 1½ hours to repair the ice. Some 300 entries from New England and New York were received.

The skaters and their parents will meet at the Park Department office this morning at 9 and will leave in a group for the meet.

Local Skaters In Races At Newburgh

Eight skaters from the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club will participate in the Middle Atlantic outdoor speed skating championships today and tomorrow in Newburgh, N.Y. The event is sponsored by the Newburgh Lions Club in cooperation with the city of Newburgh.

Local skaters and their classes are: peewee girls, Patti Beach, Joanne Farry; special midget girls, Karen Downey; midget girls, Donna Beach, Sally Farry; intermediate girls, Patti Smith, peewee boys, Billy Farry; special midget boys, Rickey Beach. Eight adults will make the trip with the skaters.

The club will hold its first intraclub meet of the season Monday afternoon at 2 at the Onota Lake cove, ice permitting. If the ice is not good enough for the meet at the cove, a practice will be run instead at 5:30 on the Common.

Practice will be conducted every night at 5:30 next week on the Common until the cove is ready, at which time the drills will be shifted there starting at 7 each night.

City Skaters Place in Meet

Patti Smith Takes Three Seconds At Syracuse

Four Pittsfield representatives, led by Patti Smith, placed in the central New York outdoor speed skating championships Saturday afternoon at the Drumlin's Country Club in Syracuse, N.Y. Patti took three seconds in the intermediate girls' division — in the 220, 440, and 880.

Jamie Lambert, competing in the pee wee boys' division, was runner-up in both the 110 and 220.

Junior girl Glenny Zofrea was third in the 440 and fourth in the 220. Patty Madden of the same class was third in the 220.

Approximately 170 competed.

The meet scheduled for Hartford yesterday afternoon was postponed. It's unlikely that any Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department entrants will compete there, because the club is committeed to the 29th annual Eastern States outdoor speed skating championships and the Saratoga Cup Race next weekend.

Speed Skaters To Race At Saratoga

Pittsfield Club Enters 19 Members In Championships

The Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club has 19 skaters entered in the 29th annual Eastern States Outdoor Speed Skating Championships at Saratoga Springs, N.Y., today and tomorrow. It is the last time the event will take place in Saratoga. About 300 entries have been received already.

Representing Pittsfield will be: peewee boys, Billy Farry; special midget boys, Jimmy Marauszski, Peter Rouka and Ricky Beach; midget boys, Joe Kamienski; juvenile boys, Gary Fillio, Fred Merrill; junior boys, Paul Canterella, peewee girls, Nancigene Gillette and Helen Zourski; junior girls, Mary Ann Placido, Glennie Zofrea and Joan Thibodeau; intermediate girls, Patti Smith.

The skaters and their parents will meet at the Park Department office this morning at 9 and will leave in a group for the meet.

Work has been going on at the Onota Lake cove and it is in good condition, it was announced Thursday night by Parks Supt. Vincent J. Hebert. Practice for the club will be changed from the daily 5:30 session at the Common to a daily 7 o'clock drill at the cove starting Monday night.

New members who have joined the club this week are Bob James, Anthony Villanova, Richard and Anthony Roraback and John Vittone. The club now has 35 members skating.

Patti Beach Wins Trophy, Gold Medals

Patti Smith Takes 4 Seconds; Local Skaters in 18 Finals

Patti Beach of the Pittsfield Speed Skaters' Club won two gold medals and a trophy in the peewee girls' division in the 14th annual Adirondack outdoor speed skating championshps run this weekend at Saranac Lake, N.Y. The Pittsfield club had 18 finalists in events yesterday.

Patti Smith took second places in the 220, 440, 880 and three-quarter-mile races for intermediate girls. Peewee girl Joanne Farry was second in the 110 and 220. Jamy Lambert finished second in the 110 and 220 for peewee boys.

Karen Downey was third in the special midget girls' 220 and 330 races. Billy Farry finished fourth in the special midget boys' 220 and 330. Sally Farry had a fourth in the midget girls one-sixth-mile race.

20 Skaters Enter Meet On Champlain

Twenty members of the Pittsfield Park Department Speed Skating team will compete today and tomorrow in the Adirondack Outdoor Speed Skating championships on Lake Champlain at Westport, N.Y.

The skaters making the trip are: Joanne Farry, Sally Farry, Diane Mansen, Patricia Rohlfs, Nancigene Gillette, Pat Madden, Mary Ann Placido, Joan Thibodeau, Glennie Zofrea, Patti Smith, Jamy Lambert, Jimmy Marauszski, Billy Farry, Gary Fillio, Bob James, Paul Canterella, Paul Burchard, Ted Malgren, Rit Ormsbee and Bill Blakeney.

Farrys Win Medals At Saratoga

Patti Beach Also Takes Points For Pittsfield Club

A Pittsfield brother and sister, Billy and Joanne Farry, took second-place medals in their divisions in the 29th annual Eastern States Outdoor Speed Skating Championships yesterday at Saratoga Springs, N.Y. Patti Beach of Pittsfield took a third. All winners are in the peewee division.

Billy Farry was second in the peewee boys' 220-yard final race. Joanne was second in the peewee girls' 220-yard final race and Patti was fourth. Joanne was fourth in the peewee girls' 110-yard event, the race in which Patti finished third.

More than 360 skaters were entered in the event including some of the outstanding skaters in the East. Jeanne Ashworth of Wilmington, who won a third-place medal while representing the United States in the Olympics, swept the senior women's division.

Pittsfield had 19 skaters in the races. Several of the young local participants showed improvement, including special midget girl Karen Downey, juvenile girl Nancigene Gillette and junior girl Mary Ann Placido.

Five Skaters Win Prizes In NE Meet

WILMINGTON — Melting ice and 50-degree weather marked the New England Outdoor Speed Skating championship meet yesterday.

Five Pittsfield skaters, Patty Madden, Mary Ann Placido, Patti Smith, Jamy Lambert and Billy Farry, won recogniton in the event.

Miss Madden, a junior girl, placed first in the 220, and second in the 440 and 880.

Miss Placido, also a junior girl, finished second in the 220.

An intermediate girl, Patti Smith, placed first in the 880, and second in the 440 and 220.

Lambert and Farry took second and third in the 110 respectively. Farry also placed second in the 220.

The starting time of the meet was postponed 1½ hours to repair the ice. Some 300 entries from New England and New York were received.

Patti Smith, Conway To Compete At Lake Placid

Patti Smith and Dick Conway, both of the Pittsfield Parks Speedskating Club, have accepted bids to compete this weekend in the international European-style speed skating championships on Mirror Lake at Lake Placid, N.Y. Miss Smith is an intermediate, Conway a senior.

Ken Kammer of Syracuse, Dick Wurster of Ballston Spa, and Miss Gail Purdy of Glens Falls, who recently completed a month of training in Norway, are expected to assist the skaters in preparation for the races.

Only seniors, intermediates and juniors have been invited.

The other Pittsfield skaters are entered in the Joseph Kennedy Jr. memorial race Saturday at Hyannis. Approximately 15 are expected to make the trip. The race is named in memory of President Kennedy's brother, who was killed in World War II.

Speed Skating Meet Is Set For Wednesday

Annual Competition Will Feature Races In Six Divisions

The annual city speed skating meet will be held on the Common Wednesday night, starting at 7. Entries may be obtained at any of the local skating rinks, the Boys' Club, the Girls Club and the office of the Parks and Recreation Dept. at 874 North St.

The meet is open to anyone who is not a member of a speed skating club and who has not won a medal or a trophy in a skating association meet here or elsewhere.

There will be six classes for boys and six for girls. They are: seniors, 18 years and over; intermediates, 16 and 17; juniors, 14 and 15; juveniles, 12 and 13; midgets, 10 and 11; and special midgets, 8 and under.

Extra Prize

The skaters judged the best in the boys' and girls' division will receive an extra prize besides the regular trophy. They will be the guests of the Parks Speed Skating Club on the trip to Westport, N.Y., the weekend of Feb. 18.

The award to the best boy and girl skater will be given on sportsmanship, ability and interest in the sport of speed skating.

A feature of the meet will be a speed skating exhibition by members of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club.

The meet is staged with the cooperation of the Winter Sports Committee, the Parks and Recreation Department and the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club. Co-chairmen of the meet are Alice Cantarella and Jim Farry.

Eight Skaters Win Places In N.Y. Meet

WESTPORT, N.Y.—Eight members of the Pittsfield Speed Skating Club won places in the New York State speed skating championships yesterday.

Patti Smith finished second in the 880 and third in the three-quarter mile in the intermediate girls. Nancy Jean Gillette was third in the juvenile girls' 440, and Jo Ann Farry was second in the 220 for the peewee girls. Junior girls Patty Madden and Glendora Zofrea were fourth in the 220 and 880, respectively.

Paul Bouchard finished third in the junior boys' 880, and Jamie Lambert was fourth in the peewee boys' 110 and 220. Jim Marauszwski had a fourth in the special midget boys' 220.

Bob James, a new member of the team, made a good showing in the juvenile boys division by qualifying in the 220, 440 and 880.

Ted Malmgren, intermediate, qualified in the 220 and 440. He was fifth in the 440 final. Malmgren was recently chosen as the outstanding skater in the City Skating Meet in Pittsfield.

Skaters Place At Brighton

Malgren, Miss Smith Take Two Seconds In Indoor Event

BRIGHTON—Intermediates Ted Malgren and Patti Smith led the Pittsfield Speed Skating Club with two seconds apiece in the Northeastern indoor speed-skating championships here yesterday.

Malgren was second in the three-quarter and one-mile races, and Miss Smith was runner-up in the 660- and 880-yard events. Malgren also had a third in the 880.

Paul Burchard, intermediate, was fourth in the 880-, three-quarter, and one-mile races. Intermediate Patty Madden was fourth in the 660-yard race. Jamie Lambert, peewee, placed second in the 220 and third in the 110.

Uniforms will be collected Thursday at the meeting at Springside House.

Skaters Have Two Meets This Weekend

The Pittsfield Speed Skating team has been entered in two competitions this weekend.

This afternoon, six members are skating in the Central New York Outdoor Speed Skating championship at Syracuse, N.Y. Included are: Pat Smith, intermediate girls; Glennie Zofrea and Pat Madden, junior girls; Paul Canterella, junior boys; Joe Kamienski, midget boys and Jamy Lambert, peewee boys.

Tomorrow at 10 a.m., 16 will compete in the Connecticut Outdoor State Speed Skating championship at Hartford.

This group consists of Mary Ann Placido, Glennie Zofrea and Pat Madden, junior girls; Paul Canterella, junior boys; Nancijean Gillette, juvenile girls; Gary Fillio and Fred Merrill, juvenile boys; Donna Beach and Sally Farry, midget girls; Joe Kamienski, midget boys; Karen Downey, special

McGill Speaks On Housing For the Elderly

2-24-61

Arthur C. McGill, executive director of the Pittsfield Housing Authority, spoke on "Housing for the Elderly," this afternoon at the Senior Citizens' Center. He explained the requirements for eligibility, how applicants are selected, and answered questions.

Miss Elizabeth Waters gave the fourth lecture yesterday in a series of five on "Stretching Your Food Dollar With Cereals." Next Thursday's topic will be "Saving Pennies on Attractive Meals." The lectures are at 2 p.m.

A knitting and crocheting class and work session are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday. All senior citizens are invited. Those who have scraps of yarn or extra needles are requested to bring them to the center. Plans are to make an afghan.

The Monday leather class is making key cases and other small items. The meeting time is 2 p.m. Edmond Walger is teacher. Beginners, or anyone else interested, is invited to join the class.

Arthur Pierce will conduct the chess class at 2 p.m., Wednesday.

The Quota Club has presented the center with a subscription of the New England Adage, a magazine for senior citizens. Mrs. Henry G. Horn has given the center a subscription to The Eagle.

Patti Smith, Conway Do Well At Lake Placid

2/27/61

LAKE PLACID, N.Y. — Patti Smith and Dick Conway, both of Pittsfield, Mass., competed with distinction here over the weekend in an Olympic-style skating meet. Miss Smith, an intermediate who will be 17 years old next week, was third in her division in the over-all point standings. Conway placed fourth in the senior men's division.

Miss Smith was second in the 500 meter, third in the 1000 and third in the 1,500. Conway was third in the 1500, third in the 5,000, fourth in the 10,000 and fifth in the 500.

Both skaters received instruction in exercise and diet from three Northern New York Skating Association members, who recently returned from a month's training in Norway.

Star Skater Patti Smith Wins Sportsmanship Trophy

3/6/61

Pittsfield skating star Patti Smith was awarded the H. J. Gallagher memorial trophy for sportsmanship following the conclusion of the Eastern seaboard indoor championship meet yesterday at Lake Placid, N.Y. It was a fitting birthday present for Patti, who became 17 years old yesterday.

The trophy is awarded annually to the outstanding sportsman in the Northern New York Speed Skating Association. It is given by Mr. and Mrs. George Hare of Lake Placid in memory of H. J. Gallagher, for many years an official of the association.

Patti placed fourth in the three-quarter mile and half-mile races. Dick Conway, her trainer, said she was handicapped because she has concentrated on this kind of stroke, because that's what is used in the Olympics. Conway feels that Patti will make a strong bid for membership on the United States team in 1964. He points out that she is only 10 seconds behind the records for the 1,500 and 3,000-meter at present.

Patti has been a member of the Pittsfield Parks speed skating team and the Northern New York Speed Skating Association since 1955.

Patti is on the high honor roll at St. Joseph's High. She is secretary of the senior class. She is the daughter of Mrs. Mary T. Smith of 97 Brombach Street.

Patti Smith
Best Sportsman

Louis O. Conway of Pittsfield also was honored at Lake Placid. He received a trophy for being adjudged the outstanding official in the association.

Conway has been chairman of the Berkshire Hills speed skating championships at Pittsfield for several years. He also has participated in many of the New York association's events.

Local Skaters At Norwalk Tomorrow

3/11/61

Fifteen members of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club are entered in the Eastern States Speed Skating Indoor Championship to be held at Norwalk, Conn., tomorrow afternoon at 5. Checking in time is from 3:30 to 4:30 at the YMCA in Norwalk.

The following members are entered: peewee girl Joanne Farry, special midget boy Billy Farry; midget girls Dianne Mansen and Sally Farry; juvenile girl Nancigene Gillette; junior girls Pat Madden, Linda Morrison, Glennie Zofrea, Mary Ann Placido and Kathy Mansen; junior boys Paul Burchard and Paul Canterella; intermediate boy Ted Malmgren; intermediate girl Patti Smith and senior man Rit Ormsbee.

The club voted Thursday to discontinue meeting weekly as the skating season is practically over. Meetings will be held every two weeks. There will be no meeting Thursday, but there will be one Thursday March 23. All skaters will turn in their uniforms at that time.

Mrs. Mary Lambert and Mrs. Pat Peaslee were appointed co-chairmen of the annual skating dinner which will take place in April.

All members making the Norwalk trip will meet at the Parks and Recreation Department office at noon tomorrow.

Pat Madden Takes Third In Skating

3/13/61

Five Local Racers Qualify for Finals At Norwalk, Conn.

NORWALK, Conn. — The Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club placed five racers in the finals in the Eastern indoor speed skating championships here yesterday.

Of the five only one, junior girl, Pat Madden, was a medal-winner. She had a third in the 440-yard race. The other four were: Paul Burchard, junior boy; Ted Malmgren, intermediate boy; Nancigene Gillette, juvenile girl and Joanne Farry, peewee girl.

Miss Madden qualified in a field of 21 girls, but lost the trophy to Judy Ganter of Boston in a skate-off.

Burchard had a fourth in the 660, Malmgreen was fifth in the 880, Nancigene was fifth in 440 and Joanne was fourth in the 110 and fifth in the 220.

midget girls; Jimmy Marauszwski and Ricky Beach, special midget boys; Patti Beach, peewee girls and Jamy Lambert, peewee boys.

Misses Smith and Madden, Lambert Honored by Skaters

The Misses Patricia Smith and Patricia Madden and Jamie Lambert received the top awards at the annual dinner of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club last night at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Home. All were awarded trophies. Sixty-five attended.

Miss Smith was cited as the outstanding skater of the season. Miss Madden and Lambert were selected on the basis of several considerations. These included improvement, attendance at practice, general attitude and care of equipment. Miss Smith is an intermediate, Miss Madden a junior and Lambert a peewee.

Farry New President

James Farry, former Pittsfield High four-letter man, was elected president of the adult division of the club for the 1961-'62 season. A former Parks Department employe, he long has been active in the department's programs. Three of his children were members of the skating team the past winter.

Miss Madden was chosen president of the skaters' division of the club.

Other selectees were: adult, vice president, Charles Downey; secretary, Mrs. Mary Smith; treasurer, Mrs. Carl Peaslee; skaters, vice president, Gary Fillio; secretary, Miss Mary Placido; treasurer, Fred Merrill.

Carl Peaslee was chairman of the nominating committee.

Miss Placido, Nancy Jean Gillette, James Marauszewski, and Joanne, Sally and Billy Farry were given honorable mention in the competition for the trophies won by Miss Madden and Lambert.

Speakers were Ormand Merrill, outgoing adult president, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Parks and Recreation Department, and Roger O'Gara, sports editor of The Eagle. Francis Zofrea was toastmaster.

Mrs. Peaslee and Mrs. Mary Lambert were chairmen of the dinner committee.

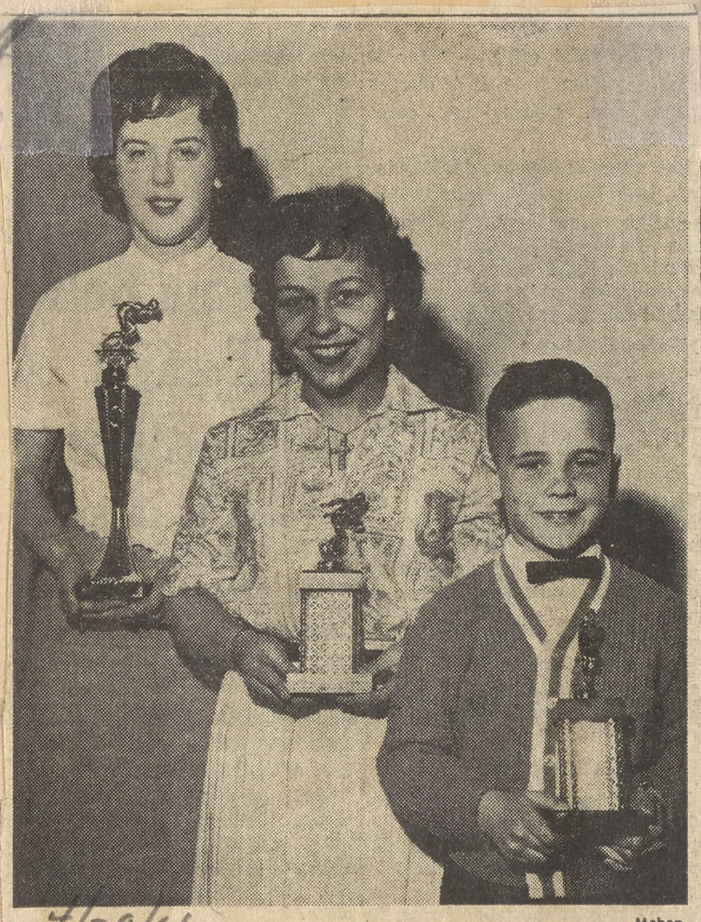
Skaters Run Bulb Sale This Weekend

5/26/61

Members of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club are selling electric light bulbs tonight and tomorrow with the profits going to help defray traveling expenses to skating meets.

The club members will be at the Adams Super Market on Dalton Avenue from 6 to 10 tonight. Tomorrow the skaters will be at Adams Super Market on West Stree and the Coltsville Shopping Cente from 10 in the morning until 6 night and at the Dalton Avenue Adams Super Market and Zayre from 10 in the morning until 1 at night.

Bulbs in watt sizes of 40, 60, 7 nd 100 will be sold at 25 cents ach. This is the first time a sale of this type is being attempted.



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TOP AWARDS of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club went to Patti Smith, left, Pat Madden and Jamy Lambert at the recent annual dinner of the club. Miss Smith, who skates in the intermediate class, is a senior at St. Joseph's High. Miss Madden, a sophomore at Pittsfield High, is in the junior girls' division. Jamy is a Peewee skater. He is in second grade at Egremont School. Dinner was at VFW home.

Speed Skaters' Dance Attended by 250

9/20/61

Two-hundred fifty teen-agers attended the Park Speed Skaters block dance at North Junior High School Friday evening.

Winners of the jitterbug dance contest were: Marcia Chiorgno of 51 Euclid Ave. and Charles O'Malley of 6 White Ter. Diane Wilk of 83 Harvard St. and Tony Rorabek of 319 Fenn St. won the waltz contest. Winners were awarded record albums.

Mrs. Spencer To Head Skating Assn.

4/18/61

Election Conducted At Meeting Sunday At Saratoga Springs

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. — Mrs. Hazel Spencer of Saratoga, N.Y. was elected president of the Northern New York State Skating Association at a luncheon meeting here Sunday. Mrs. Spencer succeeds Louis Conway of Pittsfield, Mass.

Mrs. James Neal of Saratoga was chosen secretary-treasurer, succeeding Mrs. Mary T. Smith of Pittsfield. First through fourth vice presidents respectively are as follows: Clarence Smith, Onchiota, N.Y.; Howard Harrington, Syracuse, N.Y.; James Sheffield, Lake Placid, N.Y., and August Wurster, Ballston Spa, N.Y.

Thirty-four association skating records were broken this year, it was stated in committee reports given by chairmen. The two largest association meets of the year were at Saratoga, where 247 skaters were registered, and at Pittsfield, where 216 skaters participated.

Tentative meet dates were requested by the member clubs. The dates will be confirmed at the fall meeting. Lake George, N.Y., a newcomer to the group, requested Feb. 17-18. Other dates requested are as follows: Syracuse, Jan. 6-7; Saratoga, Jan. 13-14; Pittsfield, Jan. 27-28 and Saranac Lake, Feb. 3-4.444

The requested time for the Lake Placid indoor meet is March 3-4.

Conway and Mrs. Smith were among the outgoing officers commended for excellent service during their terms in office.

Local Skaters Compete Today At Hyannis

2/25/61

Cape Cod Meet At For Outdoor Rink With Artificial Ice

Fifteen members of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club leave this morning at 10 for Hyannis where they will compete in the second annual Cape Cod Skating Championships today. The group will meet at the Park Department office at Springside and travel to the meet by car.

Competing from Pittsfield are peewee boy Jamy Lambert; peewee girl Joanne Farry; special midget boys Jimmy Marauswski and Billy Farry; midget girls Patricia Rohlfs, Diane Mansen and Sally Farry; juvenile boys Garry Fillio and Bob James.

Also junior girls Pat Madden and Mary Ann Placido; junior boys Paul Burchard and Paul Cantarella and intermediate boy Ted Malmgren.

The meet will be held outdoors but on an indoor type rink that uses manufactured ice. The championships will be held unless the weather becomes unseasonably warm.

The Pittsfield club has had virtually no practice this week as the thaw has ruined all ice in the area. Club officers plan to contact indoor rinks within a radius of 60 miles in an effort to find a place where the local skaters can practice.

Senior Citizens Are Entertained

6-9-61

Mrs. Martha L. Waterman and Clifford Peaslee recently entertained a group of 35 at the Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St. Mrs. Waterman and Mr. Peaslee played zithers, while the group sang.

The central committee of the center met to work on plans for future programs. Plans include musical programs, skits and outings.

The board of directors of the center will meet Monday at 4:30 at the center. A meeting of the entire membership of the center has been called for next Friday at 2.

Senior Citizens

35 Take Part In Discussion on Social Security

By JEAN LOVELAND

Thirty-five persons attended the second of a series of six discussions on Social Security led by George F. Ames, district officer, Tuesday morning. The title of this week's discussion was "The Impact of Inflation on Retired People."

On Tuesday, Jan. 3, Mr. Ames will lead a discussion on "Why Social Security Has an Earning Test —What Is It?" The discussion will begin at 10 a.m.

Arthur W. Pierce will give chess lessons to center members who wish to learn the game on Wednesday afternoons from 2 to 3:30 p.m. Chess, cribbage, checkers, discussions and volunteer projects are the favorite activities for both men and women at the center. On Wednesday mornings from 10 to 11:30 and on Friday from 2 to 4 p.m. volunteer projects will be available.

The Pittsfield Community Antenna Inc., has put the Senior Citizens television set on a cable so that viewers now have a choice of five channels.

The center will be closed Monday, Jan. 2, for the New Year holiday.

Kennedy Gets Medical Care Plan for Aged

He Likes It; Proposal Tied to Social Security

NEW YORK (UPI) — A federal medical care program involving an added Social Security tax of one-fourth of one per cent on the wages of all Americans now covered by the system was recommended today to President-elect John F. Kennedy.

The program, designed essentially to provide medical care for the aged, was presented to Kennedy shortly before the president-elect left New York for important afternoon conferences in Washington on the gold outflow and the space programs of the new administration.

The health insurance plan was outlined by Prof. Wilber Cohen of the University of Michigan, head of a special "task force" recruited by Kennedy. Abraham A. Ribicoff, the new secretary of health, education and welfare, sat in on the meeting.

Report in Detail

Cohen went immediately from Kenndey's suite at the Carlyle Hotel to a press conference at the nearby Stanhope Hotel where he described the report in more detail.

Cohen first made this brief analysis of the recommendations:

¶A health insurance program to provide medical care for the aged would be operated as an integral part of the Social Security system with an additional deduction of one quarter of one per cent from the wages of currently covered workers.

¶Each employer would make a matching contribution of one fourth of one per cent.

Says Kennedy Enthusiastic

Cohen said he would like to see legislation adopted soon enough to permit payroll deductions to begin within a year. He described the President-elect as being "very enthusiastic" about the report.

The Michigan professor predicted that with Kennedy's support this proposal would become law during the present administration's four-year reign.

Cohen said that despite heavy opposition from some quarters, he feels there will be "very enthusiastic support" in Congress for the health program.

Senior Citizens Being Registered For Activities

Registration for activities at the new Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St., opened today and will continue through Friday.

The Department of Parks and Recreation said those registering at the center would be given a membership entitling them to participate in the organization's activities.

Anyone more than 60 years old is eligible, and no membership fee will be charged.

Senior Citizens

63 Register For Activities At Center

By JEAN LOVELAND

Sixty-three persons have registered for activities at the Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St. Persons 60 or over are eligible. Registration will continue through the coming week. It is felt that many wishing to register could not come because of inclement weather.

Leather working and table games will be one of the high lights of center activities Monday. Edmond Walger of 45 MacArthur St. is teaching the leather tooling class. Any senior citizen is invited to attend the class from 2 to 4 p.m.

A film, "Sam'l and Social Security," will be shown Tuesday. After the film George F. Ames of the district Social Security office will lead a discussion on Social Security. The program will begin at 10 a.m.

On Wednesday, "Chess for Beginners" will be offered by Arthur W. Pierce of 26 Thomson Place. Persons wishing to learn or to play are invited. The group meets from 2 to 4 p.m. at the center.

Thursday and Friday plans have been made to complete the Christmas card scrap books for the local hospitals.

If you are eligible and have not registered for the Senior Citizens Center activities, please do so.

Senior Citizens

Final in Series On Social Security Will Be Tuesday

By JEAN LOVELAND

George F. Ames, manager of the local Social Security office, will lead the final in a series of discussions on Social Security at 10 Tuesday morning at the Senior Citizens Center. The discussion will be on the theme, "What Does the Future Hold for Our Senior Citizens?" This week's discussion, "Sam'l and Social Security," was led by Francis C. Gofton of the Social Security office.

Other events planned at the center are a leather tooling class from 2 to 4 Monday afternoons by Edmond Walter, to be open to all senior citizens; and a chess class conducted by Arthur W. Pierce on Wednesday afternoons.

New Series Planned

A new series of discussions on the subject, "Stretching the Food Dollar for Health," will begin next week. The discussions will be led by Miss Elizabeth Watters of the state Health Department from 2 to 3:30 p.m. Thursdays.

On Wednesday, Dr. Harold Stein reported on the medical care workshop of the White House Conference on the Aging. Yesterday, nine scrapbooks were completed for children's wards at the hospitals. Volunteer workers this week were Mrs. James P. McCormick and Mrs. Russell D. Bousquet.

The center has received the gift of a refrigerator for the snack kitchen from Miss Elizabeth B. Bliss of 30 Crofut St.

Dr. Exford Back From Conference On the Aging

Dr. Donald C. Exford of 70 Bishop Parkway has returned from the White House Conference on Aging in Washington, D.C., where he was a delegate from the American Optometric Association, as a member of the vision care of the aging committee of that organization.

Dr. Exford was assigned to the section on rehabilitation and the workshop on vision loss among the aging and the aged.

The policy statement resulting from Dr. Exford's workshop as presented under the rehabilitation section's final report yesterday at the closing Plenary session at Constitutional Hall was as follows:

"To promote the well-being of persons suffering visual loss and maintain their integration as members of society there are available a considerable array of valid processes. These consist of two major kinds — (1). Means of sight preservation and restoration, including visual aids—2. Means of self-management as blind individuals. For the first of these the combined talents of medicine, optometry and social work require special facilities and training under properly constituted public health programs. For the second, resources of rehabilitation are required, particularly skills in self-management as developed in rehabilitaton centers for the blind, as well as the liberal use of such motivation measures as reader and guide service. Pragmatically sanctioned treatment and care as developed in various existing programs for the blind can be serviceable to the aged population, if expanded. There is need to learn more about the true function of work, leisure and recreation in the lives of aging persons with vision loss."

Tuesday evening a social was held at the Statler-Hilton Hotel for all the delegates from Massachusetts. Congressman Silvio O. Conte was among those greeting the delegation.

Dr. Stein Reports On White House Conference

Dr. Harold Stein, health commissioner, reviewed high lights of the recent White House Conference on the Aging and conducted a discussion yesterday afternoon at the Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St.

A large number of Pittsfield's senior citizens attended, and their questions centered on medical care legislation, including the Kerr-Mills bill and the proposed Social Security bill.

Dr. Stein attended the conference in Washington last week. His report yesterday included a policy statement on health and medical care and considerable discussion of preventive medicine, a focal point of the conference.

Senior Citizens Center Announces New Schedule

A new schedule of hours for the Senior Citizens' Center, 349 North St., was announced today. The schedule, effective tomorrow, follows:

Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Next three Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Previously the center opened at 9 a.m., but few persons arrived before 10. Requests, however, have been received for having the center open Saturdays, and thus the decision to try a Saturday opening for the next three weeks.

Conference on Aging

Social Security Medical Care Backed

By H. P. WINCHESTER

Special to THE EAGLE

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The delegates last week worked two full days in 100 workshop groups of about 20 persons each. Each workshop was asked to deal with a specific section of one of the general topics under consideration here.

There will, for instance, 23 workshops studying subheadings of Topic II—health, medical care and rehabilitation. Subheadings ranged from hospitals to mental health.

My workshop, one of 28 working on parts of the topic population trends, income maintenance, inflation, employment security and retirement, dealt with the specific problem of preserving roles and status in the later years.

Pittsfield's delegates, Dr. Harold Stein and Mrs. John F. Diamond, were involved respectively in workshop discussions on financing medical care and community organization.

A report on each general topic will be made by those working on sub-headings of the topic. This aggregate, called a section, is voting on policy and recommendations. My section, Section I, consisting of about 800 delegates, already has met to hear the findings of all its workshops and to vote on their recommendations.

The section report, a compilation of the workshop reports, was submitted to the full plenary session at Constitution Hall, Thursday.

Rights and Obligations

Section 1's voting session lasted all Wednesday morning. We passed a charter, a statement of rights and obligations of senior citizens. Among their rights, we declared, were these: The right to freedom from want, the right to decent housing, and to independence. In return, they are obliged to keep themselves healthy, active, alert and adaptable to change. They should continue to serve the community.

A Social Security plan for medical care to the aged was endorsed by the financing of medical care, 170 to 99. Members of my workshop and several others unofficially voted 39 to 10 in favor. There is no question that, had the issue been submitted to a vote of the entire conference, it would have been approved by a much larger percentage.

It has been said here that the section that did vote on the medical care payments system was "rigged." Evidently there wasn't enough rigging to change the outcome. This vote not only served to get the conference on the front pages of newspapers but also to keep the delegates in excited suspense.

Freedom From Want

Other important questions of federal intervention arose in discussions of housing, hospitals, nursing homes and old age homes. Delegates went both ways on all. Some thought the old people should be entirely responsible for their own finances, that they should have provided through savings for their later years, and that they should go on relief just like anyone else when their savings are gone.

These types are rare here, however. We oldsters are riding a tide of sympathy. Many here consider freedom from want in later years to be a moral right.

Wednesday night I caught up with my fellow Berkshire delegates at a reception of Massachusetts conferees at the Hotel Statler. I discussed the conference with Dr. Stein and Mrs. Diamond over a cup of coffee.

Varied Delegation

The Massachusetts delegation includes nuns and priests, ministers, doctors, social workers, state officials, elected representatives and laymen, like myself.

A conspicuous number of Catholic priests reflects the important work the Catholic Church is doing in the field under discussion here. Negroes are also well represented.

The older delegates generally are being pushed aside by those in their 30's and 40's—ironical, I think, in view of the fact we are discussing, among other things, the problem of society's condescension to the aged.

Health Department Praised

Old age power groups have been active, but without conspicuous success. Some delegates have been enlisted, but a motion to organize a legislative power group was roundly defeated.

Everyone here is full of praise for the way this conference was organized by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Communications have worked well among the widely scattered delegates, and research materials have been readily available. Preparations by the department lasted two years.

The resulting recommendations of this conference should be a beacon for old age policies until the end of this century.

Senior Citizens

Dr. Harold Stein To Report On Conference

By JEAN LOVELAND

Dr. Harold Stein, health commissioner, will give a report and lead an informal discussion on the White House Conference on Aging Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 3:30 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St. The conference had four major areas of concern: economic security, preservation of health, adequate housing, and productive living. All senior citizens are invited to attend.

The Social Security discussion tomorrow led by George F. Ames, district manager of the Social Security Administration office, will feature a film, "Sam'l and Social Security." The program will start at 10 a.m.

The chess-for-beginners' class regularly held on Wednesday afternoons will be Thursday afternoon from 2 to 3:30 because of the discussion on the White House Conference on Aging. All senior citizens who want to learn to play chess are invited.

Registration for the Senior Citizens Center activities will continue through this week. If you have not registered, please do so.

'Why Eat?' Is Topic Of Senior Citizens Talk

"Why Eat?" is the title of the first in a five-session series of discussions at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the Senior Citizens' Center, 349 North St.

The discussion will be led by Miss Elizabeth Watters, nutritionist of the district health office. Other discussions will include such topics as "A Food Guide for Older Folks," "Menus," "Cost Levels" and "Food Orders."

Senior Citizens To Hear Talk by Welfare Commissioner

Raymond T. Quinn, deputy commissioner of welfare, will discuss the Kerr-Mills bill, a medical care bill recently passed by Congress, a 2 p.m. Friday at the Senior Citizens' Center, 349 North St.

The knitting and crocheting group of the center is in need of black wool for the afghan members are making for the Christian Center.

Senior Citizens News Briefs

Thirty-three attended the lecture-demonstration, "Add Color for Health," yesterday by Miss Elizabeth Watters of the district health office. The group received recipes, information, concerning the value of color — vegetables and fruits — to their diet. Miss Watters demonstrated methods of cooking and serving fruits and vegetables to conserve food value and to give "eye-appeal" to these foods.

The next discussion will be "Protein for Alertness." The program will begin at 2 p.m. Thursday.

Leather working class will continue Monday afternoon at 2 as will the chess class on Wednesday afternoon. These classes are open to senior citizens who wish to learn these skills.

There still are several valentine favors to complete for the nursing homes.

Senior Citizens Center Schedules Three Events

Three events will take place next week at the Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St.

The leather class will meet at 2 p.m. Monday. A lecture on "Stretch Your Food Dollar With Cereals" will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, and Arthur McGill of the Housing for the Elderly office will speak on the new housing project at 2 p.m. Friday.

Because of the holiday, the center will be closed all day Wednesday.

Thirty attended a lecture-demonstration on "Eat for Alertness" Thursday at the center.

38 Attend Lecture For Senior Citizens

"Saving Pennies With Attractive Meals," the last in a series of five lecture-demonstrations was given at the Senor Citizens Center yesterday. Thirty-eight persons attended. The lecture was on planning and serving colorful, attractive, well-balanced low cost meals. Miss Elizabeth Waters of the District Health Office used models of the various foods and graphs showing food values to show the group how to get the most for their food dollar. An orange-milk drink prepared with dry milk and concentratrated orange juice was served to the group as an example of a beverage high in food value.

These demonstrations were made possible by the Extension Service and South Congrergational Church. These groups loaned equipment which made food preparation possible.

Wednesday afternoon, a knitting and crocheting session began work on afghans. Anyone interested in learning to knit or crochet is invited. The work session begins at 2 p.m.

Joseph A. Nigrelli Is Elected UCT Senior Counselor

3/8/61

Joseph A. Nigrelli was elected and installed senior counselor of Berkshire Council, United Commercial Travelers, at a meeting, attended by 38, Monday evening at the White Tree Club. He succeeds Howard C. Fiske.

Other officers named were Harvey F. Shufelt, junior counselor; Mr. Fiske, past senior counselor; Gerald Fox, conductor; Gary Van Korb, page; George G. Callahan, sentinel; Richard Seidell, chaplain; and Maurice L. Callahan, secretary-treasurer.

Patsey Mazzeo and James Scalise were named executive committee members for two years, and Arthur Sturgis and John A. Simpson, for one year.

Arthur F. Sturgis conducted the installation ceremonies.

A contribution was made to the cancer committee, Mr. Simpson, chairman, reported. A report also was made on the UCT-sponsored bowling team for boys. Mr. Sturgis announced that UCT is backing efforts to secure a school for retarded children in Berkshire County.

Dinner Set for March 20

Plans were made for a friendship prospect dinner Monday, March 20, at the Lakeview Restaurant. Mr. Mazzeo is chairman. Delegates and alternates for the New England convention will be elected. The convention will be at Breton Woods, N.H., in June.

Senior Citizens Discuss Activities

3-20-61

Suggestions for activities at the Senior Citizens Center were made by members of the center's program committee at a recent meeting at the center.

Committee members are Mrs. Rae Dupro, Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, Mrs. Georgette Mauhatt, Carl Cozzio, John Callaghan and Edmond Walger.

Among activities suggested were discussion groups on city, state and federal government, book reviews, current event discussions, work for the bicentennial celebration, drama group, travelogues, hobby shows and displays, hospital work for the Red Cross, making bandages for lepers and study groups on various subjects, debates on current issues and talks on occupations or hobbies. Other suggestions may be left at the center.

One of the afghans the senior citizens are making for the Christian Center is half completed. Any senior citizen who would like to help with the afghans may work on them any time the center is open. A group makes the afghan their project on Wednesday afternoons from 2 to 4. Chess and leather-working classes are held from 2 to 4 p.m. on Wednesday and Monday respectively.

Next Friday afternoon from 2 to 4 a group will sand and refinish wooden blocks for the Day Care Center. Orrin A. Clark of 98 Circular Ave. will be the leader.

Senior Citizens Hear Talk on Medical Aid Bill

3-20-61

Fifty-eight attended a lecture by Raymond T. Quinn, deputy welfare commissioner, Friday at the Senior Citizens' Center.

Mr. Quinn explained the Kerr-Mills bill which was passed by Congress Nov. 23, 1960. This bill permits the states to set up their own plan for administering medical aid for the aged. Only 5 states have accepted the plan; 17 have rejected it. The state Department of Welfare is clarifying details of implementation of this bill for Massachusetts. Specific questions concerning this legislation may be referred to the local welfare department.

Senior Citizens Plan Discussions

3/29/61

The Senior Citizens' Center committee has decided to begin a discussion group featuring senior citizens as speakers and discussion leaders. First discussion will be at 2:30 Monday afternoon at the center, where John J. Callaghan will speak.

Purpose of the group is to offer opportunities for members to speak before friends on a topic of their own choice.

Committee members are Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, Miss Rae Dupro, Mrs. Georgette Mauhatt, Edmond Walger, Carl Cozzio and Mr. Callaghan.

Senior Citizens Making Afghans

4/1/61

The crocheted afghan which is on display in the window of the Senior Citizen's Center, 349 North St., was made by a group of 25 Senior Citizens under the direction of Mrs. Georgette Mouhat. The second afghan is about half finished. Any senior citizen who would like to knit is invited to come on Wednesday afternoon to work on the afghan.

The discussion group will begin Monday afternoon at 2:30. All senior citizens are invited. Each speaker will choose his own subject. John Callaghan will speak Monday.

The leather working class will meet Friday from 1:30 to 3:30, and the chess class and the afghan group will meet from 2 to 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Volunteers assisting at the center this week were Mrs. Daniel Fox, Mrs. Russell D. Bousquet and Mrs. Harry J. Mason.

Senior Citizens' Center News

By JEAN LOVELAND

The Senior Citizens' Center board of directors met yesterday afternoon at the center to discuss policies and hear a report of the center activities. To date, 283 senior citizens have registered for activities at the center. The aggregate attendance at the center now stands at 2,648 persons.

Programs during the past month have included classes in chess, leather craft, and knitting and crocheting; lectures and discussions on housing, and city government. Volunteer projects of an afghan for the Christian Center and refinishing of blocks for the Day Care Center have been completed. One hundred and eleven books have been circulated from the collection loaned to the center by the Berkshire Athenaeum.

Brochures explaining the center are available at 349 North St.

The center committee met yesterday at the center. The committee is composed of Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, Mrs. Georgette Mouhat, John Callaghan, Edmond Walger and Carl Cozzio. New program ideas discussed by the group were: Stories to be given by senior citizens on travels, amusing and surprising incidents they have experienced on the job, and talks on gardening and interior decorating.

The committee discussed the project of dressing dolls that would be donated to the center to be given to the needy children in the community. Anyone who has dolls they would like to donate may bring them to the center at 349 North St.

Senior Citizens 3-25-61

Group Lists Activities And Committee

By JEAN LOVELAND

Senior citizens sanded and painted wooden blocks for the Day Care Center this afternoon at the Senior Citizens' Center at 349 North St. This project is one of the many volunteer projects completed by the center. Fifteen women worked on afghans for the Christian Center, Wednesday afternoon. Black wool is still needed to complete the afghans.

A new pamphlet describing the center and its activities is now available at the Senior Citizens' Center. Norman Sandhaus drew the illustrations for the brochure, Donald P. Gerst printed the pamphlets. These are available at the Center. All persons over 60 years of age are eligible to register for activities. Two hundred - sixteen have registered.

Thirty-two books were presented to the center from Mrs. Helen LaPointe of 5 Tower Drive. Members who assisted with the program and the activities of the center this week were Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, Mrs. Georgette Mauhat, Edmond Walger, Dan Brockway, Arthur Pierce and Orrin Clark. Volunteers from other groups who assisted this week were Mrs. Daniel Fox and Mrs. Russell Bousquet.

The committee will meet Monday at 1 p.m. at the center. The committee is composed of Mrs. Mauhat, Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. Rae Dupro, John Callaghan, Edmond Walger and Carl Cozzio.

The program for the coming week will include leather and chess classes from 2 to 4 p.m. Monday and Wednesday afternoons respectively. Scrap books for the pediatric ward of Pittsfield General Hospital will be made on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 10 to 12.

Senior Citizens 4/15/61

Walger To Talk On Leathercraft

Edmond Walger will give a talk and demonstration on leathercraft at the Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St., Monday at 2:30. Leathercraft will be on display in the window at the center from today through next week.

The program for the coming week includes scrapbooks for the children's ward at Hillcrest Hospital Tuesday morning from 10 to noon. The crocheting and knitting group will meet Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4. Chess class will meet Wednesday from 2 to 4.

Donations of dolls to be outfitted with wardrobes are still needed, as well as wool for the afghans currently being made at the center.

Volunteers at the center this week include Mrs. Harry Mason and in the practical nurses training program.

Senior Citizens Will Elect Oficers

4-26-61

Members of the Senior Citizens Center will elect officers Monday at 11 a.m. at the center. The officers will plan and make arrangements for programs at the center. Anyone over 60 years of age who has registered at the center is eligible to vote or to hold office. Dr. Harold Stein, president of the board of directors, will conduct the election.

Kiwanis Club Gives Sign to Center For Senior Citizens

An outside sign entitled "The Senior Citizens' Center," made by the Radding Sign Co. and donated by the Kiwanis Club of Pittsfield, was presented to the center this morning by Everett A. Kelsey, club president.

The Senior Citizens' Center, run under the auspices of the Parks and Recreation Dept., is at 349 North St.

Senior Citizens 4-26-61

32 Hear Talk On Hoosac Tunnel

Twenty-two Senior Citizens heard Orrin A. Clark tell about his railroad experiences concerning the Hoosac Tunnel at a meeting Monday at the center. Mr. Clark told of the construction of the tunnel from both ends to the center. When the crews met they lacked having the shaft meet perfectly by only nine inches. The fall of a wildcat down the central shaft of the tunnel was another incident the speaker recalled.

Activities this week at the center include: scrapbooks on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, knitting, and crocheting and chess class this afternoon, and leathercraft on Friday afternoon.

JCC Senior Citizens Attend Conference

5-19-61

Seventeen members of the recently organized senior citizens group of the Jewish Community Center attended the third annual older adult conference at the Jewish Community Center, Springfield, yesterday. Mendel Adlersheim, cantor of Ahavath Sholem Synagogue, read in Yiddish from the works of Sholom Aleichem.

Mrs. Louis Schiller, Mrs. Stanley Simpkin, Mrs. Carl Wildman and Isadore Cooperman, director of the center, provided transportation for the group.

Members of Jewish Community Centers from Bridgeport, New Haven, Waterbury and Hartford, Conn., and Holyoke, Pittsfield and Springfield participated in the conference. The Pittsfield group submitted a bid for next year's conference to be held in this city.

Senior Citizens Set Program on Gardens

5-13-61

Dick L. Boyce, horticulturist of the Berkshire County Extension Service, will speak on the topic of spring gardens at the Senior Citizens Center, 349 North St., Thursday at 2:30. The lecture will be followed by an informal discussion period.

Other programs and activities planned for the coming week are canasta, chess, scrabble, crocheting, pitch, jig saw puzzles and leather craft. Anyone interested in learning any of these activities will be welcome at the center.

The center committee, headed by Edmond Walger, welcomes suggestions for programs and activities. Ideas or suggestions may be left at the center or with Mr. Walger.

The Sick and Shut-in Committee headed by Mrs. Samuel B. Green would like to be informed of members who are ill. Mrs. Georgette Mouhat has been appointed head of the house committee.

Volunteers this week at the center were Mrs. Daniel Fox, Mrs. David W. Morrison, Mrs. William E. Herrmann and nurses in the practical nurses' training program.

Senior Citizens To Hold Food Sale

5/30

The Senior Citizens will hold a food sale at the Senior Citizens' Center, 349 North St., tomorrow, beginning at 9 a.m. Proceeds from the sale of home-baked goods will be used for future activities in the center.

Jamy Lambert Has 2 Seconds At Hyannis

2/8/61

HYANNIS — Only one Pittsfield skater, Jamy Lambert, came home from the second annual Cape Cod speed skating meet here Sunday with prizes. Lambert had seconds in the 110-yard and 220-yard races.

Bobby James, in the juvenile division, qualified in the 440 but received a gash in his leg and was unable to compete further.

Pat Madden and Mary Ann Placido qualified in the junior girls' 880 but did not place in the final.

The meet, originally scheduled for Saturday, drew 150 entrants from New England and New York.

Senior Citizens Center News

5/27/61

By JEAN LOVELAND

Edward L. Fitzgerald, president of the Senior Citizens Center, has called a meeting of the entire membership for Wednesday afternoon at 3 at the center, 349 North St. Special projects will be discussed.

A special lecture on "Inexpensive Home Furnishings, Fabrics and Fibers" will be given by Miss Donna Williams, County Extension Service home economist. The program will be given Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the center. All those who would like to learn about home furnishings and decorator touches to perk up their apartments or homes are invited.

Volunteers are still needed for the center committees—housekeeping, program, and visiting the sick. Persons having suggestions for special programs, classes, or special events for the center should make their suggestions to Mr. Edmond Walger or leave them at the center.

Senior Citizens Name Secretary

7/13

Mrs. Anna La Pierre was elected secretary at a recent meeting of the Senior Citizens at the Senior Citizens' Center, 349 North St. Meetings will be held the first Friday of each month at 2 p.m.

Edmond Walger, chairman of the central committee, thanked those who worked on the recent food sale.

A card party is planned for next Wednesday. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments served. A small fee will be charged.

Members are invited on an outing Aug. 2 at the home of Mrs. John Diamond in Worthington.

Senior Citizens Center News

8/24

Twelve tables were in play at a card party last week at the Senior Citizens Center. Edward Walger was chairman assisted by Mrs. Lauretta St. Peter, Mrs. Anne LaPierre, Mrs. Anne Wyand, Mrs. Mabel Corcoran and Mrs. Mable Groch. It is planned to hold a card party once a month.

A bus trip to the home of Mrs. Jack Diamond in Worthington is scheduled for Wednesday, Aug. 2, starting at 10 a.m. from the center. Payment is to be made by next Monday.

Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy has written a theme song for the center where copies are available. She is organizing a chorus for the center.

Senior Citizens Plan Card Party

8-10-61

Plans for a card party Wednesday, Aug. 16, were made at a recent meeting at the Senior Citizens' Center.

Mrs. Herman Groch offered to donate a flag for the center.

After the business meeting a short entertainment was presented by Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy and Charles F. Hebert. Mrs. Elissa Francoeur was master of ceremonies. The entertainment was in honor of the birthday of Mrs. John N. Diamond, center director. George Oschman presented Mrs. Diamond with a gift from center members. The entertainment closed with the singing of the theme song, led by Roland R. Bentley, William Black and Charles Hebert.

Mitchell

BERKSHIRE DEBUT OF 'OKLAHOMA!' brought a sell-out crowd of 1,600 to Wahconah Park last night for the first of four performances of the famed musical by an all-Berkshire cast of 125 as a kickoff for the Bicentennial Days celebration. The event also served to christen the baseball park as a setting for outdoor music-drama. Next show: tonight at 8:30. Others: Thursday and Sunday nights. Rain date: Monday night.

'Oklahoma!' Is Moving To Ball Park 8/9/61

Texas may be big but "Oklahoma!" is bigger. In fact, it's so big that Director Robert M. Boland has been compelled to change the place of its presentation from the Pittsfield High School mall to Wahconah Park.

Because the famed Rodgers and Hammerstein musical drama based on the settling of a territory will be one of the features of the city-county bicentennial, it is expected to draw record audiences for its four presentations the last week in August. For that reason ample seating room must be provided. Bleachers, planned originally, would be inadequate in the limited space at the mall, so the Bicentennial executive committee sanctioned the switch to the park.

Seats for 1,800

Some of the advantages are: 1,800 seats; a realistic, grassy stage on which saddle horses and a driving team for "The Surrey With the Fringe on Top" can augment the cast of 125; an installed broadcasting system, parking and restroom facilities.

Mr. Boland deliberately selected a big cast when he was overwhelmed by the large number of singers and dancers eager to take part. It was then, realizing no stage in the city was adequate, that he decided to stage the play out of doors.

The move to Wahconah Park, he notes, means that "Curly will come riding on stage on a cow pony singing, 'O What a Beautiful Morning.' The park will give us ample opportunity to move about, and more people will be able to see it."

Tickets will be $1 and $2 and will go on sale Monday. There will be 832 reserved $2 seats each night and 1,300 unreserved $1 seats. The reserved seats will be in the first four rows of each of the grandstand's six sections.

With 1,300 dollar seats each night, the executive committee noted, the bicentennial show should be within the reach of everybody. Tickets will be on sale at Mary & Zell, Sammy Vincent's, the Open Book, England Brothers, Dalton Appliance Center and the Bicentennial Headquarters, 272 North St.

The performances are Aug. 28, 29, 30 and 31.

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Parade Horse To Make Debut In 'Oklahoma!' 8-26-61

Wyoming Silver, well-known parade horse will have the distinction of being the first horse ever to appear in a stage production of "Oklahoma!" when the Rogers and Hammerstein musical is presented Tuesday through Thursday at Wahconah Park.

John Gorman, playing the lead role of Curly, will make his initial appearance riding Silver and singing, "O What a Beautiful Morning."

Silver, well-known as a parade horse on the West Coast, has participated in many New England parades in the past few years. He is owned by the Kimball Stables of Lenox and will be trucked to and from the park nightly. Silver is appearing through a special dispensation from the Park Commissioners.

Phillies 6/24/61 Slate Clinic At Wahconah

Two-Day Session Under Dale Jones Starts July 14

The Philadelphia Phillies will nduct a two-day baseball clinic Wahconah Park Friday, July 14, id Saturday, July 15, for the pur- se of teaching interested boys e fundamentals of the game and uncover promising youngsters r the organization in the future. arting time will be 9:30 each orning.

The clinic will be conducted by Dale Jones, Phillies chief scout in Northeastern United States and eastern Canada, Stan Benjamin and Buzz Bowers, area scouts, and Ted Mezejewski, who scouts for the Phillies in the county. Jones pitched for the Philadelphia club and several teams in organized baseball. For several years he was pitching coach for the Phillies and its farm clubs.

The clinic-tryout is open to all boys between the ages of 15 and 20. Boys must bring their own gloves, uniforms, towels and spiked shoes. Everyone reporting will be put throught the regular clinic course.

American Legion players are permitted to participate if it does not interfere with their Legion activities. Legion players must have written approval from their coaches or sponsoring post commanders to attend.

Further details can be obtained from Mezejewski, who lives at 23 Beech Grove Ave.

Drum Corps Here Aug. 11 7/27

Monarchs Sponsor Event Scheduled For Wahconah Park

The Monarch Junior Drum Corps of Pittsfield will sponsor their first drum corps competition on Friday, Aug. 11, starting at 8 p.m. at Wahconah Park. The first annual "Moonlight March" will feature corps from the Hudson-Berkshire Circuit, with corps coming from Fairlawn, N.J., Frankfort, N.Y., Catskill, N.Y., Utica, N.Y., Rensselaer, N.Y., and Adams.

Also competing for the prizes will be the Boys' Club Cavaliers of Pittsfield. This will be the Boys' Club's only local appearance as a competing corps in the Hudson-Berkshire Circuit. This corps was organized in February 1959 and this is their second year as a competition corps. In 1960 they appeared in four competitions, capturing one first prize and three second prizes.

This year's Cavaliers competitive corps consists of 30 horns, 9 drums, and a 14-man color guard, led by Wilbert Stockton who was selected as the outstanding drum major in the Hudson-Berkshire Circuit last year. The Cavaliers also belong to the Yankee Circuit, having been accepted this year as a class A corps.

The rain date for the contest is Saturday, Aug. 12. Tickets for adults and for children (7-13—half price) may be purchased from any corps member, director, or parents, and also at Sammy Vincent's, Inc.., Dalton Appliance Center, or at the gate.

Phillies To Hold Clinic at Wahconah

The Philadelphia Phillies' North eastern scout Dale Jones will con duct a two-day baseball clinic Fri day and Saturday at Wahconah Park here, beginning at 9:30 a.m. each day.

The clinic will be for boys be tween the ages of 15 and 20. Can didates are requested to bring their own gloves, uniforms, spikes and towels.

Arthur Bartram Entertained for 98th Birthday

Librizzi

Arthur Bartram, who is observing his 98th birthday today, participates in a skit at a party in his honor yesterday afternoon at the Senior Citizens' Center. Taking part were, left to right, Mrs. Daniel J. Miraglia, Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy and Mr. Bartram. About 50 attended the event.

Arthur L. Bartram is observing his 98th birthday today. He was guest of honor at a birthday party at the Senior Citizens' Center yesterday afternoon. About 50 attended the event for which arrangements were made by Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy. She also put on a skit. Mrs. Daniel J. Miraglia sang solos, and she and Mr. Bartram sang two duets.

Mrs. Eddy, who has claimed for years that she and Mr. Bartram couldn't get married because she couldn't get her parents' consent, appeared in her "wedding gown," a white dress, and a curtain veil. "I finally got the consent," said Mrs. Eddy. She also received permission from Mrs. Miraglia, whom she called "my daughter twice-removed." During the skit, Mrs. Martha Waterman played the wedding march and Mrs. Miraglia sang "O Promise Me" before "the bride" arrived to sing "Waiting at the Church.'

Nursing Home Resident

Mr. Bartram has been at Springside Nursing Home, Inc., about two years, and, before that, lived with his grandson-in-law and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lasher of Berkshire Village.

He still plays the guitar, flute and piccolo, and he often sings with friends when they visit him at the nursing home. He frequently harmonizes with Mrs. Miraglia, especially at holiday times when they go from room to room to sing for the patients.

Mr. Bartram is a charter member of the Golden Age Club, meetings of which he still attends occasionally, and belongs to the Senior Citizens Center where he also attends meetings when he can.

Operated Bicycle Shop

Mr. Bartram was born in Bethel, Conn., and came to Pittsfield in 1886 when he started working in a clock shop. For many years he operated a bicycle shop in Lee. In 1928 he retired from GE, where he was a fine precision machinist.

He has a daughter, Mrs. Warren L. Cooke of 71 Second St., two granddaughters, Mrs. Lasher and Mrs. Ellis H. Wright, six great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Golden Age Banquet Attended by 259 At Masonic Temple

Two hundred fifty-nine attended a banquet of the Golden Age Club Monday at the Masonic Temple. Twelve College Club members were present. Fred J. Pittman of the White Tree Club catered.

Carl Cozzio of the club's steering committee and Vincent J. Hebert of the Park Department spoke. They were introduced by Mrs. Jennie Durwin, club president.

The Golden Age chorus under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson sang, and Mrs. Mary Myers and Mrs. Hutchinson were soloists.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, refreshment chairman, gave the invocation.

The GE Pensioners' orchestra played before the meal and afterward for dancing. Flowers were given by the College Club and by the House of Flowers.

Golden Age Group Will Hear Talk On Mountain Climbing

Rudolph W. Strobel will give an illustrated talk on "Mountain Climbing in the Canadian Rockies" at a meeting of the Golden Age special interest group Wednesday, Feb. 1, at 1:30 p.m. at the YMCA.

Mr. Strobel is a member of the Adirondack Mountain Club of Schenectady, N.Y. He has been an engineer in the lightning arrester and cutout section of GE for 25 years.

Joseph Ressler is chairman of the group, and Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom, secretary. Mrs. John W. Albright is chairman of the College Club aides.

Golden Age Club Names Speakers for Anniversary Meeting

Carl E. Cozzio and Horace S. Hubbard will speak at the 12th anniversary meeting of the Golden Age Club tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. at the Jewish Community Center.

Rabbi Harold Salzmann will give the invocation. Mayor Raymond L. Haughey and Dr. Robert J. Kirvin, head of the Park Commission, will be guests.

A musical program will be presented. Gifts will be distributed, and refreshments will be served.

Golden Age News

Three Prizes Awarded for New Year's Game

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mrs. Anna Flynn won first prize in a New Year's game yesterday at a meeting of the Golden Age Club at the YMCA. Mrs. Flynn's list of resolutions included giving up chewing tobacco and pledging to help old people across the street.

Second prize went to Mrs. Elissa Francouer and third prize, a new Easter hat, to Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson. One hundred seventy-seven attended.

A male chorus, made up of Roland Bentley, Vincent DeFazio, George Gottsche, Magnus Lovgren, Henry Newmarker, Ralph Peaslee, Joseph Ressler, Harry Reynolds and Emil Wuinee, led the community singing. Vice president Reynolds introduced Mrs. Anna Cooper, a new member. Guests were Mrs. Jeanette Kipp, Mrs. Sarah Bornstein and Mrs. Julia Yovis. Miss Marion Wiswell and Clarence Shepherd were welcomed back.

Mrs. Margaret McNicholls and Joshua Sharrock are at Pittsfield General Hospital, and Mrs. Ellen Stevens is at St. Luke's Hospital. Thank-you cards for sympathy were received from the families of the late Matteo Massetti, Clara Reynolds and Alfred Leno. Mrs. Marie LaVigne sent a thank-you for cards received while she was on the sick list.

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Musical Program Is Presented For 171 Members

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

A musical program arranged by Mrs. Helen Meinhart was given for the Golden Age Club at a meeting Tuesday at the YMCA. George Morrell sang, accompanied by Howard Plouffe, and several duets were sung by the Misses Eleanor and Donna Pidgeon. One hundred seventy-one attended.

Mrs. Martha Waterman played before the meeting, and community singing was led by Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, Mrs. Florence Cote, Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president; Mrs. Anna Flynn, Mrs. Meinhart and Harry Reynolds. Mrs. George Gottsche played the piano and Clarence D. Shepherd, harmonica.

Lou Pia of Imperial Lanes, described the new bowling alleys and invited members to visit. Members signed up for a bowling league and will meet at next Tuesday's meeting to decide on a bowling day and time.

Miss Jeanette R. Kipp was introduced by Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, receptionist, as a new member. Mrs. Mae Madden, William Murphy and Mrs. Hannah Lissok were welcomed back. Mrs. Loretta Houle and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton were guests. On the sick list at St. Luke's Hospital is Dan O'Brien. Ill at home are Mrs. Lillian Johnson, Mrs. Frieda Prater and Mrs. Katherine Holleran. The silent prayer was for Miss Henrietta Claffie.

Reports Read

The chorus will meet on Monday and Jan. 23 to prepare a program for the Jan. 24 anniversary program. The meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. at the Y.

Mrs. Flynn read her secretary's report, and the treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Carlisle. Humorous stories told at the meeting were contributed by Mrs. Flynn, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Gottsche, Orrin Clark, Charles Daniels and William Murphy. Thought for the day was recited by Mrs. Elizabeth Clark. Mrs. Josephine Rozon was presented with the birthday cake.

A card party will be Feb. 5, at 1:30 p.m. at the Y. Door and table prizes will be given, and the public is invited. Tickets are available at the door.

Mrs. Richard M. Seagrave will show slides and speak at next Tuesday's meeting at 1:30 p.m. at the Y.

Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Catherine Gerard, Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mr. Gottsche. Charles Daniels recited a doctor's check-up poem. Mr. Ross spoke on haircuts. Mr. Reynolds and Mr. Ressler told humorous stories. Mrs. Viola Houser thanked members for cards. Mrs. Anna Langlois received the birthday cake. Mrs. Flynn gave the secretary's report, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, the treasurer's report. Mrs. Norman Hoch of the College Club assisted at the meeting. The president, Mrs. Jennie Durwin, announced that a banquet will be Monday at 1:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

'Kiss Me Kate' Stars Will Sing Tuesday For Golden Agers

Jean May Bousquet, mezzo contralto, and Norman Simpson, baritone, co-stars of the recent Town Players' hit production, "Kiss Me Kate," will sing selections from the musical at the Golden Age Club meeting Tuesday afternoon at the YMCA.

They will be accompanied by the pianist for the show, Mrs. Doris Turner of Stockbridge.

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Mrs. R. M. Seagrave Gives Talk on Caribbean Islands

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mrs. Richard M. Seagrave gave an illustrated talk on a trip to the Carribean islands at a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday at the YMCA. Mrs. Elizabeth Francoeur arranged the program. One hundred eighty-five attended.

Community singing was led by Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president; Mrs. Anna Flynn, secretary; Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, treasurer; Harry Reynolds, vice president; Mrs. Florence Cote, Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, Mrs. Francoeur, Vincent DeFazio and Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson. Mrs. George Gottsche and Clarence D. Shepherd accompanied the singing. Mrs. Martha Waterman played before the meeting.

Bowlers Meet Tomorrow

Members interested in bowling will meet tomorrow at 1 p.m. at the Y to travel to the Imperial Lanes on Lyman Street.

Tickets are on sale for the whist party, which is open to the public. The card party will be Monday, Feb. 6, at 2 p.m. at the Y with door and table prizes offered.

Plans were outlined for a special St. Valentine's Day program Feb. 14. Mrs. Hutchinson requested that members who have Valentine's Day poems bring them to the next meeting, especially if anyone has a copy of the poem, "That Old Sweetheart of Mine."

Mrs. Durwin conducted the business meeting. Cards were received from Mrs. Helen Stevens for get-well greetings; from Mrs. Emmie Snow, for birthday cards on the celebration of her 79th birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beebe sent greetings to the club from Winter Haven, Fla.

Recitation Presented

Orrin Clark gave a recitation on Benjamin Franklin, whose birth date was Jan. 17. Thought for the day was given by Mrs. Carlisle. Humorous stories were told by Mrs. Flynn. Mrs. Julia Yovis and Mrs. Earl Horton were introduced as new members. Guests were Ronigio Diottaveo,, Mrs. C. J. Bailey and Walter B. Hawke.

On the sick list are Mrs. Anna Overlock, Miss Marie Moffett, Westfield Sanitarium, and Mrs. George Cummings, Pittsfield General Hospital. The silent prayer was for Mrs. William Steinmeyer. Mr. Reynolds and Miss Ethel Bantekus celebrated Jan. 17 birthdays. Mrs. Durwin reminded members the anniversary party will be at the Jewish Community Center, Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

Golden Agers Invited to Concert By Brown Glee Club

Several organizations and citizens of the community have made tickets available for Golden Age Club members to attend the concert by the Brown Glee Club Thursday at 8:15 at Pittsfield High School. Tickets have been given by members of the Rotary Club, Berkshire Life Insurance Co., Simon England and other interested persons. All Golden Age members are invited, and are reminded to wear their badges.

The Brown club, which last appeared in Pittsfield in 1959, is currently on a spring vacation concert tour through the northeastern United States and Canada.

Golden Age News

Two Hundred Attend Party Marking 12th Anniversary

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

The 12th anniversary party of the Golden Age Club was held yesterday at the Jewish Community Center. Mrs. Jennie Durwin, club president, welcomed the members and guests, and introduced Rabbi Harold I. Salzmann, who gave the invocation. Mayor Raymond L. Haughey and Dr. Robert J. Kirvin, park commissioner, conveyed anniversary greetings to the 200 members assembled for the program.

Mrs. Durwin introduced Isidore Cooperman, executive director of the Jewish Community Center, who issued a standing invitation to the club to hold their anniversary meetings there. A congratulatory telegram was received from the Pittsfield College Club.

Carl E. Cozzio of the steering committee remarked on the 12 years the club, "now heading into the teens, well able to steer themselves." In referring to the recent Washington conference on aging, Mr. Cozzio said that the conferees were concerned with people living longer and what to do with them, with considered advice that a look at the Golden Agers of Pittsfield and their varied activities would calm their fears.

Horace S. Hubbard of the steering committee expressed the view that there are few places that compare favorably with Pittsfield as to accomplishments and enthusiasm of the older age group, at the same time stressing that there is large opportunity for additional activities, suggested and initiated from the group itself. Stating that although senior citizens do not want any preference, Mr. Hubbard said they want to be considered and their experience made use of, and to be treated like other people.

A history of the club was read by Mrs. Anna Flynn, secretary, thanking the College Club, Park Department, and all who have helped make the club a success. Fourteen charter members were introduced, and five past presidents: John S. Ross, Robert H. Ayers, Michael J. Dowd, George J. Gottsche and Mrs. Flynn. Mrs. Durwin read a tribute to Alfred Leno. The club chairmen, steering committee, Mrs. Bartlett Kimball, College Club chairman, and Mrs. Albert H. Parker, adviser, were introduced.

Mrs. Flynn read last week's minutes, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle read the treasurer's report. The birthday cake was presented by Harry Reynolds, courtesy of Joanne Bakers, to Mrs. Elizabeth Francouer. Mr. Cozzio was also wished happy birthday. Welcomed back were Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Edith Spurr, Mrs. Sarah Eddy, Mrs. Mary Potter, Mrs. Annie Northrup, Mrs. Mary Poopor, Mrs. Bessie Hall, Harry Snow, George Oschman. On the sick list are Rose Greenleaf at Pittsfield General Hospital, and Achille Canzano at St. Luke's. Walter B. Hawke was introduced as a new member.

Joseph Ressler announced that the next special interest meeting will be Feb. 1 and all members are invited. Mrs. Durwin announced the whist party for Feb. 6 at the YMCA. Bowlers will meet Thursday at 1:15 p.m. at the Y.

Orchestra Plays

Mr. Dowd sang "My Wild Irish Rose." Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson led the chorus in songs. Mrs. Gottsche played the accompaniment. The GE Pensioners' orchestra played for dancing. Mrs. Kimball presented gifts from the Eaton Paper Corp., on behalf of the College Club. Tickets to "Ben-Hur" given by an anonymous donor.

Golden Age News

Linda Wyzomirski Sings Selections From Musical Shows

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Miss Linda Wyzomirski sang several selections from musical shows for the Golden Age Club at its meeting Tuesday at the YMCA. Mrs. George J. Gottsche accompanied the young singer.

Mrs. Jennie Durwin led the 169 members present in a silent prayer for shut-ins and urged members to send valentines and get-well cards to the shut-ins. Community singing was led by Mrs. Durwin and other club officers, Mrs. Anne Flynn, Harry Reynolds and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle; and Robert H. Ayers, Roland Bentley, Henry Newmarker, Vincent DeFazio, Mrs. Florence Cote, Mrs. Helen Meinhart, Mrs. Elizabeth Clark and Mrs. Elissa Francoeur. "God Bless America" was sung for Joseph Rivard. Mrs. Gottsche and Clarence D. Shepherd accompanied the singing.

Thoughts for the day were offered by Emil Wuinee, Orrin Clark and Mrs. Carlisle. Humorous stories were told by John S. Ross, William Murphy and Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson. Mrs. Catherine Gerard thanked members for cards she received. Mrs. Durwin, Arthur Shaver and Mrs. Parker spoke on birthday parties. Carl E. Cozzio addressed the group. Mrs. Flynn read last week's minutes and Mrs. Carlisle reported on the whist party proceeds and treasury.

Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, receptionist, introduced as new members Mrs. Hazel Goodermote and Romigio Deattavio. Vice President Reynolds gave his report, including welcome back to Mrs. Alvita Aira, Mrs. Ellen Stevens, Mrs. Delia Slater, George Oschman and Mrs. Gerard. Guests were John Penney, Mrs. Beatrice Dunham and Miss Katherine Gage. The birthday cake was presented to Oliver Charette and Galveno Farina.

Members who wish to may bring valentines for next week's party Tuesday at 2 p.m. The choir will meet Monday at 1 p.m. at the Y.

Golden Age News

Moving Picture Attended by 218

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

A film, "A Date With British Columbia," was shown at a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday at the YMCA. Henry Newmarker arranged for the program, which was attended by 218.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, opened the business meeting with a silent prayer for Frank Greenleaf. The community singing was led by a group of men including Robert H. Ayers, Vincent DeFazio, George J. Gottsche, William Holden, Mr. Newmarker, Joseph Ressler and W. Arthur Shaver. Mrs. Gottsche and Clarence D. Shepherd accompanied the singing. Mr. Holden sang a solo for the group.

Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Mrs. Florence M. Cote and Charles A. Daniels gave thoughts for the day. Humorous stories were contributed by Mr. Ressler and Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson. Lucian Delsignore was introduced as a new member. On the sick list are Mrs. Martha Waterman, Harry Reynolds, and George Burton.

Mrs. Ayers took over the vice president's duties, and Mrs. Florence Sharon took over for the secretary. Mrs. Carlisle gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Hannah Lissok received the birthday cake. Mrs. Georgette Mouhat was a guest at the meeting.

The next whist party will be March 6 at the Y, the public is invited.

A birthday party will be held Tuesday, and members will receive gifts for February birthdays. Refreshments will be served. A play will be presented by a Dalton dramatic group.

Golden Age News

Dr. Robert Tracy Addresses Club On Cancer

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Dr. Robert J. Tracy addressed the Golden Age Club on the subject of cancer, and a film on cancer's seven danger signals from the American Cancer Society's educational program was shown. One hundred forty-eight attended the meeting at the YMCA.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin led the business meeting, opening with the pledge to the flag and national anthem. The silent prayer was for those in nursing homes.

Mrs. Martha Waterman played the piano before the meeting, and Mrs. George J. Gottsche and Clarence D. Shepherd accompanied the community singing. Mrs. Carrie Maloney, Mrs. Etta Smith, and Dan O'Brien were welcomed back. Mrs. Hazel Goodermote was a guest. On the sick list are Mrs. Lillian Gould, Mrs. Catherine Gerard, Miss Rose Greenleaf, and Mrs. Cecilia Tremblay at home. All would like cards. Joseph Rivard is at Springside Nursing Home, and sends greetings to the club members. The birthday cake was given to Arthur Bartram. Those with banquet tickets are to return them to Mrs. Elizabeth Clark.

The whist party will be Feb. 6 at 2 p.m., and anyone with prizes to donate may bring them next Monday.

A Golden Age trip will be taken to Washington March 24; those wishing further information may see Mrs. Durwin or Mrs. Anna Flynn, secretary. The bowlers wishing to bowl this week meet Thursday at 1 at the Y. Those desiring one of the pictures taken at the anniversary may order at Tuesday's meeting.

Mrs. Flynn gave the secretary's report and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle the treasurer's report. Harry Reynolds, vice president, gave his report and recited several limericks. Charles A. Daniels sang.

Next week's meeting will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Y.

Golden Age News

292 Attend Banquet, Dance At Masonic Temple

The Golden Age Club banquet and dance was attended by 292 yesterday at the Masonic Temple. The GE Pensioners' orchestra played.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, welcomed members and introduced those at the head table. Arthur Bartram, 97, oldest member, attended.

Mrs. Anna Flynn gave the invocation. Mrs. Marie Wilkinson was hostess. Favors were made by Mrs. Arthur Snow, and Mrs. Elizabeth Clark was in charge of refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Ayers assisted with tickets, and Mrs. Ayers and Mrs. Viola Houser supplied flowers for the tables.

Guests included Carl Cozzio of the steering committee and representatives of the College Club and the Department of Parks and Recreation, cosponsors of the club.

Librizzi

VALENTINE ENTERTAINMENT at Tuesday's Golden Age Club meeting included a song by Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, who directed the program at the YMCA. One hundred eighty-nine attended.

Golden Age News

Valentine Program Is Conducted by Mrs. Hutchinson

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

"Be My Valentine" was the theme of the special holiday program at yesterday's meeting. The program was conducted by Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson. Musical accompaniment was by Mrs. George Gottsche at the piano and Clarence D. Shepherd, harmonica. Love songs and valentine verses were presented by a chorus of Golden Agers, dressed in valentine costume. Solos included "My Hero," by Mrs. Hutchinson; "The Sunshine of Your Smile," by Mrs. Mary Myers; "Love Me and the World Is Mine," by Harry Snow; and a duet, "Daisies Don't Tell," by Mrs. Myers and Roland Bentley.

Readings included "I Love You," by Orrin Clark; "Midsummer," by Mrs. Elizabeth Clark; "We Have Lived and Loved Together," by Mrs. Anna Flynn; "Will You Love Me When I'm Old," by Charles Daniels; "The Faded Valentine," by Mrs. Hutchinson. Vincent DeFazio sang a solo. William Murphy spoke on the origin of St. Valentine's Day customs, and spoke about the painting by Mrs. Gottsche, displayed in honor of Lincoln's Birthday, at the Senior Citizens Center. Others taking part in the program included Mrs. Elizabeth Lagasse, Mrs. Anne Tompkins, Mrs. Elizabeth Francouer, Mrs. Snow, Magnus Lovgren, Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Helen Meinhart, Mrs. Florence Cote, Mrs. Ethel Bantekus, and Mrs. Gottsche. One hundred eighty-nine attended.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin opened the business meeting. Mrs. Martha Waterman played for the group. Thoughts for the day were given by Mr. Clark, Mrs. Durwin, Mr. Daniels and John S. Ross. Gaetano Barreca received the birthday cake last week and Mrs. Ellen O'Brien was honored with the cake this week. Mrs. Charlotte Studley, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Curtin, and Lucian DelSignore were guests. Welcomed as a new member is John Penney. On the sick list are Mrs. Elmas Z. Dicranian, at home, and Mrs. Catherine Curtin, at Pittsfield General Hospital. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Edith Goodrich.

Miss Isabelle Ferry and Mrs. Harry C. Stanley, College Club, assisted at the meeting. Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom and Mrs. Lida Croteau received prizes for a guessing game about valentine candies. Members received valentine programs for their scrapbooks.

Francis Plaza Officer Named

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Mrs. Grace Claughsey was elected vice president of the Francis Plaza recreation club at a recent meeting at the housing project for the elderly.

Edward J. Apple was named program chairman of a committee consisting of Mrs. Anna Flynn, president of the club, Mrs. Evelyn Frenier, Mrs. Claughsey, Mrs. Maud Hover, and Mrs. Frieda Prater. A game night will be held on Thursday at 7 p.m. in the recreation room. Those attending are to bring a small prize. Tentative plans for a penny social on Aug. 10 are being made.

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Dalton High School Dramatic Club Presents Play

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By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

A group from the Dalton High School dramatic club, under the direction of Miss Marion Kane, gave a play, "The Shoemaker's Wife," at yesterday's Golden Age Club meeting. Players were Harold Munson Jr., Carol Tristany and Orland Blanchard. Robert Franklin was the announcer, and Leonard Spencer, stage manager. Mrs. George Tompkins, College Club, assisted with arrangements. One hundred and seventy attended.

Gifts were distributed to members with February birthdays. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark headed the refreshment committee for the birthday party. Members of the committee were Miss Rose Connelly, Miss Mary Connelly, Mrs. Alice Martinique, Mrs. Grace Harrington, and Mrs. Helen Meinhart. Assisting were Mrs. Tompkins, Mrs. Gerald Hoyt, Mrs. George Robertson, College Club, and Mrs. Albert H. Parker, Park Department.

Community Sing Held

Community singing was led by Robert H. Ayers, George Gottsche, Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, Magnus Lovgren, Mrs. Meinhart, Henry Newmarker and Mrs. Marie Tompkins. Mrs. Gottsche played the piano. Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, read a note of thanks from Frank Greenleaf's family. Arthur Shaver gave the special interest group announcement. Mrs. Florence Sharon read the secretary's report in place of Mrs. Anna Flynn. Mrs. Bertha Carlisle read the treasurer's report.

As Harry Reynolds, vice president, is still on the sick list, Mrs. Ayers reported. Also on the sick list are Mrs. Carrie Welz, Joseph Ressler, Mrs. Ida Bould and Mrs. Alma Maloney. Guests were Mrs. Emma Young and William Marcotte. New members introduced were: Laurence Curtis, Mrs. Gladys Curtis, Mrs. Georgette Mouhat and Joseph LaFramboise. Welcomed back were Mrs. Emmie Snow, Mrs. Elizabeth Gilson, Vincent Bruni, Mrs. Mary Potter and Howard Karner. Mrs. Emma Allen and Mrs. Caroline Senger received the birthday cake, given by Joanne Bakers. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Ayers, Charles A. Daniels, Mrs. Jane Rennie and Orrin Clark. Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson announced that the choir will meet Monday at 1:30 p.m. at the Y.

Sewing Group To Meet

Members are invited to help in making layettes and quilts with the sewing group, meeting on Fridays at 1:30 p.m. at the Berkshire Museum.

A whist party will be held on Monday at the Y at 2 p.m. Door and table prizes will be awarded.

The Earl Blessing family will be featured in a musical program at next Tuesday's meeting.

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Varied Program Presented for St. Patrick's Day

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

A St. Patrick's Day program was attended by women with shillelaghs and men with too-ra-loo-ra-loo-rals at the Golden Age Club meeting Tuesday afternoon at the YMCA.

Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson led the chorus in a group of Irish songs and dances. Taking part were Mrs. Florence Cote, Mrs. Elizabeth Lagasse, Mrs. Helen Meinhart, Mrs. Cecilia Trembley, Mrs. Anna Flynn, Mrs. Mary Myers, Mrs. Elizabeth Francouer, Mrs. Ethel Bantekus, Roland Bentley, Thomas Mead, William Marcotte, Vincent DeFazio and Magnus Lovgren. Mrs. George Gottsche and Otto Ungewitter played accompaniment.

Mrs. Bantekus sang "The Dear Little Shamrock," and Mrs. Flynn, "Johnny Doughboy Found a Rose in Ireland." Mr. Mead was soloist in "Mother Machree" and "Too-ra-loo-ra-loo-ral"; Mr. Marcotte sang "Rose of Tralee"; Mrs. Hutchinson, "I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen"; Mrs. Bantekus and Mrs. Myers did an Irish jig; Mrs. Francouer sang "The Same Old Shillelagh."

An Irish cake was presented to Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president. Mrs. Marie Wilkinson and Mrs. Myers shared a prize for the "wearing of the green."

Hats Are Modeled

A group of College Club members modeled original hats for the club. Mrs. Durwin led the business meeting. Mrs. Martha Waterman played for the group's enjoyment. Mrs. Flynn, acting as vice president, presented Miss Margaret Murray as a guest. Harry Andler received the birthday cake.

On the sick list at Pittsfield General Hospital are Miss Mary Connelly, Mrs. Katherine Curtin, Mrs. Maud Vincent, Mrs. Ethel Bridges; at St. Luke's Hospital, Mrs. Hannah Lissok, Mrs. Mary Poopor, Mrs. Rose Gurski; at home, Miss Mary Brazill, Harry Reynolds, Miss Mae Madden, and Miss Ethel Decker.

Laurence Curtis, Mrs. Francouer, Mr. Gottsche, Raymond Bliss and Mr. Marcotte gave thoughts for the day and told humorous stories. Mrs. Durwin read an invitation from the Gold Star Mothers for the club entertainment group to be on their program in May. A card was received from Emil Wuinee in Florida. A thank-you was received from the VNA for work done for them by the sewing group, under the direction of Mrs. Emogene Kingman. Joseph Ressler was welcomed back. The club voted to send flowers to Isa Aly for his shop opening. The choir will meet Monday at 2. Mrs. Jean Bousquet and Norman Simpson will sing songs from "Kiss Me, Kate" at next week's regular meeting.

Vincent J. Hebert was a visitor at the meeting.

Golden Age Group To Present Program On Pittsfield History

In keeping with Pittsfield's bicentennial celebration the special interest group of the Golden Age Club will present a program by members of the group on the history of Pittsfield at a meeting Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at the YMCA.

Joseph Ressler will speak on early history up to 1800, Mrs. Martha Waterman on "History of the Park," Clifford Peaslee on "History of the Early Churches," Henry Champagne on "History of the Woolen Mills of Pittsfield," Mrs. Alden P. Landell on "History of House of Mercy," and Clarence Shepherd on "History of the Pittsfield Cemetery."

Mr. Ressler is chairman of the group, and Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom, secretary. College Club aides are Mrs. John W. Albright and Mrs. Landell.

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'Kiss Me Kate' Stars Entertain At YMCA Meeting

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mrs. Jean May Bousquet and Norman Simpson, co-stars of the musical, "Kiss Me Kate," recently staged by the Town Players, entertained 219 Golden Agers at yesterday's meeting at the YMCA. They were accompanied by the pianist for the show, Mrs. Doris Turner of Stockbridge.

Mrs. Bousquet, mezzo-contralto, sang "So In Love" and "I Am Ashamed That Women Are So Simple." Mr. Simpson narrated part of the plot for the audience and sang two solos, "I've Come To Wive It Wealthily in Padua" and "Were Thine That Special Face." Duets were "Another Opening, Another Show," "Wundebar," and the title tune, "Kiss Me, Kate." Mrs. Bousquet thanked Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy for arranging the invitation to the performance.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president. Mrs. Durwin identified the "bowling spectators" in Saturday's 'Eagle Eye' as Golden Agers. The president also reminded members with March birthdays that gifts will be presented to them at next week's meeting.

Community Singing Held

Community singing was held. Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson and Roland Bentley sang a duet. Mrs. George J. Gottsche, Otto Ungewitter, and Clarence D. Shepherd accompanied the singing. Thoughts for the day were given by Robert Ayers, for Mrs. Nellie Stevens; Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Magnus Lovgren, Mrs. Mary Myers, Mrs. Elizabeth Clark. Arthur Pierce and Mr. Gottsche told humorous stories. Charles Daniels recited a poem. Mrs. Vincent J. Hebert, a guest at the meeting, greeted the group.

Welcomed back were Mrs. Francis Cybulski, John Lucey, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Neil. Mrs. Caroline Danahee, Mrs. Edith Spurr, Mr. and Mrs. Eculid Guilbert, George Stevenson. Guests included Mrs. Ida Reddy, Mrs. Mary Wallace, Mrs. Maud Rover, Harry Parkin, Mrs. Alice Astley of South Hadley Falls, Luigi Bartolomei, Richard Cahill, Mrs. Nettie Waterman, and Mrs. Chester Gray. Mrs. Cecilia Trembley received the birthday cake. Mrs. Robert H. Ayers acted as vice president, and read a verse. Mrs. Anna Flynn gave her report, and Mrs. Carlisle gave the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Durwin read an invitation for the Pittsfield club choir to entertain at the Holyoke Golden Age Club meeting March 27.

Invited to Concert

Golden Age Club members are invited to the concert by the Brown Glee Club April 6 at 8:15 p.m. at the Pittsfield High School, through the courtesy of Howard Smith of Becket and several local persons.

Volunteers from the club are bandages for the Red Cross and police department, and those who can help are asked to meet Friday afternoon at the Berkshire Museum.

Mrs. Milton Katz will speak on Japan at next week's birthday party meeting at the YMCA Tuesday, at 2. Mrs. Hutchinson announced that members will put on an Easter parade, wearing their Easter outfits at this meeting.

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Easter Program Is Presented for 191 Members

4-6-61

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

The Golden Age chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, presented an Easter program at Tuesday's meeting at the YMCA. The chorus sang several appropriate selections, and soloists included Mrs. Hutchinson, Vincent DeFazio, Mrs. Mary Myers, Harry Snow, Mrs. Ethel Bantekus and Roland Bentley. Members brought flowers with which to decorate the stage. One hundred ninety-one attended.

Robert H. Ayers, Henry Newmarker and Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin led the community singing. The silent prayer was for George Reynolds. Joseph Ressler gave the special interest group announcement. Mrs. Durwin reminded the club that the next whist will be Monday at 2 at the Y, with door and table prizes. Mrs. Anna Flynn read her secretary's report and also a note of thanks for cards from Mrs. Maude Vincent. Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Alfred Paradisi was introduced as a new member. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Grohe. Welcomed back were Mrs. Anna Cooper, Mrs. Fred Boyer, Mrs. Anna Greenleaf, Mrs. Margaret Cahill, Mrs. Edith Bishop, Mrs. Flora Plankey, Miss Katherine Fassell and Malcolm Pearson.

On the sick list is Mrs. Martha Waterman. Sharing the birthday cake were Miss Alice Merchant, George Stevenson and Louis Monnot. Mrs. Isabelle Guilbert sent a thank-you for cards. Men who would like to help with the Pittsfield General Hospital bargain shop may call Mrs. Sophie Sauer. Members are to bring items of interest to the club for the bulletin board. Bowlers will meet at 1 p.m. on Thursday at the Y.

Members are to bring suggestions for club participation in the bicentennial celebration to next week's meeting. Golden Agers attending the Brown Glee Club concert tomorrow at 8:15 p.m. at Pittsfield High School are to wear their badges. The luncheon cooking class will meet next Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. at the Berkshire Gas Co. building. Mrs. Norman Hoch, Mrs. David W. Morrison and Mrs. George D. Robertson were College Club aides at the meeting.

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Mrs. Milton Katz Gives Talk On Japan

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mrs. Milton S. Katz spoke to the club yesterday at the YMCA on a trip to Japan which she won in a contest sponsored by Letters Abroad. Mrs. Katz discussed many phases of Japanese life, including references to the "golden age" group of the Japanese people. Fans made by a Japanese "golden ager" were displayed at the meeting.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, led the business meeting. Community singing was held, and the secretary and treasurer's reports were given. Henry Reynolds, vice president, was welcomed back, and gave his regular report, including the introduction of new members, Luigi Bartolomei, Harry Parkins and Mrs. Maud Hover. Others welcomed back were Mrs. Catherine Gerard, Mrs. Elmas Decranian, Mrs. Palmina Gentile, Mrs. Georgiana Gaudette. Guests were William Black, Sam Bailey and Josephine Paradisi. Mr. Bailey spoke to the club. Other thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Durwin, Mrs. Viola Houser, Vincent DeFazio, John Ross, Orrin Clark, George Gottsche, Mrs. Jane Rennie and Mrs. Elissa Francouer. One hundred ninety-three attended the meeting.

On the sick list are Mrs. Mae Madden, Catherine Fassell, and Miss Mary Connelly. Mrs. Mildred Burdick and Mrs. Gentile received the birthday cake. Joseph Ressler gave the special interest group announcement, and told humorous stories. Cards were received from Mrs. Rose Gurski, Michael J. Dowd and Mrs. Rose Greenleaf, all of whom wish to thank members for get-well cards. Shut-ins would appreciate Easter cards.

Members who are helping on the Pittsfield General Hospital bargain shop are to give their names to Mrs. Sophie Sauer. Mrs. Parker thanked all who helped make the bandages for the Red Cross. Members interested in a luncheon-cooking class starting April 12 may call Mrs. Parker. Gifts were presented to those with March birthdays. College Club aides were Mrs. Gerald A. Hoyt and Mrs. George D. Robertson. Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson announced the chorus will meet Monday at 2 p.m. to rehearse for an Easter program Tuesday.

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4-9-61

Golden Age Members Get Bicentennial Books

A presentation of the Bicentennial books, "Berkshire—Two Hundred Years in Pictures," was made to the Golden Age Club members this week by the E. D. Jones Corp.

SPECTATORS at the Imperial Lanes bowling alley, these three ladies are watching a women's league in action. The action was apparently quite interesting.

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4-27-61

Dog Obedience Program Given for 193 Members

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

The Pittsfield Dog Obedience Club staged a program for 193 Golden Age Club members at the week's meeting at the YMCA. Dogs from the advanced class performed under the direction of Mrs. Robert Knowlton, training director of the club. A feature of the program was training procedure with dumbbells carried and handled by the dogs, as well as off-leash and on-leash work. The program demonstrated the purpose of the club which is to train the individual as well as the dog. Miss Theresa Helfer, club president, introduced the group and gave a summary of the dog club which has registered dogs and also mixtures.

Community singing was led by a group of Golden Age women. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Mary Myers and Mrs. Viola Houser. Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, thanked members for birthday cards and gifts. Mrs. Durwin received the birthday cake. Herman Groch and Edmond Walger were welcomed as new members. Guests were Mrs. Sophia Beals, Mrs. Anna Mahan, Mrs. Anna Cole, Mrs. Loretta St. Peter, Mrs. Eleanor Schrader and John Moynihan. John Ross spoke of Charles Daniels, who is on the sick list. Also on the sick list are Mrs. Emma Proctor and Mrs. Alice Hogue, at home. Mrs. Proctor is a charter member. Leda Parker was welcomed back. Mrs. Anna Flynn gave the secretary's report and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle the treasurer's report. The silent prayer was for John Suttle.

Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson announced that rehearsal for the chorus will be held Tuesday at 12 at the Y.

A whist party will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at the Y with door and table prizes to be awarded.

Joseph Ressler announced that Golden Agers will give a history of Pittsfield, in connection with the bicentennial, at the May 3 special interest group meeting at 1:30 p.m. at the Y.

All members are invited to the sewing group to make articles for the Christian Center and other organizations. The group meets at the Berkshire Museum at 2 p.m. Friday. A quilt made by the group was shown at the meeting.

Members contributed cookies and refreshments were served. April birthdays were celebrated with gifts. Mrs. Robert J. Nesbit and Mrs. George D. Robertson of the College Club, assisted. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark headed the refreshment committee.

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5-3-61

Musical Program Is Presented

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Miss Mary Fitzgerald sang several selections for the Golden Age Club at a meeting yesterday at the YMCA. Mrs. George J. Gottsche accompanied. Miss Fitzgerald sang a duet with Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre, and members joined then in the chorus. Mrs. Florence Cote arranged for the program.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin conducted the business meeting, opening with a prayer for Charles Daniels and Miss Elizabeth Lyman, who recently passed away.

Community singing was held. Roland Bentley sang for the group. Mrs. Margaret Hibbard and Miss Mary Connelly sent thank-you notes for cards received while ill. A thank-you from the family of Mrs. Helena Martin was received. Thanks were extended to Mrs. Florence Sharon and her committee and all who donated prizes for the whists. Members expressed thanks for tickets received for the Glenn Miller band program. Joseph Ressler discussed the special interest meeting on the history of Pittsfield, given in connection with the bicentennial. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Anna Flynn, secretary, and Mrs. Elizabeth Lagasse. William Murphy and Mrs. Marie Lavigne told humorous stories. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were given by Mrs. Flynn and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, respectively.

Four Welcomed Back

Harry Reyno gave the vice president's repo. luding a welcome back for Mr. Gottsche, Howard Karner, Mrs. Anna Yost and John Lucey. On the sick list are Mrs. Cora Burns, Pittsfield General Hospital; Mrs. Katherine Gerard, at home; and Mrs. Mary Myers, St. Luke's Hospital.

Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, receptionist, introduced new members: Mrs. Loretta St. Peter, Mrs. Sophia Beals, John Gousette, Mrs. Anna Mahan, and Earl Horton. Two members present were celebrating birthdays, Mrs. Catherine Weatherby and Mrs. Lavigne. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark thanked members for bringing cookies and helping to prepare refreshments.

Members who would like to contribute articles for the country store bazaar and food sale are to give their names to Mrs. Albert H. Parker. Donations of afghan yarn may be brought to Tuesday's meeting. Golden Agers helping on the Pittsfield General Hospital bargain shop Friday and Saturday are to be at the Armory at 9:30 a.m. A Mother's Day program will be held at next week's meeting.

ment chairman, inquired about cookies for the birthday party and those wishing to donate may bring them to the June 27 meeting.

The chorus will present a Father's Day program at next Tuesday's meeting at the Y at 2 p.m.

Members are needed to help on the bicentennial float committee and may sign up at the weekly meeting.

Mrs. George J. Gottsche, Otto Ungwitter and Clarence Shepherd played for singing. Mr. Shepherd will be living with his son soon. Mrs. Durwin spoke about his faithful attendance through the years. Cards were received in thanks from the family of Mrs. Amanda Bansley. Roland Bentley sang a solo. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Catherine Gerard, Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Viola Houser and Harry Reynolds. The silent prayer was for Mrs. May Madden and Mrs. Margaret Leslie. Guests were Guido DiPietro and Mrs. Frank Thoubboron. Welcomed back were Mrs. Georgiane Alcombright, Mrs. Edna Pressello and Joseph Paoli. Mrs. Maud Cloutier received the birthday cake. Mrs. Gottsche thanked the group for cards sent to her husband.

The Golden Age News was distributed. College Club aides were Mrs. Norman Hock and Mrs. David Morrison. Mrs. Albert H. Parker was the Park Department representative.

Golden Age News

Mr. Sinacori Entertains At Meeting

6/9/61

MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

William Sinacori sang and played the guitar for the members at Tuesday's Golden Age Club meeting attended by 219 at the YMCA.

Tickets were distributed for the banquet Monday at 1 at the Masonic Temple.

Those wishing to help on donations for the country store bazaar may pick up their tickets at next week's meeting for the afghan, painting and plates. The bazaar will be July 14 at the Berkshire Gas Co. office at Park Square. Articles and food to be offered will be on the bicentennial country store theme.

The bus trip to Holyoke will be June 15, leaving the YMCA at 10 a.m. Members wishing to take out trip insurance may do so at next Tuesday's meeting.

Cookies Sought

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark refresh-

Mrs. Politis Elected Head Of Pittsfield College Club

4-13-61

Mrs. Alexander C. Politis was elected president of the Pittsfield College Club at the annual meeting last night at the Women's Club. She succeeds Mrs. Walter A. Ciaschin.i Eighty attended.

Mrs. Politis, who joined the club in 1954, has been chairman of the literary group, welcome chairman and publicity chairman. She also has served on the program committee.

A graduate of North Adams State College, Mrs. Politis received the president's award for scholastic excellence. She taught in the public schools of Amherst and Dalton. She has served on the Berkshire Hills Girl Scout Council, on the board of the Friends of the Pittsfield Community Music School and is retiring as president of the Women's Association of South Congregational Church. She also has served on United Community Services drives. The Politises have three children and live at 379 South Street.

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Mrs. Alexander C. Politis

Others Elected

Also elected for two-year terms were Mrs. James V. Shannon, chairman of special projects, and Mrs. Richard J. Thompson, refreshment chairman. Serving for one-year terms will be Mrs. Robert Nesbit, second vice president; Mrs. William McAllister, recording secretary; Mrs. James M. Davis, assistant corresponding secretary; Mrs. Richard W. Samsel, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Harold E. Tately, welcome chairman, and Mrs. A. E. Schubert, scholarship chairman.

Those who will continue in office for the second year of their two-year terms are Mrs. Allen H. Gable, first vice president; Mrs. Andrew Glassanos, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Edward J. Werth, treasurer; Mrs. Vincent W. Cancilla, membership chairman, and Mrs. Vernon L. Striebel Jr., publicity chairman.

Elected as group chairmen were Mrs. Richard Anderson, arts and crafts; Mrs. Jerome T. Weil, child guidance; Mrs. Richard H. Ogle, literary; Mrs. Lawrence L. Borden, music appreciation; Mrs. John B. Lidstone, Mrs. Eugene B. Canfield and Mrs. James P. McCormick, social, and Mrs. George D. Robertson, Golden Age Club.

Mrs. Politis and Mrs. Nesbit will be representatives to the United Community Services.

During the past year the club established a new community project, aiding patients in nursing homes. In addition, members worked with the Golden Age Club which is co-sponsored with the Parks Department, were in charge of decorations for the St. Luke's bazaar and were hostesses and guides for the PGH bazaar.

The club contributes annually to the United Community Fund. A scholarship is awarded each year to one or more college-bound girls from Berkshire County. This year's scholarship totals $500.

New Members

Mrs. Cancilla, membership chairman, introduced 17 new members: Mrs. William Newton, Lanesboro, Connecticut College for Women; Mrs. Paul McMahon, Dalton, Regis College; Mrs. John B. Welch, 176 First St., Marietta College and University of Chicago; Mrs. Edgar Green, Dalton, University of Buffalo; Mrs. Milton VanHorn, 75 Asci Drive, State Teachers College (Cortland); Mrs. Albert VanBlarcon, 76 Darlene Ave., Emanuel College; Mrs. Raymond Stark, Dalton, Chatham (Pa.) College; Mrs. Leon Seigel, 6 Adelaide Ave., Syracuse; Mrs. Earl A. Whepley, 40 Elaine Drive, Fresno (Calif.) State College; Mrs. Vincent Boliver, 28 Elaine Drive, State Teachers College, Worcester; Mrs. Forrest Funk, 409 Wililams St., Kansas State University; Mrs. Ira K. Blough, Cliffwood Street, Lenox, Drexel; Mrs. Frederic Larson, 51 Ann Drive, Syracuse; Mrs. Richard Hall, 20 Lillian St., Bates; Mrs. Richard Hilker, 13 Second St., University of Massachusetts; Mrs. Ronald Johansson, 22 Weller Ave., Pratt Institute; Mrs. Popkin Sheniran, 59 Marcella Ave., Rider College.

Dr. James M. Bell, clinical director-psychiatrist of the Berkshire Farm for Boys, Canaan, N.Y., was the speaker. His topic was "The Emotional Problems of Children and Adolescents." A social hour followed the program and refreshment were served.

Golden Age News

Mrs. Hutchinson Directs Program For Father's Day

6/14/61

By Mrs. ALBERT H. PARKER

A Father's Day program, under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, was presented at the Golden Age Club meeting, attended by 187, yesterday at the YMCA.

Taking part were Mrs. Catherine Gerard as "Pa," Mrs. Mary Myers as "Ma," and Mrs. Anna Flynn as "Sister Anne." Mrs. Hutchinson was a visiting "city dude." In the barbershop quartet were Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Elizabeth Francouer, Mrs. Marie B. Lavigne and Mrs. Helen Meinhart. Carl Cozzio took snapshots.

Bus Trip Tomorrow

During the business meeting, Laurence Curtis, bus trip chairman, spoke about the trip tomorrow to Holyoke. Buses will leave the YMCA at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, read a thank-you note from the College Club members who attended the recent banquet. A note from Mrs. Catherine Curtin gave her new address as 29 Cole Ave. A thank-you was received from the family of Mrs. Mae Madden.

Members are invited to a concert by Miss Catherine Nadon Saturday, June 24, at 8 p.m. at North Junior High School. Those wishing information about the Golden Age camp under the direction of the Salvation Army may call Mrs. Durwin. Mrs. Fred Myers thanked the club for cards received while she was ill. Mrs. Flynn received the birthday cake and gave it to Arthur Bartram and Springside Nursing Home residents. Those wishing to turn in bazaar ticket money may do so at the next meeting. Mrs. Myers was welcomed back to the club.

Guests Present

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Helen Skinner of Roslindale, Albert Robitaille, Mrs. Angeline Verano and Sam Bailey.

On the sick list are Mrs. Mary Martin and Mrs. Anna Langlois at Pittsfield General Hospital and Mrs. Rose Gull at home. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Lola Buck.

Mrs. Flynn gave the secretary's report, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report. The vice president, Harry Reynolds, introduced new members Guido DiPietro. College Club aides were Miss Isabelle Ferry and Mrs. Harry C. Stanley, and Park Department adviser, Mrs. Parker.

5-10-61

Golden Age News

Mother's Day Is Observed By Club Members

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mother's Day was celebrated at a meeting of the Golden Age Club by "Golden Age sons and daughters" who spoke in memory of their mothers yesterday at the YMCA. Members who recited poems or spoke in praise of their mothers included Mrs. Anna Flynn, Mrs. Cecilia Trembley, Orrin Clark, Mrs. Catherine Gerard, Laurence Curtis, Magnus Lovgren, Mrs. Viola Houser, Harry Reynolds, Arthur Pierce, Raymond Bliss and Mrs. Elissa Francouer. Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson introduced the speakers. One hundred ninety-four attended.

After the silent prayer for Mrs. Zebella Paoli, the group opened the business meeting with the pledge to the flag, national anthem, and theme song. Community singing was led by Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president, and several Golden Agers. Humorous stories were told by Mrs. Durwin, Mrs. Flynn and Mr. Curtis. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark gave a thought for the day. John Ross spoke about Charles Daniels. Mrs. Gerard and Miss Rose Greenleaf thanked the club for cards. Mrs. Gerard spoke about the Torington (Conn.) Golden Age club.

Guests Introduced

Mrs. Flynn read the steering committee recommendations concerning a float for the bicentennial parade, and possible dates for a June banquet. Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report. Mr. Reynolds, vice president, introduced guests: Mrs. Doris Clark, Mrs. Grace Hawxhurst and Mrs. Margaret Stenwitz. The birthday cake went to Mrs. Jeanette Kipp, from Joanne Bakers.

On the sick list are Mrs. Martha Zimmerman, Hillcrest; Mrs. Florence Cote, George Gottsche, Mrs. Mary Meyers and Mrs. Mae Madden. Welcomed back were Mrs. Rae Rubro, Mrs. Mary Mattoon, Mrs. Edith Jones, Mrs. Gerard, Mrs. Rose Cote, Mrs. Mary Martin, Mrs. Jane Lederer, Mrs. Margaret Hibbard, Mrs. Hattie Lord, Mrs. Ethel Ewing, Mrs. , Georgianna Gaudette, George Burton, John Maloney. Roland Bentley and Mrs. Francouer will visit members sick in the hospital. Mrs. Max Schulz and Miss Isabelle Ferry, College club, attended. The Golden Age News was distributed.

The roll-off for trophies will be held by the bowlers Thursday at 1:30 p.m. at the Imperial Lanes.

Librizzi

RECREATION ROOM at Francis Plaza housing project was officially opened yesterday at the housing project for the elderly on Francis Avenue. Arthur C. McGill, executive director of the Pittsfield Housing Authority, and Mrs. Albert H. Parker of the Parks and Recreation Department, spoke to the 42 residents present. A recreation club was also organized.

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Variety Program Is Presented by Hartigan Pupils

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Pupils of Mrs. James E. Hartigan's dance classes presented a variety show of songs, dances, baton twirling and instrumental numbers at Tuesday's meeting of the Golden Age Club. Taking part were Carolyn and Joanne Kincaid, Royal Hartigan, Bonnie Mikna, Jane Gerhardt, Elaine Boucher, Donna Skowronski, Mary Ann Neprava, Susan Lambert, Pamela Symanski, Mary Carvalho and Marlene Simmons. One hundred eighty-five attended.

The business meeting opened with community singing by a group of male Golden Agers. Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, led the silent prayer for Mrs. Lida Croteau. Harry Reynolds, vice president, welcomed back Mrs. Rose Gurski, Mrs. Martha Waterman, Miss Rose Connelly, Mrs. Aimee Jones and Mrs. Hannah Lissok. Guests were Mrs. Madlyn McNiff and Mrs. Joyce Rovelli, Golden Age advisers from Springfield; William Thomas, Mrs. Louise Palmer, Mrs. James Reynolds and John Clark. On the sick list is George Gottsche at Pittsfield General Hospital.

New Member Named

Mrs. Doris Clark was introduced as a new member. Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report and thought for the day. Mrs. Anna Flynn gave the secretary's report and read a thank-you from the family of Mrs. Elizabeth Lyman. Arthur Snow and Mrs. Catherine Salatino received the birthday cake. Elizabeth Clark spoke on the June Banquet.

Mrs. Robert Ayers read a thank-you from Mrs. John Joslyn to the Golden Agers who helped on the Pittsfield General Hospital bargain shop. Mrs. Ayers also spoke of Mrs. Elizabeth Riepert, the Golden Age flying grandmother. The sewing group will meet again on Friday, May 26, at the Berkshire Museum, and members are needed to complete projects. Black yarn is needed for the afghan being made for the country store bazaar and donations may be brought in to Mrs. Georgette Mouhat.

An invitation from Connecticut clubs was extended to join them in a meeting this summer.

The chorus will meet Tuesday at 12:30 p.m. at the Y. Members' day with songs, stories and verses will be Tuesday, and May-birthday gifts will be distributed.

Francis Plaza Recreation Unit Opened

Housing Project Ceremony Attended By 42 Residents

The recreation building of Francis Plaza, housing for the elderly project on Francis Avenue, was opened officially yesterday afternoon with 42 residents attending the ceremony.

Arthur C. McGill, executive director of the Pittsfield Housing Authority, and Mrs. Albert H. Parker of the Parks and Recreation Department, spoke at the opening session.

The main room was furnished by the Housing Authority and equipment includes a high fidelity record player which was donated by the General Electric Co.

As part of the opening day program, members of the housing project organized the Francis Plaza Recreation Club. Mrs. Parker discussed plans for a recreational program. A committee was named and will meet again to discuss a program. Officers for the club will be nominated at a meeting to be held Thursday, May 25.

Emblem Club To Assist

It also was revealed that the Emblem Club will assist the Park Department with the recreational program. Mrs. Francis E. Chamberlain and Mrs. Francis S. Williams of the Emblem Club and Mrs. Shirley Crosier, secretary for the Wilson Park project, assisted at yesterday's opening.

The building will be available to project residents for informal activities, planned parties and club meetings.

It also was announced yesterday that applications for the 68-unit project on Wahconah Street now are being processed and accepted applicants will be notified by the end of this month. Moving will commence on July 1.

Ralph J. Froio, chairman of the housing authority, said dedication exercises will be held in June.

Froio said applications still are being received by his office and indicate a possibility of filing for a third housing-for-the-elderly project in the city if the number of applications warrant it.

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Golden Age News

Members' Day Attended by 209; Banquet June 12

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Members' day was observed by the Golden Age Club at its meeting Tuesday at the YMCA. Two hundred-nine attended the program, which was led by Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson. Several members sang and performed.

Speakers included Arthur Pierce, Emil Wuinee, Harry Reynolds, Mrs. Viola Houser, Mrs. Elissa Francouer and William Murphy. Mrs. Anna Flynn and Mrs. Catherine Gerald sang parodies of old songs. Mrs. Ethel Bantekus played a piano solo. Community singing was accompanied by Mrs. Betty Bohre. The orchestra was made up of Otto Ungewitter, Clarence Shepherd and Mrs. Martha Waterman. May birthday gifts were distributed.

Tickets for the June 12 banquet will be given out at next week's meeting. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, refreshment chairman, spoke about the banquet to be held at 1 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, led the business meeting. Welcomed back were Mrs. Rose Laravee, Mrs. Waterman, Mrs. Alfai Failla, Mrs. Beatrice Loomis, Mrs. Mary Wallace, Mrs. Elizabeth Connors. John Clark was introduced as a new member. Mrs. Mae Madden is at Springside Nursing Home. Alfred Paradisi received the birthday cake. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Amanda Bansley and Mrs. Marie Ende.

Members of the bowling teams had their banquet May 18. Thank you cards were received from the family of Lida Croteau and the Paoli family. Golden Age members are invited free of charge to the recital by pupils of Mrs. James G. Hartigan on June 1 at 7 p.m. at the Berkshire Museum. The GE Pensioners' orchestra will play at next week's meeting, which will be held on Monday because of the Memorial Day holiday.

Golden Age News

GE Pensioners Orchestra Presents Program

5-31-61

By Mrs. ALBERT H. PARKER

The GE Pensioners orchestra played at a Golden Age Club meeting Monday at the YMCA. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre played for community singing, which was led by a group of Golden Agers. Two hundred thirty-six attended.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, read a thank-you for cards from Mrs. Cora Burns, who is on the sick list. Also on the sick list are Mrs. Ora Reed and Mrs. Ann Morin at Pittsfield General Hospital. Welcomed back were Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom, Mrs. Gilda DeFazio, Mrs. Theresa Stoessel, Mrs. Flora Campbell, Mrs. Elizabeth Controy, Tommy Mead, Emil Speass, Mrs. Anna Northrup and John DiNicola. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Nellie Foley.

Thoughts for the day were given by John Ross, Mrs. Durwin, Laurence Curtis and Earl Horton. Guests were Mrs. Anita Capuzza, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dimauro, Mrs. Alberto Ballard, all from Burlington, Vt., and Mrs. Nan Patterson. Celebrating birthdays were Mrs. Pelligrina Cimini, Mrs. Sophie Sauer and Mrs. Mabel Corcoran.

Members willing to help on the bicentennial float are to give their names to Mrs. Albert H. Parker. Women members of the chorus are to meet Monday at 1 p.m. at the Y to prepare a Father's Day program.

Mr. Curtis spoke about the trip to Holyoke which will be on June 15. Those wishing to take insurance for the trip may do so at next Tuesday's meeting.

Tickets for the June 12 banquet were distributed. The banquet will be at the Masonic Temple at 1 p.m. Assisting at today's meeting were College Club aides Mrs. Walter Ciaschini, Mrs. Frederick G. McKerr and Mrs. George D. Robertson.

Francis Plaza Plans Game Night

A game night will be held tomorrow at 7 p.m. at the Francis Plaza recreation room. Prizes will be awarded, and refreshments served.

Members of the Francis Plaza project recently met to make pads for the Visiting Nurse Association. A card party, food sale and covered-dish suppers were topics of discussion for future activities of the Francis Plaza residents at a recent meeting of the group. The resident club is assisted in its program by the Pittsfield Housing Authority and the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Bazaar, Sale On Friday

7/11/61

A Golden Age country store bazaar and food sale will be held, in connection with Pittsfield's bicentennial celebration, on Friday, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Berkshire Gas Co. show room on South Street, corner of Bank Row. Articles to be featured will include afghans, oil paintings, stoles, table pads, pomanders, crocheted pillows, Italian cut work, a rose tree, luncheon cloths, hand-worked pillow cases, quilts and leather articles. Baked goods and foods will include homemade breads, beans, canned fruits and vegetables, cookies, cakes, pies, and candies. There will be a grab bag for children.

Mrs. Anne Flynn and Mrs. Jennie Durwin will be interviewed concerning the bazaar on the Woman's World program at 1:35 on Thursday on WBRK.

Golden Age News

Seven Participate With Songs, Stories In Members' Program

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Seven members took part in a members' day program of the Golden Age Club Tuesday afternoon at the YMCA. Songs and stories were given by Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Elizabeth Francouer, William Murphy, Mrs. Mary Myers, Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Vincent DeFazio, and Earl Horton. Birthday gifts for July were distributed. Mrs. Martha Waterman played before the meeting.

The silent prayer was for the late Mrs. George Gottsche, for many years pianist for the club, and active in many dramatic skits and activities of the club. Mrs. Sarah J. Eddy played, and Roland Bentley sang a special hymn in Mrs. Gottsche's memory.

Community singing was accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre and Otto Ungewitter. Michael J. Dowd sang a solo. Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, read cards from traveling Golden Agers, Mrs. Ina Burt, Mrs. Mary Reseaux and Mrs. Mary McHugh. Ann Morin sent a thank-you note for get-well cards. A new member was introduced, Mrs. Nan Patterson. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dowd of Amherst, Salvatore Gugliuzzi and Edward Hyatt. Larry Curtis spoke about today's trip to Gibson's Grove. Mrs. Bartlett Kimball, past College Club chairman, was thanked for her work with the group, and Mrs. George D. Robertson was introduced as new chairman. The College Club and Park Department cosponsor the club. Mr. Dowd and Mrs. Eddy spoke to the group. Mrs. Anna Flynn and Mr. Curtis told humorous stories. The birthday cake was given to Mrs. Georgine Alcombright and James Sheehan. Mrs. Flynn read the secretary's report and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle reported on the treasury and bazaar receipts.

Members wishing to attend the Tanglewood concert this evening will meet at 7:15 to board the bus.

Larry Menin's accordion band will play at next Tuesday's meeting.

Golden Age News

Mrs. D. J. Miraglia Sings at Meeting Attended by 202

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mrs. Daniel J. Miraglia gave a vocal program of light classics at Tuesday's Golden Age Club meeting, attended by 202, at the YMCA. Mrs. Miraglia, well-known local singer, is a weekly visitor to nursing homes and private homes, where she gives musical programs. A lyric soprano, she also sings at churches.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, and a group of Golden Agers led the community singing, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth M. Bohre, Otto Ungewitter and Clarence D. Shepherd. Mrs. Martha Waterman entertained at the piano before the business meeting. The secretary, Mrs. Anne Flynn, gave her report and said that those wishing pictures taken by Carl Cozzio may see her. Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the financial report.

New members introduced by Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, receptionist, were Mrs. Arden Miller, Mrs. Maria Forti, and Miss Dora Palmer. Guests were Mrs. Walter Hill, Mrs. Martha Michel, and Mrs. Ann Crosby. Welcomed back, in the report of Harry Reynolds, vice president, were Mrs. Hazel Goodermote, Mrs. Florence Snow, Mrs. Marie LaVigne, Mrs. Rose Dondi and Mrs. Hattie Lord. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Ann Morin. Roland Bentley sang a special song in Mrs. Morin's memory. Mrs. Isabelle Cummings received the birthday cake.

Larry Curtis spoke about the trip to the Boys' Club camp in Richmond, next Wednesday leaving the YMCA at 10 a.m. Mr. Curtis, head of the nominating committee, gave a report of a partial slate of officers, including Jesse Beebe, president; Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, vice president; Mrs. Loretta St. Peter, secretary; Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, treasurer; and Arthur Shaver and Mrs. Wilkinson, steering committee. Nominations will be made from the floor at next week's meeting to complete the slate. Buses will leave the Y tomorrow at 2 to go to Avaloch. Buses will leave the Y Sunday at 6:30 to go to the "Oklahoma!" rehearsal.

Golden Age News

Officers Installed By Mrs. Anna Flynn Yesterday at YMCA

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Officers were installed at a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday atfernoon at the YMCA. Mrs. Anna Flynn, past secretary, was installing officer.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin was installed president for her second term; Mrs. Florence Sharon, vice president; Mrs. Emmie Snow, secretary; Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, treasurer; Mrs. Marie Wilkinson and Arthur Shaver, steering committee. Mr. Shaver presented Mrs. Durwin with a gift for her year's service as president. Tributes and thanks were given to Mrs. Durwin and the other officers and chairmen for their loyal work with the club. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre and Clarence Shepherd accompanied the community singing. John Ross spoke to the members.

Mrs. Durwin showed a new state flag for the club. Mrs. Herman Groch gave a standard and pole for the new American flag given by her and Mr. Groch to the club. Magnus Lovgren thanked the members for sympathy cards and also spoke about his trip to California. Mrs. Flynn read the minutes and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the financial report. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Flora Phillips.

In Mrs. Sharon's vice president's report, these members were welcomed back: Mr. Lovgren, Mrs. Carrie Bergeron, Henry Lapierre, Mrs. Mabel Rose, Mrs. Edna Pressello and Mrs. Bessie Hall. Guests were Mrs. Eva Boyd and Mrs. Ruth Jackson. Mrs. Mary Brazil is on the sick list at Pittsfield General Hospital. Mrs. Annie Northrup is at Crestwood Nursing Home in Lenox.

Mrs. Durwin named Mrs. Wilkinson as hostess; Mrs. Viola Houser, chairman for flowers; Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, Mrs. Florence Collins, Miss Mabel Corcoran, Mrs. Marie Countryman and Mrs. Margaret Hibbard, whists; Mrs. Flynn, recording secretary; Mrs. Mary Myers and Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, entertainment; Ray Bliss, Louis Bazzano and John Maloney, chairs; Mrs. Loretta St. Peter and Mrs. Marie Tompkins, refreshments. Mr. Lovgren received the birthday cake from Joanne Bakers.

Prizes for guessing noon temperature went to Roland Bentley, Vincent DeFazio, Mrs. Mabel King, Mrs. Nellie O'Brien, Mrs. Flora Rabouin and Carl Westphal. Receiving prizes in another game and for early rising were Mrs. King and Mr. DeFazio.

Members will vote on amendments to the constitution next week. Buses left for the Great Barrington fair today at 10:30 a.m.

Golden Age News

Plans Complete for Bazaar, Sale

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Plans for the Golden Age "country store" bazaar and food sale tomorrow were made a meeting of the club yesterday at the YMCA.

The event will be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Berkshire Gas Co. on South Street. Members are to bring contributions of handmade articles or homemade food as soon after 8:30 tomorrow morning as possible. Prizes include an afghan, handpainted plates and an oil painting. The public is invited. Proceeds go toward a bicentennial float.

The next bus trip will be to Gibson's Grove, Lake Buel, July 26, according to Lawrence Curtis, trip chairman. Those wishing insurance may take it out at the next meeting. Mr. Curtis, Emil Wuinee, John Ross and Carl Westphal spoke. Mrs. Martha Waterman played before the meeting. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre and Otto Ungewitter played for singing. The birthday cake was sent to the West Pittsfield branch of the Springside Nursing Home. Mrs. Mabel Groch donated an American flag to the club, and George Beckham gave a state flag.

Mr. Beckham spoke on coming Golden Age tours this fall. A group will visit the Cathedral in the Pines on Saturday. Mrs. Robert H. Ayers took the vice-president's place and spoke about the Wahconah Heights housing project. The president, Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, read a thank you note from the family of Mrs. Helena Martin. The silent prayer was for Armand Boure and Mrs. Ethel Decker. Mrs. Anne Flynn read election suggestions, and the secretary's notes. Mrs. Bertha Carlisle reported on the treasury. Attendance was 205.

Mrs. Etta Smith and Mrs. Emma Young are on the sick list. Visitors were Mrs. Ella Rosenberry, Mrs. Olive Valencourf, Mrs. Mary Neville, Mrs. Ann Lockwood, Mrs. Margaret Isherwood and Miss Emma Wenzel. Welcomed back were Mr. Westphal and Mrs. Anna Overlock.

Next Tuesday's program will feature singers from "Annie Get Your Gun," Paul Nixon and Sarah Davis.

Golden Age News

Paul Nixon Sings at Meeting Attended by 166

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Paul Nixon sang several selections for the Golden Age Club members at a meeting yesterday afternoon at the YMCA. Solos from "Annie Get Your Gun," and other musicals were on the program. Mrs. Nixon accompanied her husband at the piano. One hundred sixty-six attended.

The next bus trip will be next Wednesday to Gibson's Grove, Lake Buel. Members will meet at the Y at 10 a.m. Picnic lunches will be carried, or refreshments and light lunches will be sold at the grove.

Thanks were given to all of those Golden Agers and College Club aides who assisted at the recent bazaar and food sale. George Oschman was presented with a gift. John Maloney will assist Mr. Oschman and those Golden Agers working on the float for the bicentennial parade.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, led the business meeting. A vote was taken on elections procedure following an explanation by Arthur Shaver. Names will be accepted from the floor for the nominating committee at the Aug. 1 meeting. Those interested in the Beckham tours may send their names to Mr. Beckham in Canton or to Mrs. Durwin. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Groch were given a vote of thanks for the 50-star flag they gave.

Mrs. Robert H. Ayers is on the sick list. Cheryl Harris was a guest at the meeting. John Ross and Harry Reynolds gave thoughts for the day. The birthday cake, courtesy of Joanne Bakers, was given to Mrs. Elizabeth Clark and Mrs. Frieda Prater. Mrs. Catherine Gerard read a letter from Michael Dowd concerning aging-council affairs. Mrs. Anna Flynn read the secretary's report and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle reported on the treasury.

On Tuesday there will be a birthday party with gifts for those with July birthdays. It is members' day and members are to bring stories, songs, poems and thoughts for the day.

Golden Age News

Mrs. Hutchinson Directs Program For Father's Day

By Mrs. ALBERT H. PARKER

A Father's Day program, under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson, was presented at the Golden Age Club meeting, attended by 187, yesterday at the YMCA.

Taking part were Mrs. Catherine Gerard as "Pa," Mrs. Mary Myers as "Ma," and Mrs. Anna Flynn as "Sister Anne." Mrs. Hutchinson was a visiting "city dude." In the barbershop quartet were Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Elizabeth Francouer, Mrs. Marie B. Lavigne and Mrs. Helen Meinhart. Carl Cozzio took snapshots.

Bus Trip Tomorrow

During the business meeting, Laurence Curtis, bus trip chairman, spoke about the trip tomorrow to Holyoke. Buses will leave the YMCA at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, read a thank-you note from the College Club members who attended the recent banquet. A note from Mrs. Catherine Curtin gave her new address as 29 Cole Ave. A thank-you was received from the family of Mrs. Mae Madden.

Members are invited to a concert by Miss Catherine Nadon Saturday, June 24, at 8 p.m. at North Junior High School. Those wishing information about the Golden Age camp under the direction of the Salvation Army may call Mrs. Durwin. Mrs. Fred Myers thanked the club for cards received while she was ill. Mrs. Flynn received the birthday cake and gave it to Arthur Bartram and Springside Nursing Home residents. Those wishing to turn in bazaar ticket money may do so at the next meeting. Mrs. Myers was welcomed back to the club.

Guests Present

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Helen Skinner of Roslindale, Albert Robitaille, Mrs. Angeline Verano and Sam Bailey.

On the sick list are Mrs. Mary Martin and Mrs. Anna Langlois at Pittsfield General Hospital and Mrs. Rose Gull at home. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Lola Buck.

Mrs. Flynn gave the secretary's report, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report. The vice president, Harry Reynolds, introduced new members Guido DiPietro. College Club aides were Miss Isabelle Ferry and Mrs. Harry C. Stanley, and Park Department adviser, Mrs. Parker.

Mrs. Anna Morin

Mrs. Anna LaFramboise St. Jacques Morin, 69, of 41 Linden St. died Saturday in Pittsfield General Hospital. She was the widow of Eugene W. Morin.

Born May 15, 1892, in Huntington, Quebec, Canada, Mrs. Morin had lived here for 40 years. She was an employe of the Pittsfield Novelty Co. for more than 20 years, having retired in 1955. She was a communicant of Notre Dame Church and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, the Golden Age Club and the Senior Citizens Club.

She leaves three sons, the Rev. Clement St. Jacques, S. A., of Graymoor, serving in British Columbia, M. Sgt. Lauriel St. Jacques of Stewart Air Force Base, Newburgh, N.Y., and Walter R. Morin of West Acton; a daughter, Mrs. Mervin F. Zink of Windsor; three brothers, Philerome and Aimie, both of Dalton, and Joseph of Pittfield; three sisters, Mrs. Josephine Menard of Dalton, and the Rev. Sister M. Antoine Joseph and the Rev. Sister M. Philomene, both of the Congregation of the Holy Name of Jesus and Mary in Montreal, Canada; seven grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and several nephews and nieces.

The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 8:30 at the Dery Funeral Home, followed by a Solemn High Mass of Requiem at 9 in Notre Dame Church. Burial will be in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home today and tomorrow from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.

Golden Agers To Attend Party For Sen. Smith

More than 200 members of the Golden Age and Senior Citizens organizations will attend the lawn party Saturday being given by the Democratic City Committee for U.S. Sen. Benjamin A. Smith, Mrs. Elizabeth Paul and James E. Doyle, cochairmen, announced today. The party will be held at Avaloch Inn, Lenox, from 3 to 6.

Councilman John F. Fraser, a member of the Ward 7 Democratic Committee who is in charge of arrangements for the lawn party, said that buses will pick up the elderly people in front of the YMCA at 2 p.m. The same vehicles will transport the guests back to Pittsfield. Mr. Fraser said that the Courtesy Cab Co. and the Berkshire Street Railway Co. are donating buses and drivers for the occasion.

Peter G. Arlos, city committee chairman, said there are indications that the attendance will exceed the anticipated 1,000 mark. He said the demand for tickets is brisk and he asks that all unsold tickets be returned immediately to his office at 3 Glenwood Ave.

Golden Age Band To Entertain at Sale Tomorrow

A Golden Age comedy band will play for the Golden Age country store bazaar and food sale tomorrow at the Berkshire Gas Co. show room on South Street. The event will start at 10 a.m. Hostesses in costume will greet the public. Baked goods and hand-made articles will be sold. Prizes will include an afghan, oil painting, and hand-painted plates. Proceeds will go toward expenses for a bicentennial float by the Golden Age Club in the city's bicentennial parade on Labor Day.

Golden Age News

Cantarella Pupils Present Dance Program

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Pupils from the Cantarella Studio danced at yesterday's meeting of the Golden Age Club. Students performed under the direction of Madeline Cantarella Culpo at the YMCA.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, conducted the business meeting, which opened with a silent prayer for Mrs. Elsie Allen and Joseph Baranzelli. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent DeFazio were congratulated on their 55th wedding anniversary. The club voted to put the float prize money in the building and furnishings fund. A vote was taken on honorary memberships.

Mrs. Eva Boyd was introduced as a new member. On the sick list are Howard Karner, 73 Holmes Road, Mrs. Florence Wagner, Mrs. Edith Lyons and Miss Rose Greenleaf at Springside Nursing Home.

Welcomed back were George Burton and Mrs. Edith Spurr.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carusotto, Miss Marie Francouer, Mrs. Mary Aldrich and John Zahalskis. Clarence Shepherd received the birthday cake. Mrs. Emmie Snow read the secretary's report, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, the treasurer's report. Mrs. Florence Sharon gave the vice president's report. Mrs. Catherine Gerard and Mrs. Durwin told humorous stories. Card parties will be held the first Monday of every month, starting Oct. 2, at 2 p.m. at the Y. Door and table prizes will be given. Mrs. George D. Robertson and Mrs. George B. Tompkins were College Club aides at the meeting.

137 Golden Agers Take Bus Trip

A bus trip to Mapleview in Washington was enjoyed by 137 Golden Agers today. Lawrence Curtis was bus trip chairman, and pilots were Mr. Curtis, Robert Ayers, Jesse Beebe and John Maloney.

Picnicking, cards, and entertainment with songs and stories and dancing were part of the day's program. Taking part were drivers Russell DeGrenier, Larry Mackey and Mrs. Albert H. Parker for the the group were Mrs. George D. Robertson of the College Club, Mrs. Winston Roulier, registered nurse, and Mrs. Albert H. Parker for the Park Department.

Golden Age News

Dance Students Of Celia Conuel Give Entertainment

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Students of the Celia Conuel Dance Studio entertained at a meeting of the Golden Age Club Monday afternoon at the YMCA. Taking part in high lights from the anuual student production of the story of jazz were Susan Barbas, Joan Frydel, Karen Sperlungo, Christine Eksukian, Rosemary Brown, Mary Conuel, Susan McCabe, Ellen Stevens, Vickie Shepard, Peggy Corbin, Gail Shorey and Paula Gai. Mrs. Emma Menard and Mrs. Viola Houser arranged the program.

Members willing to help at the country store bazaar may sign up at Tuesday's meeting. The bazaar and food sale will be July 14, starting at 10 a.m., at the Berkshire Gas Co. on South Street. Members giving children's toys for the grab bag may bring them next week. Handmade articles and food will be brought in to the bazaar.

Mrs. Martha Waterman played before the meeting. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre played for singing. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Mary Martin. Mrs. Elizabeth Robbins was introduced as a new member.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jules Faivre, William Wilbur and Mrs. Mary Miller. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark and William Murphy gave thoughts for the day. The birthday cake, presented weekly by Joanne Bakers, was given to Mrs. Mary McHugh and Mrs. Arthur Frilley. Mrs. Anne Langlois thanked members for cards. Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin thanked those who gave cookies and served for the birthday party. Lawrence Curtis spoke about the July 5 trip to Mapleview and the next trip which will be July 26 to Gibson's Grove. College Club aides were Mrs. David Morrison and Mrs. Max Schulz.

Golden Age News

Mrs. Jennie Durwin Renamed President; Others Are Elected

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin was reelected president of the Golden Age Club at a meeting of the club Tuesday at the YMCA. Mrs. Florence Sharon was named vice president; Mrs. Emmie Snow, secretary; Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, treasurer; Arthur Shaver and Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, on the steering committee. Installation will be next week.

Members may sign up at next week's meeting to go to the Great Barrington Fair Sept. 13. Buses will leave the Y at 10:30 a.m. next Wednesday.

John Maloney, float chairman, announced that the club won honorable mention in the bicentennial parade for its husking bee entry. Mr. Maloney and his committee and all those who donated time and materials in the interest of the float entry were thanked.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre played for community singing. Mrs. Anna Flynn gave the secretary's report, and Mrs. Carlisle the treasurer's report. Harry Reynolds, vice president ,announced that Henry Newmarker won the birthday cake. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, refreshment chairman, and Mrs. Durwin thanked those who donated cookies and flowers and helped with serving on members' day. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Jane Rennie. Humorous stories were told by Mrs. Viola Houser, Robert H. Ayers, Mrs. Elissa Francouer, Earl Horton and Mrs. Catherine Gerard. On the sick list are Mrs. Elizabeth O'Neil, Mrs Ida Bould and Grace Claughsey. Mrs. Frieda Prater was welcomed back.

Assisting at the meeting were Mrs. David Morrison, Mrs. George Robertson, and Mrs. Harry Stanley of the College Club.

Roland Bentley was recognized as the oldest man on the floor at the bicentennial square dance.

Golden Age News

Committee For Nominating Will Be Chosen

MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

The names of 10 members will be on the ballot for a nominating committee, it was stated at a meeting of the Golden Age Club Tuesday at the YMCA. Five of these will be elected next Tuesday to form the nominating committee.

The 10 are: Larry Curtis, John Maloney, Miss Rose Connelly, Mrs. Catherine Gerard, Herman Groch, Arthur Pierce, Mrs. Anne Tompkins, Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Fran Boyer and Earl Horton.

George Oschman and John Maloney held a recent meeting with a Golden Age committee to discuss a theme for the bicentennial float.

Guests Present

One hundred eighty-eight attended the meeting. Guests were Mrs. Etta Neilson, Mrs. Agnes Navin, Mrs. Emma Wenzel, Mrs. Lena Burgess, Mrs. Mary Bessette, Mrs. Rose Gauvin, and Leon Beaudry. Keith and Karen Salo visited their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Myers. William Wilbur was introduced by Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, receptionist, as a new member. Robert H. Ayers acted as vice president in place of Harry Reynolds. The birthday cake was given to Mrs. Carrie Bergeron. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Minnie Dunlap. Humorous stories were told by Mrs. Elissa Francouer, Mr. Ayers, Earl Horton and William Murphy. Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Mrs. Gerard and Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy spoke. Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, thanked Howard Karner for giving flowers for the stage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayers were welcomed back. George Gottsche is at Springside Nursing Home. Cards may be sent to Miss Rose Greenleaf at the Lenox Edgewood Nursing Home. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre played for singing. Mrs. Durwin introduced Mrs. Burgess, chaplain of the North Adams club. Mr. and Mrs. Groch were thanked for the flag given to the club. Mrs. Geneva Smith thanked the members for cards received, as did Mrs. Emma Young and Mrs. Etta Smith. Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson sent greetings to the club.

Golden Age News

214 Attend Program of Entertainment

By MRS. ANNA FLYNN

A program of entertainment was given by members of the club at a meeting of the Golden Age Club Tuesday at the YMCA. There were 214 present.

Taking part in the program were Mrs. Florence Cote, Mrs. Jennie Durwin, Mrs. Liza Francouer, John Ross, Magnus Lovegren, Mrs. Genevive Smith, Harry Reynolds, Robert Ayers, Laurence Curtis, Mrs. Catherine Guard, Clarence Shepherd, Mrs. Jane Rennie and Mrs. Ann Flynn. Gifts were distributed to all those having birthdays in June.

The theme song and several songs from the song sheet were sung. Jennie Durwin, with a group of the members assisting led the singing. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohres was at the piano. Mrs. Elizabeth Waters played for a time before the meeting began.

On the sick list are Miss Lillian Austin and Mrs. Lillian Williams both at Pittsfield General Hospital. A card was received from Margaret Hutchinson. Joseph Doucette was welcomed as a new member. Mrs. Elizabeth Robbins and Mrs. Emeline Mosher were guests. The birthday cake went to Mrs. Catherine Grady.

The president announced that any Golden Ager is welcome to attend the Salvation Army Camp and that anyone interested is to call the Salvation Army to get complete particulars. She also announced that the regular meeting next week will be held on Monday, July 3, at 2, since the regular meeting day falls on July 4.

Mr. Curtis announced plans for two trips in July. The first one will be on July 5. Members will leave the Y at 10. The second trip is scheduled for July 26.

Refreshments were served.

Golden Age News

Nominating Committee Is Elected

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Lawrence Curtis was elected chairman of the nominating committee at a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday at the YMCA. Other members of the committee are John Maloney, Herman Groch, Emil Wuinee and Mrs. Catherine Gerard.

Mrs. Mary Myers entertained the 180 members present at the meeting with Irish songs. Mrs. Myers was accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre at the piano. Before the meeting, Mrs. Martha Waterman and Otto Ungewitter played for the group. For the community singing, Mrs. Bohre and Clarence Shepherd played. Mrs. Herman Groch was made an honorary member of the club and her donation of a 50-star flag was acknowledged.

New Members Introduced

Mrs. Marie Wilkinson, receptionist, introduced two new members, Miss Agnes Navin and Mrs. Etta R. Nilson. Guests were Mrs. Maria Forti and Mrs. Louis Garone. Emil Wuinee gave a thought for the day, and humorous stories were told by William Murphy, Mrs. Gerard and John Ross. Mrs. Catherine Blake was presented with the birthday cake. Welcomed back were Mr. Ross, Mrs. Ada Smith, Mrs. Agnes Joyce, and Raymond Bliss. On the sick list are Miss Rose Greenleaf at Crestwood Nursing Home in Lenox and George J. Gottsche at the Springside Nursing Home. Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, led the business meeting. Mrs. Robert H. Ayers substituted for the vice president, and read thank-you cards from Mrs. Florence Snow and a card from Mr. Ross.

Mr. Maloney spoke about the bicentennial float, and a meeting of the committee was held. Mrs. Harry C. Stanley and Miss Isabelle Ferry, College Club, were aides at the meeting. Mr. Ayers and Arthur Shaver assisted with the election.

Golden Age News

David Face Plays Program of Piano Selections

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

David Face played piano selections at a meeting of the Golden Age Club, attended by 186, Tuesday at the YMCA.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin led the business meeting, which opened with a community sing and a silent prayer for shut-ins.

Emil Quinee received the birthday cake donated by Joanne Bakers. On the sick list are Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom, at home; Mrs. Annie Northrup, Pittsfield General Hospital; Mrs. Elizabeth O'Neil. Thoughts for the day were given by Robert H. Ayers, from Mrs. Marie Wilkinson. Humorous stories were told by Larry Curtis, John Maloney and John Ross. Mr. Maloney held a float committee meeting.

Visitors at the club were Mrs. Minerva Gilbert of Providence, Mrs. Mary Bergstrom, Miss Esther Bergstrom, Mrs. Florence Getty and Mrs. Arden Miller. Welcomed back were Mrs. Emmie Snow, Mrs. Isabel Gilbert, Harry Reynolds and Daniel O'Brien.

Mrs. Durwin and Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy spoke about nursing homes and it was suggested that members send cards and visit the sick. Those going to the Avaloch gathering Aug. 26 may give their names to Larry Curtis. Members wishing to attend the Aug. 27 performance of "Oklahoma!" may sign up with Mrs. Isabel Parker. Flowers for the stage were given by Howard Karner and Mr. and Mrs. Ayers. Mrs. Ayers was thanked for helping in the vice president's chair during Mr. Reynolds' absence.

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Kinnas, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Pierce, cf, p	0	1	0	0	0	0
Baker, rf, 2b	1	1	0	1	0	0
C. Hebert, ss	1	0	1	0	0	0
Paris, 3b	5	1	2	0	3	0
D. Hebert, p, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Wilk, c	4	1	4	6	0	0
Furlano, ss	3	1	0	1	2	0
Norton, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, 1b	3	2	1	7	0	0
Boland, 2b, p	2	1	2	2	0	1
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Mullett, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
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McCumiskey, p, cf	4	1	2	1	2	0
Wowk, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Parise, rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
O'Hara, rf, p	1	1	0	0	0	0
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Jakacky, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brockway, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Reynolds, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
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2B—D. Hebert, Wilk. SB—Boland. LOB—Colt 7, Royal 5. BB—Hebert 2, McCumiskey 1, O'Hara 5, Pierce 1, Boland 1. SO—Hebert 2, McCumiskey 5, Pierce 1. HO—Hebert, 3 in 5; McCumiskey, 9 in 5; Pierce, 3 in 2-3; Boland, 1 in 1-3; O'Hara, 3 in 1. HBP—Baker (McCumiskey), Parise (O'Hara, D. Hebert). WP—McCumiskey. PB—Kominicki, Wilk. W—D. Hebert. L—McCumiskey. U—Hart and Janas. T—1h, 50m.

Boating Club Annual Tonight

The Pittsfield Boating Club will hold its annual meeting and election of officers tonight at the West Shore Sportsmen's Club, Pontoosuc Lake. A roast beef dinner will be served at 6:30, followed by the business meeting at 8. A slate of officers will be presented by Robert O. Beverstock, chairman of the nominating committee. A movie, "A Trip Through the Johnson Factory," will be shown.

The annual banquet and installation of officers is scheduled for Feb. 4 at the White Tree Club.

Commodore Darrel E. Badger has called a meeting of directors and newly elected officers for Monday night at the home of Alfred Boryta, 68 Grove St.

Boating Club Banquet To Be Saturday

2/1/61

The annual banquet of the Pittsfield Boating Club will be Saturday at 6:15 p.m. at the White Tree Club. Dinner will be followed by installation of officers for the coming year and an informal, record-player dance. A dinner address will be given by a surprise speaker.

The slate of officers to be installed follows: Alfred Boryta, of Pittsfield, commodore; William Hoppe Jr. of Richmond, vice commodore; Mrs. William Nesbit of Lanesboro, yeoman, and Albert F. Nash of Pittsfield, purser.

The next meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. Feb. 21 at the West Shore Club.

Boating Club Banquet Is Rescheduled

2/7/61

The Pittsfield Boating Club has rescheduled its annual banquet and installation of officers for Saturday at 6:30 in the White Tree Club on Wendell Avenue. The event was postponed last Saturday because of the snowstorm.

Commodore Darrel E. Badger has appointed Sydney R. Kanter as installing officer and master of ceremonies. John Novo is banquet chairman. The club announced that Mrs. William Plouffe of 46 Hollister St. may be contacted if there are any changes in reservation plans.

Alfred Boryta Elected Commodore Of Boating Club

1/18/61

Alfred Boryta was elected commodore of the Pittsfield Boating Club at a meeting last night at the West Shore Sports Club, Inc. Mr. Boryta succeeds Darrel E. Badger. Twenty-six attended the meeting.

William Hoppe Jr. of Richmond was named vice commodore; Mrs. William H. Nesbit of Lanesboro, yeoman (secretary); Albert F. Nash Jr., purser (treasurer). Frank T. Frary Jr. and John Novo, both of Lenox, will be new directors, in addition to the retiring commodore and Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of Parks and Recreation.

Mr. Boryta is a machinist in the regulator department of GE with 23 years' service. During the war he was a machinist instructor in

Plouffe

Alfred Boryta

the Navy building. He has been active in the club since its formation seven years ago.

A color sound film of the Johnson Outboard Motor Co. was shown after dinner.

To Plan Banquet

A directors' meeting will be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. at Mr. Boryta's home, 68 Grove St. Plans for the annual banquet Feb. 4 will be made, and future projects will be discussed.

The next meeting will be Feb. 21.

Boating Outing Tomorrow for Crippled Children

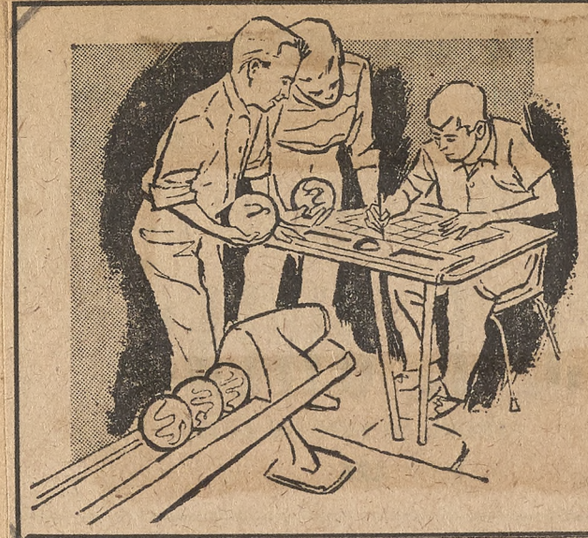
6/3/61

Alfred Boryta, commodore of the Pittsfield Boating Club, said last night that preparations have been completed for the annual outing for crippled children tomorrow at Onota Lake. He asked the cooperation of the public in leaving the boat ramp section clear for the children.

Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation, announced that an area on the bank overlooking the boat ramp and dock would be roped off and tables set up there for the children's picnic. Raymond J. Rabideau has secured food, soda, ice cream, books and toys for the picnic. The Auxiliary Police will be in charge of the luncheon and the parking of cars. Auxiliary Policeman Kenneth Matthews will represent the Red Cross and have first aid equipment available.

Ken Thompson, chairman of the outing, will have six boats, both open and cabin cruisers, ready to provide free boat rides for the children and their families.

Committee members are asked to be at the boat ramp between 9 and 10 a.m.



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2/2/61

PARK DEPT. LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Parks	7	1	Water	3	5
Police 2	7	1	Garage	1	7
Highway	5	3	Police 1	1	7

Results: Parks 4, Garage 0; Highway 4, Police No. 1 0; Police No. 2 4, Water 0.
High bowlers: Single string, Higgins 134. Three-string, Marchesi 337, Rheaume 336, Parker 328, Catalano 323, MacDonald 320, Rocca 320, Fraser 312, Walsh 309, Abbott 309, Potter 305, Higgins 308, Norton 306.
Highlights: Park rolled 3-string team total 1613.

Wood 368, Gasson 367, Novaris 370.

2/24/61

MIDGET BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Tigers	11	4	Indians	6	9
Red Sox	9	6	Yankees	4	11

Results: Tigers 3, Yankees 0; Indians 2, Red Sox 1.
High bowlers: Single string, T. Sherman 104. Two strings, T. Sherman 207.

1/24/61

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Park	3	1	Hiway	1	3
Police 2	3	1	Garage	1	3
Water	3	1	Police 1	1	3

Results: Police Two 3, Hiway 1; Water 3, Garage 1; Parks 3, Police One 1.
High bowlers: Single string, Polidoro 150. Three-string, Goerlach 337, Marchesi 337, Perrone 323, Rheaume 318, Polidoro 314, Norton 312, MacDonald 312, Yovis 305, Thompson 297, Walsh 296, Potter 295.

2/15/61

INTERMEDIATE BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Pirates	5	1	Braves	3	3
Giants	5	1	Cubs	1	5
Redlegs	4	2	Dodgers	0	6

Results: Redlegs 3, Cubs 0; Pirates 3, Dodgers 0; Giants 3, Braves 0.
High bowlers: Single string, L. Delmolino 101. Two strings, C. Passe 195.

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PARK DEPT. MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Parks	10	2	Garage	5	7
Police (2)	9	3	Water	4	8
Highway	7	5	Police (1)	1	11

Results: Parks 3, Police No. 2 1; Garage 4, Police No. 1 0; Highway 3, Water 1.
High bowlers: Single string, Rocca 146. Three-string, Rocca 374, Cooper 336, Perrone 325, W. Gerwaski 324, Sweener 320, King, 319, Potter 316, MacDonald 308, Norton 296, Clark 295, Higgins 294.

PARK DEPARTMENT MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Police (2)	21	3	Highway	8	16
Parks	20	4	Garage	7	17
Water	11	13	Police (1)	5	19

Results: Police No. 2 4, Garage 0; Parks 4, Highway 0; Water 3, Police No. 1 1.
High bowlers: Single string, Hugabone 139. Three-string, Norton 351, Cooper 349, Perrone 340, Danford 338, Goerlach 331, Hugabone 331, Walsh 322, Higgins 315, Marchesi 331, MacDonald 305.

Bowling Bulletin Board

2/15/61

PARK DEPT. BOWLING LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Police No. 1	15	1	Water	7	9
Parks	15	1	Garage	2	14
Highway	8	8	Police No. 1	1	15

Results: Parks 4, Water 0; Police No. 2 4, Police No. 1 0; Highway 3, Garage 1.
High bowlers: Single string: Rocca 154. Three-string: Rocca 356, Rheaume 341, Goerlach 325, Fraser 319, Marchesi 318, Potter 313, Pierce 309, Walsh 306, Cooper 300.

G. Studley 245.

2/24/61

PARK DEPT. MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Parks	17	3	Water	8	12
Police (2)	17	3	City Garage	6	14
Highway	11	9	Police (1)	1	19

Results: Parks 2, Police 2; Highway 3, Water 1; City Garage 4, Police o. 1 0.
High bowlers: Single string, ... 135. Three-string, Rocca 335, Yovis 330, Goerlach 324, Rheaume 319, W. Gergaski 312, Marchesi 305, MacDonald 304, Norton 300, Hugabone 298, Potter 295.

INTERMEDIATE BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Giants	21	3	Pirates	12	12
Redlegs	21	3	Braves	5	19
Cardinals	20	4	Phillies	5	19
Cubs	12	12	Dodgers	0	24

Results: Redlegs 3, Braves 0; Pirates 3, Dodgers 0; Giants 2, Phillies 1; Cardinals 2, Cubs 1.
High bowlers: Single string, F. Dallava 115. Two strings, Cook 211.

MIDGET BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Red Sox	17	7	Indians	10	14
Tigers	14	10	Yankees	7	17

Results: Red Sox 3, Indians 0; Yankees 2, Tigers 1.
High bowlers: Single string, T. Sherman 93. Two strings, T. Sherman 183.

MIDGET BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Tigers	12	6	Indians	8	10
Red Sox	11	7	Yankees	5	13

Results: Indians 2, Yankees 1; Red Sox 2, Tigers 1.
High bowlers: Single string, T. Sherman 105. Three-string, T. Sherman 196.

INTERMEDIATE BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Giants	15	3	Pirates	8	10
Redlegs	15	3	Phillies	8	7
Cardinals	12	3	Braves	4	14
Cubs	9	9	Dodgers	0	18

Results: Cardinals 3, Pirates 0; Redlegs 3, Dodgers 0; Phillies 2, Giants 1; Cubs 2, Braves 1.
High bowlers: Single string, R. Nugai 104. Two strings, R. Nugai 204.

PORTUGUESE-AMERICAN

PARK DEPARTMENT MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

FIRST HALF FLNAL STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Parks	25	3	Garage	10	18
Police (2)	25	3	Water	8	20
Highway	14	14	Police (2)	2	26

Results: Highway 3, Police No. 1 1; Parks 4, Garage 0; Uolice No. 2, 4, Water 0.
High bowlers: Single string, MacDonald 126. Three-string, Rheaume 350, MacDonald 329, Norton 316, Perrone 304, Yovis 299, Goerlach 299, W. Gerwaski 297, Hugabone 295, Clark 291, Thompson 291.
First half ended in a two-way tie for first place between the Park Dept. and the Police No. 2 teams.

INTERMEDIATE BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Giants	24	3	Pirates	13	14
Redlegs	21	6	Phillies	7	20
Cardinals	21	6	Braves	6	21
Cubs	14	13	Dodgers	2	25

Results: Giants 3, Redlegs 0; Dodgers 2, Braves 1; Cubs 8, Pirates 1; Phillies 2, Cardinals 1.
High bowlers: Single string J. Rilla 120. Two strings, J. Rilla 200.

MIDGET BOYS' LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Red Sox	20	7	Indians	13	14
Tigers	14	13	Yankees	7	20

Results: Red Sox 3, Tigers 0; Indians 3, Yankees 0.
High bowlers: Single string T. Sherman 111. Two strings, T. Sherman 194.

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BOWLING TROPHIES were presented to the top bowlers of the Pittsfield Park Department bowling leagues yesterday morning at Springside House by Dr. Robert Kirvin, Park Commission chairman, second from left. Receiving trophies are, left to right: David Audette, most improved Junior League bowler; Craig Passe, Junior League high average bowler; Tommy Sherman, Midget League high average; Donald Wyman, most improved in Midget League. Trophies were also presented to members of champion teams in leagues.

Top Bowlers Get Trophies

4/21/61

Tommy Sherman High in Park Leagues With 97 Average

High average bowlers, most improved bowlers and members of the champion Giants and Red Sox teams of the Pittsfield Park Department bowling leagues were given trophies yesterday morning at Springside House by Dr. Robert Kirvin, park department chairman. Tommy Sherman of the Midget League topped both loops with a 97 average.

Craig Passe was high average bowler in the Junior League with 94.5. Receiving trophies for the most improved bowlers were David Audette in the Junior loop and Donald Wyman of the Midgets.

The Giants won the Junior championship and the Red Sox triumphed in the Midget circuit. Members of the Giants were Leonard Delmolino, Michael Doolan, David Russo, Nando Delmolino and Ronald Nugai.

Red Sox members are Sherman, Wyman, James Culver and Harvey Shufelt.

Park Bowlers Hold Banquet At Turnverein

6/3/61

The annual Park Department Bowling League banquet was held Thursday night at the Turnverein Hall. High bowlers in class A and class B were honored.

Bill Rocca, class A high average with 115.5, also rolled the high single for the season of 154. John Marchesi had class A high triple with 390. Bill Rheaume, who finished second with a 106.4 average, was awarded the trophy in that division. Each bowler was eligible for only one award.

In class B, Bob Higgins had the high average of 95. Bob Danford had the high triple with 338 and Gene Catalano had the high single with 133.

The final standings and averages:

FINAL STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Parks	67	9	Water	28	48
Police (2)	62	14	Garage	22	54
Highway	37	37	Police (1)	10	66

1961 FINAL AVERAGES CLASS A

	Games	Pinfall	Ave.
W. Rocca	27	3119	115.5
W. Rheaume	48	5105	106.4
A. Goerlach	51	5395	105.8
J. Perrone	45	4672	103.8
D. Norton	54	5593	103.6
D. MacDonald	57	5897	103.5
J. Marchesi	54	5529	102.4
R. Cooper	39	3992	102.4
J. Walsh	51	5206	102.0
F. Polidoro	30	3037	101.2
W. Gerwaski	48	4762	99.2
W. Potter	51	5038	98.8
L. Sweener	21	2078	98.8
M. Sciola	27	2627	97.3
T. Abbott	51	4934	96.7
R. King	42	4050	96.4
A. Hugabone	48	4574	95.3
A. Yovis	45	4223	93.8
J. Fraser	42	3928	93.3
Bailey	42	3831	91.2
J. Pierce	24	2106	87.8
CLASS B			
R. Higgins	57	5415	95.0
G. Catalano	57	5341	93.7
A. Thompson	57	5341	93.7
J. Danford	48	4385	91.4
Gates	42	3809	90.7
E. Gerwaski	57	5025	88.2
R. Stracuzzi	51	4486	88.0
Clark	57	4982	87.4
W. Hinckley	54	4649	86.1
J. Groat	48	4000	83.3
W. Howard	33	2663	80.7
Fowler	33	2595	78.6

5-20-61

Librizzi

CHAMPION BOWLERS in the Golden Age Club League, Gino E. Bartolomei and Mrs. Mary P. Mazza, received their tropies Thursday from Mrs. Ruth Bianchi, right.

Top Bowlers Of Golden Agers Receive Awards

Golden Age bowling champions Mrs. Mary Mazza and Gino Bartolomei were presented trophies Thursday at the club's bowling banquet, held at the Copper Pin Restaurant at the Imperial Lanes. The league here is the first organized in the state.

Mrs. Ruth (Ma) Bianchi made the awards to top bowlers in the men's and women's divisions at the Golden Age Tournament, held May 4.

Martin Pullano addressed the group and key chains were presented to the bowlers. Guests were Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, club president; Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent, Parks and Recreation Department, and John C. Marchesi, recreation supervisor.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Helen Meinhart and Mrs. Cecilia Trembley as the bowlers most likely to get ahead. Games were played and prizes won by Mr. Marchesi, Mrs. Ann Morin and Mrs. Aimee Soucy. Stories were told by Mrs. Anna Flynn, Earl Horton, William Morcotte, Dan Brockway, Mr. Hebert, Mrs. Florence Cote, Mr. Marchesi and Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson. Hi-fi music was enjoyed through the courtesy of Mr. Marcotte. Gifts were presented by the league to Mrs. Albert H. Parker, adviser. Singing was accompanied by Mrs. Flynn at the piano.

Conservation Commission Appears Certainty for City

A conservation commission for Pittsfield became a virtual certainty today as result of unanimous ordainment last night by the City Council of the measure creating the commission. The ordinance now goes to the mayor for his signature.

Established under state law, the ordinance calls for a commission of seven members: one from the City Council, one from the Planning Board and five to be named by the mayor. Terms of the members are for three years.

The ultimate aim of the Conservation Commission, as set in the state law, is to acquire for the city land in a natural state to be used by present and future residents. The city may appropriate $15,000 a year for the operation of the commission. Money from this fund spent to purchase wet, dry or open land may be doubled by the addition of state aid through a matching-fund conservation program.

Urged Graham

A report from former Planning Director Duncan M. Graham, recommending the program, said that a conservation commission was needed to acquire land, preventing the city of Pittsfield from eventually becoming only asphalt and concrete. He said the development of the city is slowly cutting into open areas within the city limits.

Four other ordinances received final passage at last night's Council meeting. Two no-parking zones were approve, as were two spot-zone changes.

Again pending Mayor Haughey's signature, there will be no parking on the southerly side of Merrill Road at the most easterly parking lot gate at GE Ordnance Plant No. 3 Parking will also be banned on the northerly side of Burbank Street near the Winter Street intersection.

Ordinance Provisions

The zoning ordinances provide for an up-grading of land along Gamwell Avenue belonging to Lipton Realty Corp. from C-4 (heavy commercial) to R-i-C (one-family dwellings). Reclassification of land at 586-588 Tyler St. belonging to Marie E. Clement from R-6 (multi-family dwellings) to C-3 (central business) is also provided for.

In other business, the Council unanimously passed for a first reading a proposed ordinance updating the lavatory ventilation requirements in the building and plumbing codes.

Bicentennial Committee Announces Series of Events

Pittsfield's bicentennial committee moved into high gear last night with the unfolding of a schedule of special events starting in April and continuing through Labor Day weekend.

Plans for the observance were outlined at a meeting at the Berkshire Museum to chairmen of subcommittees by Robert M. Boland and Philip C. Ahern, cochairmen of the executive committee. Mr. Ahern explained that the executive group had given consideration to proposals of outside companies who wished to sell their services for a fee in putting on the local celebration and had decided that this should be "a Pittsfield bicentennial directed by Pittsfield people."

Mr. Ahern said that, while the celebration would have its Mardi gras aspects, the serious side would not be neglected and that consideration would be given to the "future Pittsfield" as well as to the city of the past 200 years.

Essay Contest First Event

The first event on the schedule announced by Mr. Boland will be a bicentennial essay contest April 15 for students of Pittsfield and St. Joseph's High Schools. Cash prizes will be awarded and presented at commencement in June.

Founders' Day, the 200th anniversary of the day Pittsfield became a town, will be April 21. An appropriate program will be carried out under the direction of Roger W. Wellington.

School assembly programs and displays will be given the week following the Founders' Day observance. Dr. Edward J. Russell, superintendent of schools, and Thomas E. O'Connell, director of Berkshire Community College, are cochairmen of the education committee that will coordinate these programs.

The committee has set a deadline of May 1 for completion of organization plans.

Decorative Plantings Planned

Decorative planting on North Street and Park Square is scheduled to start June 1 under the direction of Alfred K. Persip, president, and members of the Pittsfield Garden Club.

The finance committee headed by William F. Retallick will have charge of issuing a commemorative coin. Memorial plates recalling Pittsfield's past will be issued.

Historical exhibits are planned during the summer at both the Berkshire Athenaeum and Berkshire Museum. They will be under the chairmanship of the history committee, of which Robert G. Newman and Stuart C. Henry are cochairmen.

Historical Pageant

An historical pageant will be presented in Pittsfield High School auditorium Aug. 29, 30, 31 and Sept. 4. Mr. Boland will be the director.

Scheduled for International Day, Sept. 1, is a folk festival, a bicentennial dress ball (there may be more than one if interest warrants), and a firework's display.

County Day is listed for Sept. 2 with the following events: Bearded Brothers of Berkshire contest; Gen. Knox marathon; industrial, cultural, school exhibits; merchants' bicentennial sales and displays; citizens' costume day; athletic event; and drums corps competition.

Bicentennial Sunday will be observed Sept. 3, with morning observances in the local churches. Memorial programs also are planned with a massed choirs event. Veterans' organizations will be asked to help with this event.

Parade Sept. 4

The bicentennial parade on the afternoon of Sept. 4 will climax the celebration.

Mrs. Howard Boice and Mrs Earl E. Ferry are cochairmen of a memorial markers committee which will check on the condition of existing markers and call public attention to them.

Mrs. Gladys A. Brigham heads a special memorial project committee which will consider Pittsfield of the future and what can be initiated during the bicentennial year in the direction of making a better city.

Picketing Ordinance To Be Topic

Committee Meets Tonight With Persons Interested

Edmund W. Noetzel will head a delegation of three from Pittsfield's Central Labor Council at an open meeting of the City Council's picketing regulation committee tonight at 7 at Springside House. Other CLU representatives are Charles M. DeBlois, president, and Benjamin Rodrigues.

The meeting is to "discuss informally" the petition, signed by some 3,000, requesting that some ordinance be enacted to regulate the conduct of pickets during a strike, according to Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser, chairman. A previous ordinance providing for "free and open access and egress" to places being picketed was defeated at the Dec. 13 Council meeting. It was at this meeting that Councilman Fraser suggested a three-man committee be appointed to study the petitioners' request. He said he hoped some plan could be arranged, which was acceptable to both those wanting such an ordinance and those that didn't.

Others on Committee

Others on the committee are Councilman-at-Large Roy F. Brown and Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi.

"The men from the CLC, plus Alfred F. Litano, president of IUE Local 255, and Arthur J. LaBlue, business agent for the local, will take the position that there is now enough state and federal legislation governing picket lines," said Ralph J. Froio, publicity agent for the CLC. "The three CLC representatives will speak for union labor in Pittsfield."

Councilman Fraser has asked that representatives from both pro and con sides of the argument be present at the meeting. Representing supporters of a conduct ordinance will be Atty. Frederick M Myers Jr., attorney for the 3,000 petitioners; Raymond R. Freeman, spokesman for the petitioners, and Britton W. Saterlee, manager of GE's relations and utilities operation.

Judge John J. Dwyer, Local 255 attorney, was scheduled to be present at the meeting. If he is unable to make it, Atty. George Cran will represent the local, said Mr Froio.

Quinn Given Permanent Status

Raymond T. Quinn has been permanently appointed as deputy Welfare Department commissioner, announced Commissioner Charles H. Hodecker today.

Mr. Quinn was provisionally appointed to the position last October pending results of a noncompetitive Civil Service promotional examination. The position was created by an act of the City Council in September. Exam results arrived earlier this week.

Mr. Quinn became supervisor of social work in the department in 1941. He has been with the welfare office since 1933.

Skating Areas Open

All skating areas operated by the Parks and Recreation Department are open, Supt. Vincent J. Hebert said today, with the exception that part of Springside pond is closed for lack of water.

Cause of the lack of water is being investigated, Mr. Hebert said.

Street Project

Springside-Elberon Link To Be Studied by Daniels

Plans have been set in motion to study the possibility of extending Springside and Elberon avenues across Springside Park and out to the Coltsville area.

Following a discussion at a City Council Public Works Committee meeting last night, Public Works Commissioner John F. Daniels was asked to make a cost-estimate of connecting Springside Avenue across Springside Park.

"There are two advantages to connecting Springside Avenue and extending Elberon Avenue," said Commissioner Daniels. "The connection would alleviate some of the traffic problems on Tyler Street by providing another road for GE commuters living in the northern part of the city. By extending Elberon Avenue, we would have another street going from North Street to Crane Avenue. This again would help the Tyler Street traffic problem by giving an alternate route to northern city residents."

Mr. Daniels said he had sent a letter to Mayor Haughey asking if the Public Works Department could have the state make the estimate study along the proposed route. He said there was a possibility the work could be done under Chapter 90 provisions. If Chapter 90 could be employed, the work cost would be divided among the state, county and city, he said.

The original idea for connecting the two Springside Avenue branches across Springside Park came in petition form from Ward 1 Councilman Leo B. Nesbit. Another petition from Ward 2 Councilman Raymond E. Crow had asked that Elberon Avenue be extended 1,500 feet. This would provide a northern entrance to the "miracle mile."

Committee Chairman Joseph S. Scelsi said a study was being made to see what the cost would be of such a plan. He added that if the estimate were prohibitive the plan would not be recommended.

Other Business

In other committee business, a petition from sanitation workers for a five-day, 45-hour week was taken under advisement. They are now on a six-day, 48-hour week.

Also taken under advisement was a petition from City Employes Union Local 65 for classification of city motor equipment in the Public Works Department.

Discussion of a petition filed by Ward 6 Councilman Samuel J. Quadrozzi resulted in ordering a study of the Tamarack and South Mountain roads intersection. Commissioner Daniels recommended a by-pass west of the intersection.

A public hearing on the acceptance as public ways of Massachusetts and Dickinson avenues and Dundee Road was set for Feb. 7. Another hearing on acceptance of Sherwood and Michael drives, Kittredge Road, Whitehead Place and Gale Avenue was set for Feb. 21.

Dellert Wins Bicentennial Seal Contest

His Design Chosen From 17 Entries In Competition

A design entered by Norman F. Dellert of 8 Hull Ave., a free-lance industrial designer, was selected by the Pittsfield bicentennial executive committee yesterday afternoon as the official seal for the 200th anniversary celebration.

Mr. Dellert was one of 13 who submitted 17 entries for the consideration of the committee headed by Robert M. Boland and Philip C. Ahern.

The winning design has as its centerpiece a symbolic tree of liberty, crossed with a scroll bearing the bicentennial legend, "A Past of Progress" and "A Future of Opportunity." The seal is blue with the tree highlighted in white, bearing short branches in a shade of red. Across the top of the round design is lettered "Pittsfield-Berkshire Bicentennial."

Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation, and Roger O'Gara, sports editor of The Eagle, chairmen of the athletic committee for the bicentennial, met with the executive group to discuss their plans. They hope to bring either the Boston Patriots or New York Giants professional football teams or both to Wahconah Park Saturday afternoon, Sept. 2, for an exhibition. A drum corps competition is scheduled that night.

Flu Shots Scheduled for City Employes

Public Health Commissioner Harold Stein said today that flu shots would be given city employes on Monday and Tuesday mornings. He said that each employe who wishes the shots will receive two—one on the scheduled days and another two or three weeks later.

The City Council approved a mayoral appropriation of $2,496 for purchase of the vaccine at yesterday's meeting. The money was appropriated after a survey showed that about 1,000 city employes wanted the immunization.

Dr. Stein said appointments for the shots had been made by about 980 employes. He said the shots were a precautionary measure against the flu, which usually creates a rise in absenteeism in the spring.

City Employes Asked If They Want Flu Shots

A survey is being taken by the Public Health Department to see if city employes want flu shots this year. The Health Department reported that city department heads have requested the survey. The department heads say absenteeism decreased during the flu season in 1957 and 1959 following shots given the employes.

The Health Department reports the flu season for this area is during March and April. No serious epidemics have been reported in the United States thus far.

380 Employes Of City Fail To Get Flu Shots

Unofficial estimates indicate that only 600 city employes received flu shots during the two-day immunization schedule set up by the Health Department. Some 980 were expected to take the voluntary shots, but about 380 did not show up during the Monday and Tuesday morning injection times.

Health Commissioner Harold Stein said that booster shots would be given in about two weeks. He said the unused flu vaccine would be sent back to the company.

About $2,500 for purchase of the vaccine was authorized by the City Council after a Health Department survey showed that about 1,000 city employes wished to take the shots.

May Names Conservation Commission

Mayor Haughey appointed this morning six of the seven members of the newly created Conservation Commission. The mayor said he had not quite decided on the seventh man, who would be a representative from the City Council.

Appointed are Franklin H. Controy of 44 Buel St., Fred D. Retallick of 92 Center St., Theodore Giddings of 83 Dawes Ave., Alphonse J. Marchand of East New Lenox Road, Frank A. Skogsberg of 26 Jason St., and Arthur Giftos of 125 Hancock Road.

Mr. Marchand is the Planning Board representative.

The City Council will act on the appointments tonight.

This afternoon the mayor named Leo B. Nesbit of Ward I as the Council member of the commission.

Mayor Approves State Study Request On Streets Link-Up

Mayor Haughey yesterday gave the go-ahead to a request from Public Works Commissioner John F. Daniels to have the state Traffic Division study the possibility of connecting Springside Avenue across Springside Park and extending Elberon Avenue to Coltsville.

In a letter to Mayor Haughey, Daniels said his department did not have the engineering personnel to tackle such a job. He asked permission to call the state in on the job.

Study of connecting and extending Springside and Elberon avenues was suggested last week at a Public Works Committee meeting. It was felt that another through street from North Street to the Coltsville area would alleviate some of the traffic congestion on Tyler Street.

Five Budgets To Be Eyed By Council

Five department budgets will come under City Council scrutiny tonight at a budget hearing in North Junior High School.

Fire Chief Ward G. Whalen and newly appointed Fire Chief Raymond W. Killackey will appear before the Council at 7 to explain the department's 1961 budget request of $726,805. Administrative Services Director Robert U. Johnson will follow at 7:30 to discuss his $48,388 budget with the city fathers.

At 8, Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan will confer with the Council on his $493,074 department request. At 9, Public Building Supt. Donald E. Farr will answer questions on his $243,050 estimate, and Parks and Recreation Department representatives will appear at 9:30.

The budget hearing Friday night will be primarily to consider the $1,390,847 Public Works request of Commissioner John F. Daniels. Other department heads will be present at the Friday session to answer minor questions about their respective budgets.

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City Hall, Post Office, Synagogue Swap Needs 'Firmer Commitments,' Conte Says

Congresman Silvio O. Conte reported today that there had been informal agreement among parties involved in plans for a new Post Office and city hall for Pittsfield, but there have to be "firmer commitments."

Conte was home for the weekend and spent the entire morning interviewing constituents at the local Post Office. One of them was Isodore Goodman, who is representing Knesses Israel Synagogue, owner of a piece of property on Wendell Avenue that would be taken if the federal government goes ahead with the construction of a new Post Office on city property at Wendell and Bartlett Avenues and East Street.

According to informal agreements, the city would get the existing Post Office building and land on Allen Street in exchange for the East Street land which was to have been the site of a new city hall. The new city hall idea was rejected by popular vote in 1957 and the land has since become a parking lot. Postal authorities, who have been looking for a new Post Office site, have said that the city parking lot would be adequate if the contiguous synagogue property could be included too.

Synagogue's Problem

The synagogue is willing to sell, but its problem is the acquisition of a suitable site. It has been suggested that the city swap its Willis Street parking lot land for the synagogue land on Wendell Avenue so that the synagogue could use proceeds from negotiations with the federal government for the building with which to construct a new edifice. City officials have expressed preliminary approval of this idea, but they want assurances from the federal government that the existing Post Office building and land will be available for city hall purposes.

On the other hand, the federal agencies are not going to commit themselves to handing over federal property until there are commitments by local authorities as to the East Street property.

"I would gather," Conte said, "that there is general preliminary agreement, but it's a matter now of bringing the heads together."

While the Post Office Department has generally agreed to proposals, another federal agency, the General Services Administration, has the last word. The GSA functions as a building and maintenance agency for all federal departments.

Conte Looks Ahead

Conte said this morning that he anticipates an "exciting" two years with the advent of the Kennedy administration. Last week he was re-elected to the Republican Congressional Committee which formulates party policy and strategy in Congress and helps to elect Republican candidates for Congress.

The Pittsfield legislator doesn't anticipate much trouble in the Kennedy administration's plan to effect a $1.25-an-hour minimum pay for work in interstate commerce. He said he will vote in favor of that. He also anticipates that there will be a liberalization of the bill passed last fall for medical care for the aged. He said he will go for a compromise on that one. But he still insists that the Kennedy administration plan for depressed industrial areas is too discriminatory in favor of the South.

"A substantial portion of federal aid in that bill," Conte said, "calls for aid to rural areas, but under its formula, there would be no area in the Northeast that would meet the rural area definition. Furthermore, there is not enough in the Kennedy-Douglas plans to get locals to participate more actively in the aid projects. Conte goes more for the loan idea rather than outright grants-in-aid."

The congressman was in Boston Friday night to attend inaugural festivities for Gov. John A. Volpe.

Booster Flu Shot For City Employes

City employes are scheduled to receive a second, or booster, flu shot at the Public Health Department in Wednesday between 1 and 4:30 p.m., the department announced today.

First shots were given two weeks ago, but only 600 of the expected 680 employes took advantage of the immunization.

Over Half of City Budget Receives Approval of Council

More than half of Mayor Haughey's 1961 budget was approved last night by the City Council at a Committee-of-the-Whole meeting.

Some 16 department budgets, representing $5,735,996, received the Council's okay, including a rubber-stamp approval of the $3,839,052 school budget. The total budget for this year is set at $10,277,140, plus $100,000 already allotted to the Welfare Department for medical-aid-to-the-aged bills.

Some eight department heads were asked to appear before the Council to explain various budget subheadings in their departments. These eight are added to the five department heads previously scheduled to meet with the Council on Wednesday and Friday nights.

Minor Questions

Council President Daniel England Jr. was requested by the Council to ask three department heads various minor questions regarding their budgets. These city government branches were not required to attend succeeding budget hearings. They include the city solicitor, the city auditor, and the inspector of buildings.

The Police, Fire, Public Works, Public Buildings, and Parks and Recreation departments previously have been scheduled to meet with the Council for budget discussions. Added to this list last night were the administrative services, assessors, tax collector, treasurer of parking meters, inspector of wires, Health, Public Welfare, Planning Board, and Civil Defense departments. The Planning Board was invited by Councilman-at-Large Frank M. Pupo to explain the duties and needs of the planning director, and report if a new director has been hired or is being considered.

Librarian Present

Another invited guest was Librarian Robert G. Newman to explain the function and operation of the Berkshire Athenaeum. The request was made by Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi.

Mayor Haughey submitted the total budget to the Council on Feb. 10. The city fathers have until April 1 to give the final okay to the 1961 estimate, amended by their department cuts. Councilman England has expressed a desire to have the job done by March 15. The meetings planned for this week will be supplemented by more next week if necessary.

County Employes' Insurance Costs, Benefits Cut

Hospitalization insurance costs to county employes and the county government will go down this year, but so will benefits, according to a contract entered into yesterday with Blue Shield-Blue Cross.

The reason is a new law which was passed this year by the legislature designed to curb abuses of the hospitalization and medical plan for state employes. The plan for county employes is patterned after the state plan.

Under the proposed plan, there will be a $25 "deductible" clause. That means the first $25 cost of hospitalization will be borne by the employe. After that the insurance provides for a maximum payment of $20 a day for 120 days, and $10 a day for subsequent hospitalization. County employes have been entitled to $12 a day for prolonged illness under the expiring contract.

The premium for an unmarried employe goes down from $6.50 a month to $6.22; for family plans, $19.02 a month to $18.61. The county pays half the premium, and the employe pays half.

The County Commissioners sought to have the existing contract renewed for at least six months so that the same benefits could be maintained, but the state Commission on Hospitalization would not allow the extension.

15 PW Employes Ask City for 10 P.C. Raise

A 10 per cent pay-raise request was filed with the city clerk today from 15 Public Works Department employes. The petition asked that men operating the sewage pumping station and treatment plant, plus garage attendants, be granted the raise. The workers said their regularly scheduled work week includes Sundays and nights. They feel that a pay differential should be given because of the irregular hours.

In other city business, Mayor Haughey appropriated $125 for payment to Charles C. Messana for damages resulting from an accident involving a city vehicle driven by Robert M. Staskin. City payment of the damages was required by a court ruling.

Librizzi

ANTI-FLU SHOTS were administered this morning to more than 500 city employes by Health Commissioner Harold Stein, center, assisted by his daughter, Gale, and Health Department members. Another group of 500 employes is scheduled to receive the flu shots tomorrow morning. A booster shot will be given the employes in two weeks.

City Council Trims $7,990 From Budgets

The City Council sitting as a committee of the whole trimmed a total of $7,990 from estimates before approving 18 department budgets in last night's first cutting session. The departments requests represent about $1.5 million of the city's $10 million 1961 budget.

Largest paring was in the Public Health Department5s $139,551 request which was cut $6,790. The Board of Assessors' estmate of $40,986 was reduced $1,000. The inspector of buildings $15,215 budget was trimmed by $100, as was the wire inspectors $10,992 request.

No reductions were made in 15 other departments. Fourteen departments remain to be considered. Monday night has been set for the next meeting. The budget is scheduled to come before the Council for final action at the regular meeting March 14. This will be one of the earliest dates for budget approval in recent years.

Cuts Listed

Most of the cuts in the Health Department came in areas where unused budgeted money was returned at the end of last year, in the expense portion of the estimate. The assessors lost a summer field inspector they had asked for, because there was no ordinance authorizing payment of such an employe. The cut here was $1,000.

Both the building and wire inspectors requests of $350 for auto maintenance were trimmed by $100.

Agencies whose budgets were approved without cuts were: Mayor, $14,395; City Council, $10,100; city clerk, $25,875; Elections, $7,839; Administrative Services $44,024; city solicitor, $12,367; city auditor, $19,890; tax collector, $31,848; city treasurer, $15,834; Debt and Interest, $1,147,935; plumbing inspector, $7,173; animal inspector, $950; Fire and Police Signals, $32,091; and Sealer of Weights and Measures, $12,081.

GE Land Gift Accepted by City Council

A mayoral order accepting a General Electric land gift and authorizing orders taking the plots was approved at last night's Council meeting.

Three strips of land abutting and adjacent to Springside Park were offered to the city by GE. The mayor, Parks Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert and the Council have expressed their thanks for the gift, saying the acquisition would be very advantageous.

No plans have been made for use of the land, which is near or on Broadview Terrace, Tanner Street, East Park Terrace and Springside Avenue.

Council Cuts 6 Departments More Than Total 1960 Slash

The City Council last night cut the budget requests of six departments $1,000 more than the total reduction made in last year's entire budget.

Meeting as a committee-of-the-whole, the Council sliced a total of $51,987 from the 1961 budget allowed by the mayor. Last year's over-all estimate was cut some $50,568. In two budget-trimming sessions this month, the Council has made cuts amounting to $59,977 and has approved 31 of the city department estimates.

Committee department passage represents about $8.7 million of the approximately $10.3 mililon city budget.

The Public Works and Public Buildings departments are the last two agencies which will fall under the Council's knife on Friday night. These departments have budget requests of $1.4 million and $243,000 respectively.

High-cut honors went to the Public Welfare Department which lost $26,160 of its $1.1 million budget. The Parks and Recreation Department followed, losing $11,706 of a $230,515 estimate. The Fire Department was third, being hit for $7,486 of $726,805, while the Veterans Services' $154,501 request was cut by $5,200. The Planning Board's $8,565 budget was trimmed $1,140, and Civil Defense was cut $300 from its $11,404 estimate.

Only the Police Department made it through the Council's scrutiny without loss. The police budget is $726,805.

Biggest cut in the Welfare Department came when the Council pared $20,000 from the general relief estimate of $370,000. Council action was based on an anticipated drop in this year's relief needs, as well as a $40,000 return from the account to the city at the end of 1960. A net cut of $5,000 came in the medical-aid-for-the-aged request of $71,000. Feeling was that the category was five months old and the case load was not as large as anticipated. The Council thought the Welfare Department could enter a special appropriation if added funds were needed at a later date.

The Council earlier this year approved $100,000 to open the new medical class, meaning the city will pay $166,000 total for the category after the $5,000 cut. Over-all cost of this program is estimated at $332,000 including federal reimbursement and the city's share. Part of the city's cost will be reimbursed by the state but the money first must be appropriated.

Other Reductions

A number of cuts, amounting to several hundred dollars each, in the City Infirmary and administrative budgets, totaled $1,160.

Most of the cuts in the Parks and Recreation Department were based on amounts of unused money turned back to the city coffers at the end of 1960. Some $3,000 was trimmed from the athletic account's $8,152 request, while $1,000 was taken from the neighborhood community center fund. The Council denied a pickup truck and jeep requests by cutting $4,000 in this area, and limited the new equipment amount to $2,000, a cut of the same figure.

The Fire Department lost a part-time telephone operator when the Council cut $2,236 from personal expenses. Two requested automobiles were also denied the department. The car cut amounted to $4,000.

Again feeling that if money were needed a special appropriation could be passed, the Council cut $5,000 from the Veterans Services $130,000 benefit account. Hospital and conference expenses and photo supplies also lost $100 each.

Council Holds Final Session; Marchesi Raise Is Referred

The final session of the 1960-61 City Council last night dealt swiftly with a 35-item agenda.

A Council recommendation on salary upgrading for Recreation Supervisor John R. Marchesi was sent to the Park Commission and Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Parks and Recreation Department. The Council's move was made on a petition signed by about 400 city residents asking for the raise because of "the large amount of work and responsibility in Mr. Marchesi's job."

Strong objections to the salary increase came from the Park Commission. A letter signed by Dr. Robert J. Kirvin, commission chairman, said the commission was registering a strong protest because it had been bypassed in this matter. The commission rules on all Park Department salary matters. The commission also felt that to honor the salary petition would have an impact on the whole city salary structure.

Cites 'Pressure'

Councilman-at-Large Roy F. Brown said that the petitioners, led by Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo, had also bypassed the Council and its committees. He said the petitioners did not know the procedure for changing the salary ordinance, and that this petition should not even be before the Council. Councilman Brown added that the Council should not consider individual salary increase cases. He said the petition was an attempt "to put pressure on the Council.

Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser asked the Council to recommend the salary increase because the job may have been overlooked during re-evaluation sessions in the past. The Council agreed, except for Council President Daniel England, Ward 4 Councilman John Burbank, and Councilman Brown.

In other business, the Council sent a legal opinion from City Solicitor William R. Flynn to the Public Works Department. The opinion states that technically some shrubbery on Massachusetts Avenue should be removed. The opinion came on a petition from Samuel R. Monterosso of 44 Massachusetts Ave. Mr. Monterosso claimed certain irregularities in acceptance of the street by the city.

Said Correct

The Flynn opinion stated that in a strict interpretation of the ordinances Monterosso was correct. He said, though, that his department should not be required to give legal opinions for private citizens.

Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi immediately took exception to this, saying that the Council had requested the opinion. He said that any citizen could question the Council on moves and that the Council could, if needed, request opinions on legal matters from the solicitor.

The Council appropriated $17,500 for the Public Works Department's snow removal account. The mayoral order calls for $9,500 for purchase of salt and sand; $3,000 for labor; and $5,000 for hiring private snow removal equipment.

Authorization also came for a mayoral request to transfer $77,500 from a $90,000 appropriation to cover the city employes' salary increase granted last August. The sum will be distributed to 23 city departments.

Dr. Harold Stein, health commissioner, was granted authorization to sign a contract for the city with Pittsfield General Hospital. The contract calls for hospital treatment of contagious disease cases at a rate of $36.95 per patient day. This year, the hospital treated "diseases dangerous to the public health" for $2.75 less.

The Council also accepted a $1,995 check from the Bicentennial Committee. This is the unused portion of city funds given the committee to finance Pittsfield's 200th anniversary.

Henry S. Hovland, vice president and general manager of radio station WBEC, presented the Council with a tape recording of four one-hour bicentennial programs. The documentaries were broadcast throughout the county. The county's four radio stations—WBEC, WBRK, WSBS, and WMNB—participated in the broadcasts.

Russell Notifies Committee Of Absence for 'a Period'

Supt. of Schools Edward J. Russell has left the city for an indefinite period, it was learned yesterday.

The superintendent sent a letter to Joseph W. Overlock, chairman of the School Committee, as follows:

"I find it necessary, because of the illness of my wife, to be absent from the city for a period of time. I have asked Mr. John F. Moran, assistant superintendent, to assume all necessary duties. I would like to request no publicity be given to this matter."

Mr. Moran and other School Department personnel disclaimed any knowledge of where Supt. and Mrs. Russell had gone. Mr. Moran said, "I expect he'll be back by the end of the week, but I'm not sure."

Before leaving, Supt. Russell sent copies of a letter from the state Department of Education to all teachers in the local system. The letter concerned certification of teachers, and was printed in The Eagle on Sept. 12. With the letter, Supt. Russell sent a covering letter to principals, as follows:

'Misleading Statements'

"In the interest of truth and accuracy and because of misleading statements appearing in the issue of The Eagle of Sept. 7, I have had a letter from Director of Certification John P. McGrail of the state Department of Education reproduced. Please distribute a copy to each teacher in your building."

Supt. Russell was referring to an Eagle report of a special meeting of the School Committee, at which he was asked to explain his implementation of the French language program in the elementary and junior high schools.

ABC Opposes Liberalizing City Employes' Vacations

The Association of Business and Commerce today went on record in opposition to the planned increase of vacation benefits for city employes.

In a letter to Mayor Haughey and all councilmen, John D. Cox Jr., vice president of the association's civic affairs division, compiled a list of vacation schedules for 18 Pittsfield firms. The City Council will vote tonight on the proposed city employe vacation plan. The proposal, which passed a first reading late last month, calls for 2-, 3-and 4-week vacations for employes with more than 1-, 5-and 10-year experience, respectively.

Schedules Listed

"In view of the figures," wrote Mr. Cox, "this association wishes to register itself as opposed to a vacation policy for city employes which is so far beyond the average vacation period for so many taxpaying citizens."

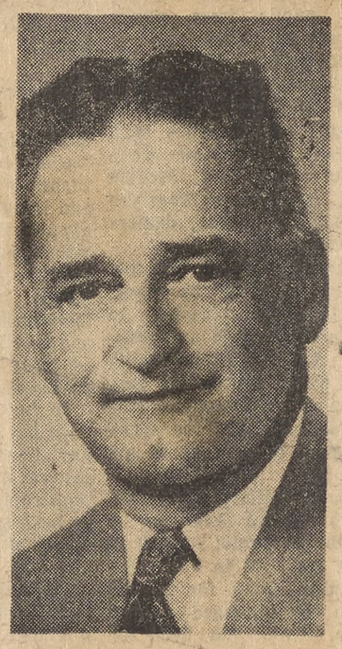
The list showed various vacation schedules for such firms as General Electric Co., E. D. Jones Corp., Berkshire Life Insurance Co., and Sears Roebuck Co. The 18 companies have an estimated 13,241 employes.

Only one firm, with 90 employes, gives four-week vacations after 15 years' service, while another gives the same time after 20 years. Six give four weeks, after 25 years' service. Most of the firms give two-week leaves up to 15 years, and three weeks off after 15 years. Only eight firms in the list give four-week vacations.

The city employes' vacation ordinance presently calls for two weeks up to 15 years and three weeks thereafter.

Two changes in the proposed vacation policy, essentially calling for four weeks off after 15 years' service, were defeated in the May 23 special Council meeting. Councilman at Large Roy F. Brown cast the only negative vote when the proposed ordinance passed the first reading.

Bates, Ruscetta Head Mayor's Campaign Again



Antonio J. Ruscetta

Mayor Haughey announced today he has chosen Edward L. Bates Jr. and Antonio J. Ruscetta as co-managers of his campaign for re-election.

This is the third time the two men have managed the mayor's campaign. Their association started in 1957 when Mayor Haughey was elected the first time and continued through 1959 when he received a second term.

Mr. Bates is manager of shop operations in GE's power transformer test division. Mr. Ruscetta is chairman of the Board of Assessors.

Union College Graduate

A graduate of St. Joseph's High School, Mr. Bates received his B.S. degree in electrical engineering from Union College. He is a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, the Knights of Columbus, the Pittsfield GE Engineering Association, the Stanley Club and the GEAA. He lives at 15 Dexter St.

Mr. Ruscetta of 134 East Housatonic St., was appointed to the Board of Assessors in January of 1958. He became chairman of the board in August of that year. He is also a member of the executive committee of the Massachusetts Assessors Association.

A Pittsfield native, Mr. Ruscetta was a former GE draftsman, and employed by P. Lorillard Tobacco Co. for 15 years as assistant division manager for Western Massachusetts and Vermont. He is a member of the Sons of Italy.

WBEC To Broadcast

Three Mayoral Candidates Address Jaycees Tomorrow

The scheduled meeting of the three mayoral candidates at tomorrow night's Jaycees dinner session will be carried "live" over the air by radio station WBEC.

Wes C. Adams, new director, said today the station will broadcast the opening statement of each candidate starting at 7:30 p.m. He said each statement should run about 15 minutes, and he hopes to carry an additional 45 minutes devoted to questions from the floor.

The three candidates, Mayor Haughey, Anthony Sottile, and Sammy Vincent, will attend the dinner at the Brass Rail on Woodlawn Avenue starting at 6:30 p.m.

A second meeting of the three candidates is scheduled for Oct. 3 at Egremont School. This meeting is sponsored by the Egremont Parent-Teacher Association. Each candidate will be given 10 minutes for an opening statement, with questions to follow.

The PTA is primarily interested in the school issue, including the teaching of French in the elementary schools and school expansion. The group also has selected the urban renewal topic for discussion.

Starting at 7:45 p.m., the meeting is scheduled to end two hours later.

Casey, Martin Rap Brown On Re-election Proposals

Daniel Casey and Atty. John J. Martin, candidates for councilman at large, took exception today to statements made by Councilman-at-Large Roy F. Brown in announcing his candidacy for re-election.

Said Casey: "I was surprised to read at this late date a statement by Councilman Brown as to what he proposes to do to improve maintenance of streets and public buildings. Where has he been all this time? Under Section 34 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, the City Council can by a two-thirds vote appropriate funds if the mayor fails to do so.

"If I am elected to the Council I can assure the voters that I will choose the right time and right place to take action and not wait until election year."

Martin's Statement

Atty. Martin said: "Mr. Brown bases his bid for re-election on the promise of 'improved maintenance for public buildings, and systematic street maintenance,'" "This is all well and good, but Mr. Brown goes on to say that only the mayor can make the appropriations for these projects. He says that all he can do is vote in favor if the mayor asks for the money.

"Here Mr. Brown is either completely uninformed or is trying to pass the buck of responsibility along to another. Surely a man running for his seventh Council term should be aware of the General Laws, which give full power to the Council to make their own appropriations if the mayor fails or refuses to do so. Any Council member who can muster two-thirds vote of the Council, can make an appropriation when he feels it is necessary.

"A man such as Mr. Brown, who boasts of having served on every city committee should at least know this. If he does know it, then the only explanation for his statement is that he is setting up a shield to hide behind when pressure might be put on him to initiate an important and necessary appropriation for our city.

Reminder to Brown

"Mr. Brown also points to the condition of Pittsfield High School and Highland School and declares preventive maintenance should be practiced here. Let me remind Mr. Brown that the condition and maintenance of the schools is not within the province of the Council once the over-all appropriation has been made. The responsibility rests entirely with the school commission.

"Perhaps Mr. Brown should concentrate his activity in an area where he has power to do something, and not promise the voters to usurp the power of the school commission."

Mr. Martin said the statement of Councilman Brown, "who served 12 years on the Council, points up that there is a genuine need for a Council member who will learn his powers and duties and not try to hide them from the public."

Holmes Road Bridge Project Given Limited Approval

The Public Works Committee gave its blessing today to a $28,000 request from Mayor Haughey for Chapter 90 work.

At a noon meeting, the committee studied the Holmes Road bridge near Pomeroy Avenue to see what effect a new bridge would have on the area. During a meeting last night, the committee heard about 50 Holmes Road residents object to a plan for bridge construction.

The committee recommended that the City Council approve the Chapter 90 money, with the stipulation that a new bridge be limited to traffic less than 10 tons. Resurfacing of Holmes Road also was recommended.

Study Requested

A $28,000 order from the mayor was referred to the committee last week by the Council for further study. Objections to the Holmes Road plan resulted in further study.

If the money is appropriated, $18,000 will be held until next year when a like amount will be added for bridge construction. The remaining $10,000 will be used, this year, for resurfacing of Crane Avenue from Benedict Road to Oak Hill Road. Curbs and drains will also be constructed in Crane Avenue. The street will not be widened.

Any money left next year after the Holmes Road project will be used to reconstruct Churchill Street, plus the Causeway. The committee last night approved this plan.

Under Chapter 90, the city pays a quarter of the total cost, with the county paying a quarter and the state a half.

Objections Listed

Objections to the new Holmes Road bridge at last night's committee meeting were based on increased traffic; more traffic meant decreased property values; and more traffic was a hazard to school children.

Deputy Fire Chief Arnold P. Klinke Jr. said the department favored a new bridge. He said if a fire station is built in the area there would be no direct way equipment could get to the south side of the river unless there was a new bridge.

Early today about 45 residents in the Abby Lodge area on the southern part of Holmes Road filed a petition supporting the new bridge plan. They said the present bridge was a traffic hazard, impedes traffic movement and school buses, and is dangerous to children and others walking across the span.

William J. Goggins, state Highway Department district engineer, said at last night's meeting that a traffic count on Holmes Road showed that about 3,000 vehicles a day use the bridge. He said this was higher than the number of vehicles traveling Pomeroy Avenue. The present bridge has a three-ton capacity.

Other Business

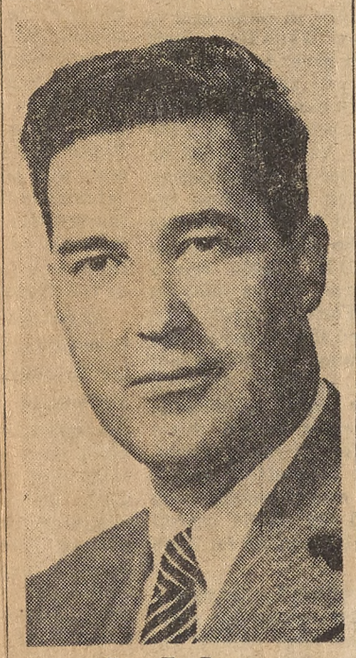
In other business last night, the committee recommended that the Council accept Kellie Drive and Paula Avenue, Planning Board streets, as city streets. The group also sent a petition from Ward 2 Councilman Raymond E. Crow to the Public Works Department for cost estimates. The petition calls for improved drainage on the Allendale Little League ball field.

Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi, chairman, said a meeting of his group, the Traffic Commission and the Public Works Department will be arranged shortly to discuss new street signs for the city. He said this was a petition of his about two years ago and is now receiving action. The committee last night studied various types of signs.

Brown Seeks Seventh Term On Council

Proposes Action On Streets, Public Buildings

Seeking a seventh term as a city councilman, Roy F. Brown today officially announced his candidacy for re-election to an at-large seat.



Roy F. Brown

Standing on a platform of improved maintenance for public buildings, Councilman Brown said: "If I am re-elected, I promise that I will continue to support those proposals that in my opinion are in the best interests of the city. I will initiate a program for a more efficient method of maintenance for our public buildings.

"No building should be neglected until repairs become extensive. A little preventive maintenance will eliminate excessive wear and a general deterioration of our public buildings. Examples are the railing around the High School dome, and needed paint on the exterior woodwork of Highland School.

Street Program

"I also will support a program of general and systematic street maintenance instead of the present desultory procedure. I will have more to say on these programs as the campaign progresses."

Councilman Brown said that the mayor is the only one who can appropriate money for these projects. "I will propose the programs to the mayor, and then vote in favor of such appropriations if he asks for the money."

Brown has served on all standing Council committees. He is presently chairman of the Ordinance and Rules Committee and a member of the Finance Committee.

Originally elected in 1947 as the Ward 7 representative, he served until 1953 when he was defeated in the at-large race. He came back to the Council in 1954 to fill the term of the late George A. Purnell, remaining until he lost the 1957 election. He again returned to the at-large seat in 1959.

The 48-year-old councilman, a methods technician at GE, also served on the original School Building Commission which constructed Allendale, Williams, and Egremont schools, plus the two junior high schools. He is married to the former Suzanne Wendell. The couple have a daughter and live at 42 McArthur Street.

Filing Deadline Today

37 Candidates Entered For Pittsfield Election

As The Eagle went to press this afternoon there were 37 candidates competing for city offices in the coming city elections.

Today at 5 p.m. is the deadline for candidates to file their nomination papers at the Registrars of Voters for signature certification. Early this afternoon all prospective candidates had submitted their papers, with no reported "dark horses" emerging on the political track.

There are candidates for 15 public offices in the elections. These offices are: mayor, the 11 city Council seats; and three School Committee seats—Wards 5, 6 and 7.

Five Primary Contests

As things line up now, there will be only five primary races in the Oct. 17 city primary election. Offices involved are mayor, councilmen at large, Ward 4 and Ward 5 City Council seats, and Ward 5 School Committee spot. All other offices have only two candidates, except for Ward 3 where Councilman Remo DelGallo is running unopposed.

Those successful in the Oct. 17 primaries will be candidates in the Nov. 7 city elections. The primaries will narrow the mayoral race to two candidates, with the Ward 4 and Ward 7 City Council fights and the Ward 5 School Committee battle also cut to two candidates each. The primaries will trim the councilman-at-large contest to eight candidates for the final city election.

The two candidates polling the highest number of votes in the primary election for any one office, except councilman at large, will be the candidates in the final election. The eight highest vote getters for the four councilmen-at-large seats will be in the Nov. 7 election.

Candidates Listed

Listed below are the candidates who have filed with the registrars for the 15 offices. After registrar certification of nomination signatures, the hopefuls have until next Tuesday at 5 p.m. to file completed papers with the city clerk's office. This makes them official candidates.

MAYOR
Raymond L. Haughey* Anthony W. Sottile
Sammy Vincent

COUNCILMAN AT LARGE
Alfred A. Barscz — John F. Fraser*
Roy F. Brown* — John J. Martin
Donald G. Butler* — William J. Pigott
Daniel Casey — George A. Purnell Jr.
Lee S. Diefendorf — Frank M. Pupo*

COUNCIL—Ward 1
Leo B. Nesbit
Ernest G. St. Peter

Ward 2
Raymond E. Crow*
Dominic J. Mangano

Ward 3
Remo Del Gallo*

Ward 4
Harold A. Cooper
Joel S. Greenberg
James A. McCabe
Eugene O. Sullivan

Ward 5
Samuel J. Quadrozzi*
James H. Richmany

Ward 6
Joseph S. Scelsi*
Harry J. Moore

Ward 7
George J. Blaszkiewicz
William J. Bunt
Thomas W. Coughlin
Leon W. McCluskey

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Ward 5
Joseph W. Overlock*
Francis E. Douglas
Mrs. Leo N. Ouellette

Ward 6
William J. Hopper
William B. Walker

Ward 7
Edward S. Harubin*
Martin L. Keegan Jr.

*Incumbent

15 Leaders Named For Chest Drive Government Unit

Fifteen section leaders in the government division of the Pittsfield-Lanesboro Community Chest drive were named today by division chairman Theodore J. Handerek.

Donald E. Farr will head solicitation in City Hall, Capt. Joseph W. Coy, fire department; Vincent J. Hebert, park and recreation department; Capt. Raymond Coakley, police department, Charles H. Hodecker, public welfare; John E. Daniels, public works; Dr. Edward J. Russell, school department; Albert W. Cheevers, county offices, and Landre Fleming, state public works.

Also, Donald R. Biron and Anthony J. Sangiovanni, Post Office; George F. Ames and Frank A. Skogsberg, other state and federal agencies, and Mrs. David Chesneau, Berkshire Athenaeum. Section leader for the USMC reserve units will be appointed soon.

Workers in the government division will have a joint kickoff with industrial and commercial workers Sept. 26 at a luncheon at the Girls Club.

Francis Douglas Enters Ward 5 School Contest

Francis E. Douglas

A contest for the Ward 5 School Committee seat was assured today with the entrance into the race of Francis E. Douglas.

Mr. Douglas, 50, served one term as committeeman, from 1953 to 1957. In 1957, he was defeated in the primary. The election was ultimately won by Joseph W. Overlock, now chairman of the School Committee.

Mr. Douglas lives at 37 Buel St. and is a foreman at GE. A native of Barre, Vt., he has lived in Pittsfield since 1920. He is a graduate of Pittsfield High School and the University of Vermont. He is married to the former Gertrude Hall of Pittsfield. They have five children.

He is a past president of the Pittsfield Exchange Club and has been active in YMCA work and the Knights of Columbus. He has served in Red Cross and Community Fund drives. He has served as chairman of the Park Department's winter sports committee.

and administrative departments.

Atty. Greenberg Running for Council In Ward 4

Mitchell

Joel S. Greenberg

Atty. Joel S. Greenberg, 31, announced his candidacy for the Ward 4 City Council seat today.

"The lawyer, as a legislator," said Mr. Greenberg, "has served the community from the earliest days of the founding of the country.

"It is because I feel so strongly about my responsibility to the free society in which we live, and to the city, my adopted home, that I have declared to stand for election for the Council from Ward 4. I believe in the future of this city and country, and would like to see more responsible government based on direct accountability to the people.

'I Promise'

"I promise to conduct myself in accordance with these stated principles and will work for your confidence in government."

Mr. Greenberg asked the Ward 4 voters to cast their ballot on Oct. 17, city primary day, and on Nov. 7, election day.

"Let's not have government by default," he said. "I will be available to discuss my candidacy before any interested group."

A former assistant counsel for the Navy Department in Washington, Mr. Greenberg was also assistant counsel for the Federal Trade Commission in New York during 1957-1958. He started his law practice in Pittsfield when he moved to the city in 1958.

New York Native

Born in New York City, Mr. Greenberg graduated from Syracuse University in 1951 and from Harvard Law School in 1954. He is married to the former Carol Ann Selkowitz, who graduated from Miss Hall's School and Vassar College. She is the daughter of Milton Selkowitz of Pittsfield.

Mr. Greenberg, making his first political venture, is a member of the Berkshire, American, and Federal Bar associations. He belongs to the Junior Chamber of Commerce and is an officer of B'nai B'rith. He belongs to Temple Anshe Amonim. Mr. and Mrs. Greenberg have two children. They recently moved from Bartlett Avenue to 24 Waverly Place.

Councilman Crow Asks Rebuilding Of Hubbard Ave.

Ward 2 Councilman Raymond E. Crow said yesterday he has asked Mayor Haughey to include reconstruction of Hubbard Avenue in the 1961-1962 Chapter 90 projects.

Councilman Crow stated:

In answer to many calls I have received from Ward 2 residents on Hubbard Avenue, plus residents of Goodrich Park and lower East Street, I would like to state that I have requested Mayor Haughey to include Hubbard Avenue in the Chapter 90 program for 1961-62.

Up until a few months ago Berkshire Sand & Gravel Co. was still operating on Hubbard Avenue, which prevented straightening and widening of the dangerous hill and curve opposite their plant. Most of their operations are now being conducted at the new plant on Cheshire Road.

Located in Dalton, just off Hubbard Avenue, is the new E. D. Jones Co. plant. Large trailer trucks traveling to and from this plant, along with the many residents of Goodrich Park and lower East Street, have further increased traffic as the use the route to and from their place of employment. School children also use this road as far as the Government Mill for bus transportation to their respective schools.

This situation has created a serious and dangerous traffic problem. I feel that Hubbard Avenue is as important as any other project heretofore mentioned in the Chapter 90 program, and should receive consideration for top priority.

City and state officials in recent unofficial Chapter 90 talks gave priority to work on Crane Avenue, Holmes Road and Churchill Street.

Vincent Opens His Campaign With Parade

A young but enthusiastic group heard Sammy Vincent publicly launch his mayoral campaign last night at the Masonic Temple.

A threat of rain forced a rally parade down North Street to start about 10 minutes ahead of schedule. The Monarch Drum Corps led the procession from England Brothers department store to the temple. The march started at 7:50 p.m.

About 150 persons—with only about 50 of voting age—heard Mr. Vincent ask them to "vote the city's lack of leadership out of office on Oct. 17," primary day. After saying he would be a full-time mayor, the candidate declared, "I will appoint high-caliber people to boards, committees, and commissions, instead of operating on the crony system.",

He said he plans to create a new Pittsfield by bringing more industry to the city; by establishing a master plan to eliminate school overcrowding; by clearing slums, and by generally waking people from their apathy.

Mr. Vincent proposed an airport commission to establish an air-shuttle service to Boston and New York. He explained that he understands "government personnel in Washington, D.C., find it easier to do business with contractors in California than to come to Pittsfield. We must wipe out the inconvenience of getting here," he said.

He advocated a north-south bypass around "traffic-choked city streets." He again called for an information booth in Park Square to aid tourists.

Butler Seeks Re-election

At-Large Member After 6th Term On City Council

Councilman at Large Donald G. Butler officially announced his candidacy for re-election today.

Councilman Donald Butler

The 45-year-old candidate said:

"It has been an honor and privilege to have been elected five times to serve as a member of the city government. I am the fourth generation of my family to serve the city, starting with my great grandfather, James H. Butler, who was elected to the second city Council in 1891.

"I have been chairman of most of the committees at various times during my 10 years on the Council. If re-elected I will strive to keep machine politics and corruption out of city government."

Councilman Butler, credit manager of Pioneer Credit Corp., is presently serving as chairman of the Council's Accounts and Public Safety committees. He is also a member of the Ordinance and Rules Committee. Married to the former Doreen Cooper of Lanesvoro, he has a daughter. The family lives at 107 Boylston St.

For six years, Councilman Butler was Ward 5 representative. In 1955 he left his ward seat to run at large and was defeated. However, in the 1957 election he captured an at-large position, holding it during the 1959 elections. He has also run for the legislature, Register of deeds, and county commissioner.

Richmany Offers Ward 5 Debate With Quadrozzi

James M. Richmany, candidate for the Ward 5 Council seat, today challenged his opponent, Ward 5 Councilman Samuel Quadrozzi, to a debate on Ward 5 and city issues.

Councilman Quadrozzi said he felt Mr. Richmany was "just grasping for straws," and that he (Quadrozzi) would issue a statement next week on various issues. The councilman said, "I stand on my record, a record Mr. Richmany has yet to attack."

'Veil of Silence'

Mr. Richmany said he thought the people of Ward 5 would welcome an open discussion of the issues between the two candidates. He said the public could evaluate the candidates; learn where they stand on issues; and obtain a better insight as to a councilman's responsibility.

"The veil of silence which has covered the actions of the incumbent councilman," said Mr. Richmany, "should and must be removed. A debate in the best tradition of American politics should be a start in that direction."

Even the Adviser Is Baffled By New State Wage-Hour Law

3/2/61

BOSTON (AP) — A new wage and hour law went into effect in Massachusetts this week, and it's a puzzler for those who must enforce it and those who have to comply with it.

The law passed without fanfare last Nov. 30.

A deluge of inquiries for interpretations flooded the office of Labor Department Counsel Raymond F. O'Connell even before the effective date.

O'Connell says he's still studying the statute and can't rule on some of its provisions yet.

Uncertain on Salesmen

For one thing, employers of salesmen who work on a commission basis have been asking how they are affected.

O'Connell doesn't know the answer—the law doesn't specify.

O'Connell said the new law basically is a statute setting the work hours of employes within the state at 40 hours a week, with provision for time and a half overtime for hours worked beyond that.

O'Connell said in cases of salesmen who have drawing accounts, time and a half should be computed on the basis of the drawn amount applied to a 40 - hour week.

There's just no answer yet to the question of how to pay overtime to commission employes who get a straight commission on sales, or a combination of salary and commission on business over a certain figure.

Exemptions further complicate the law, which applies only to employers of four or more.

Many Exemptions

The act lists 17 classifications of exempted employes.

These include hotel and restaurant workers, hospital and nursing home employes, seamen, fishermen and bus drivers — except those on the Metropolitan Transit Authority — garagemen and executives, professional and administrative workers whose pay is $80 weekly or more.

Employers who are worrying about possible non - compliance can relax for the moment — the legislature apparently forgot to attach any penalty clause for violations.

Butler Heads City Council Accounts Unit

The City Council's Accounts Committee was reactivated last night at a committee-of-the-whole meeting. While trimming the budget, the Council felt that the various materials and supplies accounts in individual departments could possibly be grouped and put out for bid.

The Council activated the three-man committee to meet with department heads to see what purchases are made by each agency.

Everything from paper clip buying to paint, ammunition, and tire purchasing will be investigated. The Council will also see if it is feasible to set aside a certain amount of money for automobile purchase each year instead of the present budget request system.

Councilman-at-Large Donald G. Butler will be chairman of the committee, with Ward 1 Councilman Leo B. Nesbit and Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser the other members.

Booster Shots For Flu Given 373 City Employes

About half the number of city employes who received the initial influenza shots were back Wednesday for a booster shot, the Health Department announced today.

A total of 373 booster shots were administered by the department, while 30 city employes showed up for an initial immunization injection. There will be a make-up session for those who received their first shot Wednesday, said Dr. Harold Stein, health commissioner.

The City Council approved special funds to purchase the vaccine in an effort to reduce absenteeism should a flu wave hit the area. Portions of the vaccine not used will be returned to the manufacturer.

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Mayor To Meet With Council For Salary Scale Discussion

Mayor Haughey said today he had not set a date to meet with the City Council as a committee of-the-whole to discuss the city employes' salary structure.

At last night's Council meeting the mayor asked to meet with the Council to informally discuss the salary scale. The mayor had been asked earlier this year to establish a salary committee composed of informed persons to survey the scale and report on suggested changes.

The mayor said last night that he was having some difficulty finding talented people in the various salary fields who were willing to devote the large amount of time such a committee would require. He said that he had made a careful study of the scale and would like to discuss the matter with the Council.

Mayor Comments

"I feel that to sit down and informally discuss suggestions and arrive at some conclusions might enable us to speedily arrive at decisions satisfactory to the employes of Pittsfield," said the mayor.

He added that there are a number of petitions from city employes for salary changes. He said to delay action further on these requests would not be in the best interest of everyone concerned. He felt that the meeting could result in some conclusive decisions.

In other business, the Council referred a petition for removal of the old road across Onota Lake, a few feet below the surface, to the Conservation Commission.

Hazard to Speed Boats

Councilman-at-large Donald G. Butler, author of the petition, said that state representatives should be asked to contact the state Department of Natural Resources to see if the road could be removed. He said it was a hazard to speed boats on the lake, especially to summer visitors who are unaware of the road location.

The councilman said that dirt removed from the underwater lane could be dumped around the causeway at the end of the lake, thus supporting it.

Ward 7 councilman John F. Fraser said that supporting the causeway with more dirt was not practical. He said the way was in such shape that a full-scale reconstruction job was needed. A petition from the Ward 7 representative asking for repair to the Causeway was sent to the Public Works Committee for study.

Other Business

Two communications from Director of Administrative Services Robert U. Johnson for reogranization of the system of crediting city employes with sick leave and increment raises were referred to the Finance Committee. Mr. Johnson said that the new system, done on business machines, would credit the leaves and raises at the start of the year, instead of the present procedure of marking the information on employe cards on the anniversary of their employment. He said the new system is a technicality which will aid all city departments in keeping accurate account of their employes' sick leaves and increment raises.

The Council approved an order from the Public Works Committee for assessments on Clarendon Street. The order assesses the street abutters a total of $10,783—about half of the $25,023 street-betterment bill. The street was accepted under the Betterment Act.

3/29/61

City Council On 6 Ordinances Acts Favorably

Five ordinances passed first readings during last night's Council meeting, while one was ordained.

Early in the hour-long session, the Council unaminously passed for the first time an ordinance increasing the Public Health Department clinic's dentist salary from $3,000 to $4,000 a year. The $4000 figure was in the Health Department's budget, but was cut by $1,000 by the Council when it was learned that the existing ordinance did not provide for such an increase.

The first step in the creation of a senior milk and sanitation inspector position was taken with initial passage of an ordinance. Again the Council had cut the salary of the position from the budget, pending passage of the ordinance.

Parallel Parking Approved

Establishment of parallel parking on the north side of West Street, between North and McKay streets, is well on its way with Council first-reading passage.

Another no-parking ordinance also received primary action. The parking prohibition is in front of Western Massachusetts Electric Co. gates on Silver Lake Boulevard.

An ordinance for a zone change for two lots belonging to Nichols' Properties on the southerly side of Pontoosuc Avenue from R-1-C (one-family dwelling, ¼-acre lot) to C-3 (central business) was passed for the first time.

Final ordainment came for an ordinance providing no parking on the easterly side of Plunkett Street between Tyler Street and Springside Avenue.

Other Business

In other business, the Council sent to the mayor a petition for a school-crossing guard at Mohawk and Wahconah streets. The mayor will appropriate the funds for the position.

The Public Works Committee received a petition froom city residents requesting reimbursement of the cost of thawing water pipes during the winter.

The Council set April 11 for a public hearing on an application for storage of 1,000 gallons of gasoline at 264 Gale Ave. from Richard H. Smith.

Mayor Proposes Senior Inspector For Health Dept.

3/21/61

Mayor Raymond L. Haughey said today he will submit a proposal to the City Council for the creation of the post of senior inspector of milk and sanitation in the Pittsfield Health Department.

Michael M. Muzyka, of 43 Preston Ave. and Harry C. Tooley of 279 East New Lenox Road, inspectors in the department, are eligible for promotion to the new post if and when it is created. The state Civil Service Division today released an eligibility list in which Mr. Muzyka is in the top spot.

Mayor Haughey said it was his intent to have created the position last year. He said he will do so now. The post of senior inspector carries an annual salary of $6,422. The inspectors currently get $6,292.

Council Faces 67-Item Agenda

4/8/61

The City Council will face a 67-item agenda at a regular meeting on Tuesday night. Included in the items are a motion and a petition that arrived in the city clerk's office just prior to agenda printing.

Ward 1 Councilman Leo B. Nesbit filed a motion for Council action requesting that the speed limit be lowered on Dalton Avenue from Allengate Avenue to Coltsville. Councilman Nesbit asked that the limit be dropped from 40 to 30 miles per hour.

Pay Boost Asked

A petition from George E. Pleau and Winthrop Bowerman, Public Works Department water division employes, was filed, asking for a salary increase for the watershed watchman and the chlorine operator. The two men said that the extra duties assigned them in the past five years warranted an increase.

In other business, the Council will vote on ordainment of an ordinance calling for parallel parking on the north side of West Street running for seven parking spaces from North Street.

The Council will also consider about $27,000 in mayoral appropriations for street improvements and replacement of equipment.

Appointments Submitted

Consideration will also be given the appointments of Frank Harris Ray to the Board of Registrars of Voters, William H. Mason as a permanent police patrolman, and John H. Fletcher and George E. Morin Jr. as special police officers.

A public hearing on an application from Richard H. Smith for a license to store 11,000 gallons of gasoline at 264 Gale Avenue will be held.

The Council is scheduled to take action on a petition for a second public hearing on the controversial zone - change ordinance for land owned by Joseph A. Powers on Cheshire Road. The petition was signed by about 150 Coltsville residents who oppose the change. Council consideration will also be given the proposed ordinance.

Tenure Sought For Two City Officials

Bills Prepared For Auditor Norton, Mrs. Mullaney

Rep. Patrick E. Callaghan disclosed last night that bills are being prepared at the State House that would give tenure to two City Hall employes.

One is for Mrs. Florence Mullaney, office supervisor for the Board of Registrars, and the other is for City Auditor John J. Norton. Rep. Callaghan said that Sen. Robert P. Cramer of Williamstown is having the bills drafted. Reps. Wallace B. Crawford and Thomas C. Wojtkowski are also in favor.

Originally, the plan was to file a bill calling for a five-year term for Mrs. Mullaney. She has served the board for 18 years. The five-year term would give her the security in office until she becomes eligible for retirement. She is now subject to re-appointment every two years by the board.

When Rep. Callaghan was approached on the proposed Mullaney measure, he thought it would be an excellent opportunity to give City Auditor John J. Norton a similar measure of security.

Callaghan Gives Reasons

"On the basis of my 15 years of service on the City Council," Rep. Callaghan said, "much of which was as a member of the Council's Committee on Finance, I have long since decided that an independent city auditor is of inestimable value to a municipality. The watchdog nature of his job is so important to the taxpayers of the city, that he should be allowed to act with independence without fear of reprisals from the incumbent or future administrations."

"In this instance," Callaghan disclosed, "Mayor Haughey is in complete accord. He agrees that both Mrs. Mullaney and Mr. Norton should have longer tenure than a two-year term."

The representative said that the bills which will be filed separately may be drafted so as to provide life tenure for the two municipal employes. This tenure, he said, would apply only to the two incumbents, not to their successors.

School Dentist Pay Increase Asked by Mayor

Mayor Haughey today submitted for City Council approval two ordinance amendments, which call for a pay raise and the establishment of a new job classification in the Department of Public Health.

The pay raise is for the department's school dentist, Dr. John R. Quinn, who would go from $3,000 a year to $4,000.

The other amendment calls for the establishment of a senior milk and sanitation inspector in the department, carrying salary limits of $5,512 to $6,422 a year. It is a Grade 22 in the city pay classification schedule.

The department now has four milk and sanitation inspectors, none of whom have any authority over the others. Inspectors are in a Grade 22 classification with salary limits of $5,304 to $6,188.

A competitive civil service examination for the promotion has already been held. Top man on the list was M. Michael Muzyka. The only other inspector on the list was Harry C. Tooley.

Exford Heads Assn. of Retired Civil Employes

Ernest Exford was recently elected president of the newly reactivated Pittsfield Chapter of the National Association of Retired Civil Employes. Hugh C. Brennen was elected vice president, with Mrs. Marion Brennen as treasurer, and Mrs. Harold Cooper as secretary.

Nearly 100 retired federal Civil Service annuitants attended the elections held at the YMCA. The group also heard an explanation of the new federal health program, effective July 1 for eligible retirees. Massachusetts legislation being enacted to benefit retired pensioners was also explained.

A mid-April meeting of the Pittsfield chapter was scheduled, with the exact date to be announced. All federal retirees, whether members of the chapter or not, were invited to attend the meeting.

Johnson Seeks Ordinances Change

Robert Underwood Johnson, director of municipal administrative services, today asked the City Council to amend personnel ordinances so as to permit less complicated bookkeeping in his department.

He says that the use of an employe's anniversary date (the day he joined the municipal service) makes it difficult to accurately and efficiently credit each employe with the right amount of compensation (for pension purposes) and accumulated sick leaves.

Civil Service Exam

A Civil Service examination for a statistical machine operator in the Administrative Services Department has been scheduled for June 10. Last date for filing examination applications is May 22.

City Local 65 Seeks Extension of Blue Cross Payments

4/21/61

A petition from three officers of the Pittsfield City Employes' Association, Local 65, for extension of the city's share of Blue Cross-Blue Shield premium payments was filed today in the city clerk's office.

The petitioners, headed by Alfred A. Hebert, president of the local, ask that the city continue paying its part of the premiums after the retirement of a city employe.

No reason for the request was stated in the document.

Rental System Proposed for Work-Clothes

4/21/61

Claiming that the city has not provided city laborers with working clothes, Alfred A. Hebert, president of Pittsfield City Employes Association, Local 65, announced Friday night that the local would sponsor a working-clothes rental system.

Mr. Hebert said the system would be voluntary, and would be operated in conjunction with Industrial Uniform Co. of Indian Orchard.

The local president said that the city only provided work clothes for mechanics and sanitary workers. He said that it had become necessary to get some system of providing clothes for men working on jobs where their regular working clothes were ruined.

Public Works Commissioner John F. Daniels said that he would be glad to provide overalls to the men if city money were appropriated for such an account.

Council, Daniels Criticized By Employes' Union President

A blast against the City Council and Public Works Commissioner John F. Daniels came today from Alfred A. Hebert, president of Local 65 of the Federation of State, City and Town Employes.

The union president charged that Mr. Daniels "has not shown a deep enough interest in his employes' problems." He said that the Council also refused to cooperate with the union by not adopting the permissive state legislation giving the union collective bargaining rights.

Mr. Hebert, who announced last week that he planned to resign from his union post, was given a vote of confidence Wednesday night by the membership. Following the vote during a meeting at the Polish Falcon Hall, Mr. Hebert said he was gratified at the results and would remain as head of the union. He said that the union had gained new enthusiasm. Mr. Hebert previously had complained about the lack of membership support union.

Parker Resigns

The resignation of Albert C. Parker, recording secretary, was accepted by the union Wednesday. Mr. Parker's resignation also claimed lack of enthusiasm on the part of the membership and the city. William Rheaume was elected to the position, defeating Edward Gerwaski.

Jack V. Groat was elected vice president, filling the vacancy created by the retirement of William S. Fraser. Mr. Groat defeated Andrew Nylic and Albert Thompson.

Mr. Hebert, enumerating his charges against Commissioner Daniels, said, "He (Daniels) is continually passing his problems along to other agencies instead of solving them himself.

'Refused To Arbitrate'

"The commissioner has refused to arbitrate the classification of equipment used by the Public Works Department employes." Mr. Hebert said that he had compiled a list of what pay grade was called for to operate specific equipment. He said that Mr. Daniels has done the same thing, "but refuses to meet with us to discuss this serious problem. We appealed to the City Council's Public Works Committee, but didn't get anywhere. We have also appealed to Civil Service, but have not heard a word."

The union believes that motor vehicle equipment should be classified so that the various grades of operators know what equipment they should handle. The union thinks that the present system, without a listing, means that the lower, Grade 3, operators are not getting paid for handling large equipment, which should be driven only by the higher, or Grade 1, employes.

Charges Pay-Dodging

Mr. Hebert charged that Mr. Daniels refused to give time off on Good Friday to let the employes go to church. He said that Parks and Recreation Department men were given an hour for religious purposes, but that Mr. Daniels docked the pay of those who went to services.

Plans to arrange an executive meeting to discuss relations between Local 65 and Local 861 of the AFL-CIO State, City and Municipal Employes' Union are also being considered by Mr. Hebert. He said that if there can be unity, there is the possibility of getting the Council to adopt the collective bargaining legislation.

During the meeting, the membership voted to oppose a possible legislative bill for the life tenure of City Auditor John J. Norton, a former union member. Mr. Hart said that Pittsfield's representatives in Boston would be made aware of the local's views. He said the union believes that this bill would start a cycle of city department heads, "such as Commissioner Daniels and Administrative Services Director Robert U. Johnson," requesting similar action.

Mayor Calls Salary Session Of City Council

Mayor Haughey today called a meeting of the City Council for next Monday to discuss the city's salary structure.

The informal session of the Council, meeting as a Committee of the Whole, will consider mayoral recommendations for changes in the pay structure of city employes.

"I have studied the salary scale," said Mayor Haughey, "and will submit a list of possible changes to the committee." He added that the meeting was informal, and that some of his suggestions might be accepted and others thrown out or amended.

The Council had originally asked the mayor to appoint a committee to study the salary scale and report to the Council and the mayor. The committee would have been composed of members of private business familiar with salaries paid for jobs comparable to those of city employes. Mayor Haughey said he was having a hard time finding people agreeable to donate the time such a committee would require. He said he had given the scale a thorough study and thought a meeting with the Council could be as fruitful as a committee's report.

Petition for pay raises from employes in various city departments has stepped up the urgency for such a salary-scale study. The informal session is scheduled for 7 p.m. in the mayor's office.

Councilman Crow To Be Candidate For Re-election

Another councilman today added his name to those who are definitely running for re-election in November.

Ward 2 Councilman Raymond E. Crow said he would enter the Council race this year, adding, as did the other, that a formal announcement would be made in the "near future." Councilman Crow will be trying for a second term. The Ward 2 representative was a winning candidate in 1959, but was defeated in a 1957 attempt.

Four other incumbents have stated intentions to run again. They are Ward 1 Councilman Leo B. Nesbit, Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo, Ward 5 Councilman Samuel J. Quadrozzi, and Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi. The four councilmen at large—Donald G. Butler, Roy F. Brown, Daniel England Jr. and Frank M. Pupo—are presently taking the "no comment" route, as are Ward 4 and Ward 7 Councilmen John Burbank and John F. Fraser.

Some informed sources feel that several of the ward councilman may try for at-large positions, but there will be no confirmation of this until formal candidacy announcements are made.

Annual Meeting of ABC

Whittlesey Urges Program of Action In Industrial, Municipal Development

Directors of the Association of Business and Commerce of Central Berkshire County yesterday heard their president call for an action program of industrial development tied into a program of municipal improvements.

William A. Whittlesey III, who was re-elected president of the ABC at the organization's first annual meeting, made the suggestion at the Hotel Wendell-Sherwood at a session attended by Mayor Haughey, members of the City Council, and area members of the legislature.

"Every so often," Mr. Whittlesey said, "someone asks me: 'What are you doing about getting new industries into the area?'

"This is a fair question," the ABC president continued, "but I can't help but think when asked this question, 'Have you taken a good look at us? I mean the community.'

Many Vacant Stores

"Let's take a look — a look through the eyes of one who might be considering Pittsfield as a place to locate his business. Let's look at North Street. Many vacant stores; tax abatement cases—8 or 10 of them on North Street properties.

"Do we have an effective Planning Board? Do we have a plan as to how we will develop and grow? How about transportation? What's our traffic and parking situation? Do we have plans or even the faintest idea of where city bypasses should go?

"I'm afraid most of the answers are 'No,'" the ABC president said.

Mr. Whittlesey said assessed valuations on North Street run $20 to $25 per square foot while "only 100 feet off North Street the assessed valuation drops to 25 to 50 cents per square foot."

He said that Mayor Haughey has some "preliminary studies, but a great deal of work must be done if we are to enter an urban renewal program."

Long Way To Go

"We have a long way to go," Mr. Whittlesey continued, "Looking at this situation through the eyes of an outsider studying the location for a new plant, would you move into our area, or a town that was doing something about the . . . problems?

"I do not mean to be making excuses," the ABC president said, "but I think we must become aware of our drawbacks and our problems and do something about them.

"It seems to me that we have moved ahead on our schools; we have moved ahead on water and sewer projects and, through the cooperation of our city government and business people, our new parking lot is well under way.

"However," Mr. Whittlesey continued, "redevelopment, additional parking facilities, traffic flow, air transportation, over-all city planning, I believe to be musts and need attention. I feel that a major responsibility of your ABC is to work with the mayor, the City Council and any other citizens or groups of citizens to see that our problems are recognized and that action is taken to eliminate the bad spots and generate interest and activity in their correction. If business people and other citizens believe that these problems need attention, it is their duty to make their ideas and desires known to the mayor and City Council.

"Certainly ABC has found the mayor, the City Council and our representatives at the State House most cooperative and interested in our views," Mr. Whittlesey said.

Industrial Development

The ABC president said the organization's most important function should be in the field of industrial development and he reported that the ABC 1961 budget has been drawn up to emphasize this function.

Mr. Whittlesey took note of the recent recommendation from the Berkshire County Industrial Development Commission for the erection of speculative industrial plants by ABC and the other two private industrial development organizations in the Berkshires.

"We must have something to sell besides good recreation facilities, culture activities, a good place to live. Practically every area claims this.

"I feel we must move ahead on the actual development of some of our land and develop the land with streets, water, sewer, etc. I believe we should give more serious consideration to the construction of a speculative building," said Mr. Whittlesey.

Downing Reports

John F. Downing, ABC directotr, reported that the organization's 1961 budget provides for an increased emphasis on industrial development. Last year the ABC apportioned $13,370 of its total budget of $62,500 for industrial development. This year the total budget is the same but $28,370 has been earmarked for this effort.

" . . . the big decisions must come with respect to our two industrial park sites—140 acres off Merrill Road and 43 acres off lower East Street," Mr. Downing said.

He pointed out that engineering studies have been completed for development of both sites, with a cost of about $500,000 for the Merrill Road site and slightly less than $200,000 for the East Street tract.

"And, to both of these figures," said Mr. Downing, "we must consider the possibility of a speculative building, which . . . for all practical purposes would perhaps cost about $300,000. Quickly then, we see, if we are to keep up with the competition in the field of industrial development and create modern facilities in a modern environment, we are projecting costs ranging from $500,000 to $800,000.

Study Required

"Such an undertaking requires careful study before a final recommendation can be made. Further, such a study will have to explore fully, with both city and state officials, the possibility of tieing in with current or proposed programs with respect to water sewer and roads.

"Certainly, if and when a proposal is made, its success will greatly depend on the vigorous effort of all elements in our community. Your association helps to make its decision in this vital matter within six months," Mr. Downing said.

Newly elected to the ABC board of directors were Arthur E. Crane, vice president of Crane & Co., succeeding Bruce Crane, president of the Dalton firm, and Gardner L. Brown, executive vice president of the Agricultural National Bank, succeeding Laurence R. Connor, president of the bank.

Mr. Brown also succeeded Mr. Connor as assistant treasurer of the association. All other officers and directors were re-elected.

Council Unit Holds Up Bill Payments

The City Council's Accounts Committee held up payment of six city department bills during the first meeting of the reactivated committee last night. Chairman Donald G. Butler would not disclose the amount or type of bills. He said that the committee was holding the incurred expenses for further investigation. All other current department bills were approved.

Councilman Butler said that his committee intended to meet with all department heads to see if a more efficient system of purchasing could be devised. The reactivation of the Accounts Committee was approved by the Council at the recent 1961 budget hearings.

Plan Phone System

Mr. Butler said the committee is requesting that the telephone company supply cost figures for installation of a central switchboard to service all city departments. He said that this may be more economical than the present system of individual telephone lines in each city office.

The committee plans to meet monthly. Other members of the group are Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser and Ward 1 Councilman Leo B. Nesbit.

Staskin Elected Treasurer by City Local 861

Robert Staskin recently was elected treasurer of Local 861 of the Municipal Employes' Union, succeeding Albert W. Hugabone, Jr., who resigned, Anthony M. Pastore, business agent, said today. He also announced that Leo F. Blaine was named to the executive board replacing William P. Hinckley, who also resigned.

Zenophil J. Bleau, president of 861, and Francis J. Powers were elected delegates to a meeting of the state Council of the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employes' Union AFL CIO.

City Equipment Classifying To Be Discussed in Boston

A discussion of equipment classification in the Public Works Department will be held with Civil Service in Boston on Wednesday.

Administrative Services Director Robert U. Johnson, Pittsfield Employe Association Local 65 President Alfred A. Hebert, and Civil Service Commissioner Thomas J. Greenhan will meet for the session.

Presently, there is some confusion over how the city can classify motor vehicle equipment. Local 65 has been calling for a definite organization of jobs so employes will know what equipment they are expected to operate. The Administrative Services Department has been trying to get clear-cut job definitions from Civil Service.

One viewpoint is that there can be no change in the present Pittsfield job definitions without adopting new Civil Service classification system. Another viewpoint is that Pittsfield can amend the present system.

The purpose of the meeting is to get a clear understanding of what Pittsfield can do in classifying the duties of the Public Works employes.

Councilman Butler Cites Case For Post Office as City Hall

Councilman at Large Donald G. Butler continued his support for use of the present Post Office as a City Hall at a South Church brotherhood meeting Friday night.

Councilman Butler explained that there was enough space to house all city departments except Welfare and Veterans Services, which would remain in their present locations. He said that it was up to the citizens to decide if they wanted to borrow $1 million for a new building or use $150,000 to renovate the useful Post Office.

Those in the city government are ashamed to take visiting dignitaries into the hovel that has been our city hall for 120 years, said the councilman.

Says Parking Ample

When questioned about parking space at the Post Office, Councilman Butler said there would be ample parking facilities. He said that city employes should be required to use available lots in the area, as is the public.

The city should not be in the all-day parking business, said the councilman, commenting on the loss of the Willis Street lot. He said that private business should handle this type of venture. The Willis Street lot is part of the land involved in the exchange for the Allen Street Post Office.

Returning to questions of available space in the building, the councilman said that movable partitions would be used to divide the wide-open space after removal of the letter boxes. He said that all three floors in the Post Office would provide enough space for the city divisions. He explained that the tax collector and city clerk's offices should have windows opening on the main corridor to serve the public.

Plans for the exchange of the Post Office for city-owned land are still under negotiation in Washington.

Arthur McGill Elected Head Of New League

Problem of Areas For Drawing Players Faces Legion Loop

DALTON — Arthur McGill of Pittsfield was elected president of the newly formed Berkshire County District 1 American Legion Junior Baseball League at an organization meeting at the Dalton Legion Home called last night by district athletic officer Joseph Roy of West Stockbridge. Robert Corrigan of Adams was elected vice preisdent, Martin Cooney of Dalton secretary, and Jerry Dupell of Williamstown treasurer.

A discussion of the allotment of schools and areas for drawing players by the individual teams took place. The problem was not resolved and Roy has called another meeting for Wednesday night at 8 at the Legion home in Adams. Questions concerning players in both the North Adams and Pittsfield areas are under discussion.

The officers were chosen from a group made up of four representatives from each of the posts's sponsoring teams. The posts are Pittsfield, Dalton, Adams and Williamstown. The remaining 12 representatives make up an executive board.

Interested Legionnaires were invited to last night's meeting and will be welcome at Wednesday's session also. About 35 persons attended the Dalton meeting, which lasted about three and a half hours.

City Council Votes $20,000 For Bicentennial Observance

A mayoral appropriation of $20,-0 for the bicentennial celebra-on budget was approved last ght at the City Council meeting. he unanimous vote came after uncilman-at-Large Frank M. po recommended that any ney, over the $20,000, received the bicentennial group during celebration be used for a bi-tennial scholarship fund. Coun-an Pupo suggested, in the form motion, that the steering com-ee be informed of the Coun- wish. The motion also passed imously.

nother $1,000 apropriation also passed. The money, to go to the American Gold Star Mothers, will be used to defray ex-es of the organization's state ention to be held in Pittsfield, 7 through 10. Mrs. Claude R. rd of 33 Nancy Ave. is presi-of the statewide group.

ine Storage Opposed

osition was raised during a ng to a license application for e of 2,000 gallons of gasoline ly's Truck Co. at 13 Claren-t. Nine Clarendon Street resi-alleged that because of trucks the residential street, and be-e of the possibility of more ges in the area, the value of r homes was decreasing.

ouncilman-at-Large Roy F. wn, commenting on the truck-operation, said "it makes the a look like a junk yard." He ed upon the building inspector investigate the situation for pos-le zoning law violations. The li-nse application was sent to the ublic Safety Committee for rther study.

After two other public hearings, he Council granted licenses to Clement M. Farrell to store 1,000 gallons of paint at 81 Clapp Ave., nd for storage of 1,000 gallons of gasoline to the Fire Department at he 331 West Housatonic St. station.

Five more hearings resulted in approval of Western Massachusetts Electric Co. and New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. pole locations on Elizabeth Street; Crane, Melrose, and Parkside aveunes, and Holmes Road. Locations on Friar and Richard drives, and Dillon Street also were granted. A hearing was scheduled for May 9 on a petition for a pole location on Dodge Avenue.

Other Business

In other business, the Council filed a Traffic Commission recommendation for two-hour parking on the west side only of South Street between Reed Street and Clinton Avenue. The original petition, from Councilman-at-Large Donald G. Butler, calling for the two-hour parking limit on both sides of the street, was approved and sent to the Ordinances and Rules Committee for drafting. Councilman Butler said the present all-day parking in the area was a hindrance to local business.

Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation, was ordered by the Council to move the Pontoosuc waiting station at the corner of Hancock Road and North Street some 30 feet closer to Pontoosuc Lake. A request from Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser asked that the structure, presently blocking the view of a stop light at the corner, be moved.

Council approval also came for an order authorizing the acceptance from Daniel J. Delorey for construction of surface-water drainage facilities.

Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan was asked by the Council to enforce the right-turn-only signs at the Thorndyke-Dalton avenues intersection. The request followed a report from the state Highway Department officially informing the city that the signs had been installed and needed local enforcement.

No Parking Measures

A Traffic Commission report recommending no parking at 653-657 North St. and at 3-7 Kent Ave. was adopted by the Council and sent to the Ordinances and Rules Committe for drafting.

Two other commission reports were filed as recommended. One was from former Councilman Patrick E. Callaghan for a traffic study at the Linden and Onota streets intersection; the other, for no parking on the south side of Kent Avenue between North and Seymour streets from Joseph J. Madison Jr.

Council To Dine At Camp Russell

The City Council has accepted a dinner invitation from the Pittsfield Boys' Club for tomorrow night. The annual event will be held at the club's Camp Russell on Richmond Pond.

After dinner, the Council's Public Works Committee will meet to consider routine items. Committee Chairman Joseph S. Scelsi said among agenda items is the scheduling of public hearings on city acceptance of Paula Avenue and Kellie Drive.

Raises for All City Workers Proposed to Council by Mayor

Hopes for a pay raise are bright oday for about 575 city employes s a result of an informal meeting ast night between the mayor and he City Council.

Mayor Haughey unofficially recmmended an across-the-board alary increase to the Council for tudy. Under the plan, every emloye would jump two grades.

The major also asked the Council o consider an increase in the vacation allowance for those employes who have been with the city for more than five years. The recommendation called for a two-week vacation for those employed by the city from one to five years, a three-week vacation for those employed from 5 to 10 years, and a four-week vacation for those with 10 or more years' service.

Apparently Favored

Sentiments of the Council appeared to favor the mayoral plan. The mayor also was asked to elaborate on his recommendation for settling some alleged individual salary inequities, as well as those on the department-head level.

The Council agreed to study the salary and vacation recommendations while wating for the mayor to submit corrective measures for the individual and department-head salary differences. Another informal meeting was agreed to, at which time all four plans could be discussed before the mayor officially submitted the program to the Council. The pay-raise plan is for all city employes except School Department personnel and unclassified employes such as the city physician, mayor and Council members.

Question Raised

A question was raised as to whether the work performance of every single employe, not just the majority, justified the two-grade raise. But this was dismissed for later consideration.

Mayor Haughey said he hoped the plan could go into effect on Aug. 1. He said the added coast to the city for the remainder of the year would be $90,000. He added that the annual cost would run to $217,600. He said the increase represents an eight per cent raise in the present $2,720,000 yearly payroll. The mayor said he had gone over the figures with City Auditor John J. Norton, and both believed the city can afford the $90,000 from surplus revenues.

Study Asked

The mayoral recommendations came after the Finance Committee had requested the mayor to appoint a three-man committee to revamp the city's salary structure. The finance group had asked that the committee study salaries paid those in private business holding jobs comparable to those in the city. Mayor Haughey had said earlier that the qualified persons were unwilling to give the large amount of time such a committee would require. He had said he had some suggestions, the result of study, to submit to the Council for consideration.

Expressing confidence in the city employes, and asking for a realistic salary structure that would continue to attract, the mayor said, "Salaries naturally are reflected ultimately in the over-all cost of city management, thus the ability of the citizens to pay should and must be balanced against an equitable pay table for our employes. Even though it might be impossible to grant each petition requesting a salary increase, thus reaching the ultimate in the employes' eyes, I am sure this does not negate the responsibility of giving these petitions full consideration, and arriving at just conclusions, both for the taxpayers and the city employes."

Petitions Transferred

The petitions referred to by the mayor—more than 15—were transferred today from the Finance Committee to the mayor for consideration.

A two-grade raise was given the city employes in two stages during 1959. The first, a one-grade increase, was in July, with the second in October of that year.

If the salary increase is officially adopted, it would mean, for example, that those receiving a Grade 1 pay rate of $2,808 a year would get an increase to Grade 3, calling for $3,016. Those in Grade 15—$4,888—would rise to Grade 17—$5,309—and so on up the pay scale. Employes would retain their present step increments.

'Especially Pathetic'

"It's hard for employes to live on the present pay rate," said the mayor, "and it is especially pathetic for the members of the Police and Fire departments." The mayor said that 80 per cent of the 575 city employes earn $5,000 and under, while 11 per cent make between $5,000 and $6,000, 8 per cent between $6,000 and 7,000, and 1 per cent more than $7,000.

Elaborating on the pay inequities for some individuals and for department heads, the mayor said that there are some employes, such as those on extra hazardous or night duty, who should be taken into consideration. He mentioned that the present pay rate for department chiefs in some instances is almost the same as the second in command, but the position entails more responsibility.

A date for the next informal meeting was not set.

41 Items on Council Agenda

A 41-item agenda will confront the City Council on Tuesday night at a regularly scheduled meeting.

Among the items is a zone change petition from James Scalise for a plot of land on the corner of Lyman and Hathaway streets. Mr. Scalise is asking for a change from R-3 (one and two-family dwellings) to C-3 (central business). He states in his petition that he wants to build a modern garage to repair hydraulic jacks and hoists. He also plans to sell related equipment. The petition is expected to go to the Planning Board for study.

Damage Claims

The Council will also consider two claims against the city for damages resulting from frozen pipes during the winter.

Mrs. Meredith M. Fessler of 152 Doreen St. has filed a $130 claim for the excavation of a frozen water pipe. Mrs. Fessler claimed that because of rubber gaskets in the water mains there was no electrical continuity so the pipe could not be thawed without excavating. She said it was the responsibility of the city not to allow the non-conducting gaskets to be installed.

A similar claim from Thomas E. Hall of 96 Harryel St. was also filed. Mr. Hall has asked reimbursement of $15 for thawing and $55 for excavating a frozen line. He also claims that it is negligence on the city's part to allow the installation of rubber gaskets.

In other action, the Council will hear a Traffic Commission report recommending no parking on the west side of South Street between Reed Street and Clinton Avenue. A petition from Councilman-at-Large Donald C. Butler had asked for no parking on both sides of the street.

The controversial Cheshire Road zone change ordinance will appear before the Council for ordainment. The change, from residential to commercial, of land belonging to Joseph A. Powers, was fought by the Coltsville Community Association. But final passage of the ordinance is expected.

A petition from Dr. Alfred J. Ferris for the rezoning of land just north of the Powers property, and abutting the West Memorial playground, is expected to go to the Planning Board for consideration. The petition asks for a reclassification of the land from residential to commercial.

Eight Hearings

Some eight public hearings are on the agenda. Three deal with application for storage of gasoline, paint and oil. They are from Clement A. Farrell for storage of 1,000 gallons of paint at 81 Clapp Ave., from the Pittsfield Fire Department for storage of 1,000 gallons of gasoline at 331 West Housatonic St., and from Delia E. Marauszwski for storage of 110 gallons of motor oil at 13 Clarendon St.

Hearings will also be held on petitions from Western Massachusetts Electric Co. and New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. The petitions ask for pole and wire locations in Gamwell Avenue and Elizabeth Street, as well as joint and identical pole locations in Crane, Melrose, and Parkside avenues, and Holmes Road.

Tomorrow Is Sort of A Holiday

Family shopping and fishing expeditions are the only major Patriots' Day activities planned in the Pittsfield area tomorrow, and the weather should be fine for both.

George J. Bulgarelli, chief meteorologist at the U.S. Weather Bureau at the Pittsfield Airport, said the temperature is expected to rise to a high of about 55 degrees and the sun is scheduled to break through the clouds intermittently throughout the day.

The General Electric Co. and E. D. Jones Corp. plants will be closed; city, county, state and federal employes also will have the day off, and banks will be closed. Most of the other manufacturing plants in the area will be operating as usual and The Eagle will be published.

The Pittsfield High School baseball team will open its season at 3:30 tomorrow afternoon with an exhibition game against the Williams College freshmen in Williamstown.

Coal Dealer May Run For Mayor

Edward C. McCusker, 107 Spadina Pkwy. said today that he has been seriously thinking of joining the ranks of mayoralty candidates in the coming municipal elections.

McCusker, who operates a coal business, has never run for public office but he has always had an avid interest in politics.

"I couldn't be disinterested in politics even if I wanted to," the six-foot, six-inch merchant said last night. "I was born and brought up in the highly political wards of Boston."

Mr. McCusker, who was educated at Boston University and Lowell Textile Institute, came to Pittsfield more than 20 years ago as a field engineer for the Fairbanks Morse Co., one of the outstanding manufacturers of scales. In the course of that work he bought an interest in the Connolly Coal Co., and subsequently became the sole owner. In later years he bought the Goggins Coal Co. and the Cooper Coal Co. All the firms were recently merged.

Mrs. McCusker is the former Jo-Ann Hollister. They have three children.

Two candidates are in the race to date, Sammy Vincent, music store owner, and Anthony W. Sottile, public accountant and former city auditor. Mayor Haughey has indicated he will seek a third term but hasn't issued a formal announcement of his plans.

Daniels Replies to Charge By Union President Hebert

Public Works Commissioner John F. Daniels today answered a charge against him made by Alfred A. Hebert, president of Local 65 of the Federation of State, City and Town Employes' Union.

Mr. Daniels said that the employes in [illegible] department had not been given time off on Good Friday because of a mayoral and City Council order. He said the order had just authorized City Hall offices to get the time off from 1 to 3 p.m. on Friday, March 31.

Mr. Hebert had charged Mr. Daniels last Friday with docking the pay of department employes who "went to religious services on Good Friday."

Mr. Daniels said that the only authorization he had to permit his employes to take time off was the Council order governing city offices. He said that the only part of his department that was considered a city office was his administration office. He added that very few of his office workers took the time.

Showed Order to Hebert

The Public Works head said that he had shown the Council order to Mr. Hebert, adding that there was no authorization to allow the other department employes the free time. He said that those employes, other than the office workers, quit at 4:15 p.m. every day. Mr. Daniels said that if the men were not required to return to work until 3 p.m. after lunch they might as well have the whole afternoon off. He commented that to get the men back on the road would have taken the remaining hour before quitting time.

Another charge made by Mr. Hebert against the Public Works was answered in a letter to the union president and Mr. Daniels from Administrative Services Director Robert U. Johnson. Mr. Hebert had said that Mr. Daniels was not acting on an employes' request for reclassification of equipment. Mr. Johnson's letter said that Civil Service had just informed him that there could be no change in the present system unless a statewide classification was entirely adoptd. Mr. Johnson said that the Civil Service classification eliminates the present motor vehicle equipment operator, 1, 2 and 3 grades. It substitutes MEO light, heavy and special heavy classifications.

Mr. Johnson said he told Mr. Hebert it was up to the employes to submit a petition requesting the Council to change the present ordinance by adopting the Civil Service classifications.

Mayor Haughey Bucks the Trend

At a time when the trend in tax rates is still inexorably upward, Mayor Haughey is fully entitled to take solid satisfaction from Pittsfield's new rate of $57.50 per $1,000 valuation. The drop of $1.50 from the city's 1960 rate is not only in sharp contrast to the Massachusetts pattern. It also is the largest reduction that has been made locally in any year since the Cleminshaw property reassessment program sent the rate plummeting in 1949.

In large part, of course, the reduction is due to factors beyond the mayor's control. A whopping increase of $390,-000 in anticipated income from sources other than taxation—principally state and federal aid—has more than offset an increase of $351,000 in the city's 1961 budget. Along with this has been a boost of nearly $2.5 million in the city's tax base because of new real estate and personal property assessments, which also are not attributable to the city administration. Moreover, the new tax rate would be much closer to last year's if the City Council had not sliced $100,-000 from the budget requests submitted to it by the mayor.

Even when all this is allowed for, however, the fact remains that the new rate is not only a relatively low one but also a realistic one, achieved without recourse to such fiscal sleight-of-hand as deliberately underestimating expenditures, overestimating revenues, or drawing excessively on surplus funds. When a tax rate goes up, it is the mayor who is usually assigned the blame by indignant property owners. When it goes down, he is entitled to take most of the credit.

In this case, the credit is of obvious and direct political significance to the extent that Mayor Haughey is a presumed, though still unannounced, candidate for a third term. Taken by itself, a cut in the tax rate is neither an accurate measure of an administration's competence nor a guarantee of its continuance. But there is no question whatever that it has provided Mayor Haughey with a powerful springboard in his campaign for re-election.

DPW Asks Bids On Equipment

The Public Works Department has advertised for bids on six trucks, two automobiles, one compressor, and one salt and sand spreader. Bids will be opened on July 17 at 2 p.m. in the Public Works Department office.

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Protests to Civil Service

Local 861 Charges 'Affront' At Not Getting Bid to Meeting

5/4/61

A city employes' union today filed a protest with Civil Service claiming that a meeting of interest to the organization was held without union representatives present.

Zenophil J. Bleau, secretary of Local 861 of the AFL-CIO Federation of Federal, State, County and Municipal Employes, said a meeting on the classification of city equipment was held yesterday without the union's knowledge. He said he had informed Civil Service Director Thomas J. Greehan that Local 861 would not honor any equipment reclassification plans without representation.

Administrative Services Director Robert U. Johnson and City Employes Association President Alfred A. Hebert talked with Mr. Greehan yesterday in Boston. Object of the meeting was to clarify what Pittsfield could do about equipment reclassification.

"Failure to notify us of the impending meeting," said Bleau, "was a deliberate affront by both the City Association and Mr. Johnson. Mr. Greeham has promised to hear us out before a decision (on reclassification) is reached."

Bleau also protested the promotion of two Public Works Department employes last week. He said that Local 861 had not been informed of the planned promotions, and the department had ignored seniority.

Bleau said that men with 10 and more years service had been bypassed in favor of those with only five or eight years' experience. He said the City Association had been told of the promotions.

Johnson explained today that he had gone to Boston at the invitation of Hebert. He said that the conference was not a decision-making session, but just a suggestion period. Johnson commented that the city will study a new Civil Service equipment classification system, but will get the approval of both unions before submitting it to Civil Service.

Full Report Promised

The Administrative Services head said a representative of Local 861 had phoned him on Tuesday asking to go to the Boston meeting. Johnson said he told the caller that he could not extend an invitation because he was the guest of Hebert, who had made the appointment. A full report of the session would be given to Local 861, said Johnson.

On the promotion protest, Johnson explained that in the labor service any one of three men on the Civil Service promotion eligibility list could be chosen. He added that Civil Service had approved the Public Works Department selection.

City Employes Elect Bleau; Restore Pastore to Old Post

5/6/61

Pittsfield Municipal Employes Union Local 861, AFL-CIO, last night restored Anthony M. Pastore to the post of business agent, accepted the resignation of Frederick P. Dellert from the presidency, and elected Zenophil J. Bleau to succeed Dellert.

Twenty of the union's 75 members attended the special meeting at the White Tree Club. Bleau said that "Mr. Dellert felt that he could not completely fulfill his obligations as president and therefore he would step aside for the good of the local." Dellert could not be reached for comment.

Vote Reversed

In returning Pastore to the post of business agent the members reversed a vote they took in February abolishing the office. Pastore, a former Pittsfield Public Works Department employe, has been operating a service station since he quit his city job a year ago.

The vote to abolish the office of business agent was taken during a dispute in which Pastore refused to defend a union member who allegedly had broken Civil Service rules. The member, William A. Hinckley, resigned from his post on the union's executive board two months ago. Bleau said his position will be filled at the local's next regular meeting.

Had Been Secretary

Bleau, a laborer in the city highway division for two years, has been recording secretary of the union for eight months. Robert Rivard was elected to succeed him in that post.

Bleau said he and Pastore last night " urged the local to unite in a common effort to further the union's fight for better job security and benefits and to actively participate in all the union's endeavors by better attendance at meetings and better handling of grievances."

The new president said he and the business agent, in accordance with union policy, will handle all public relations and publicity for the local.

Sottile in Mayor's Race; Cites His Qualifications

5/19/61

Anthony W. Sottile, 51, former city auditor, announced today that he definitely will run for mayor. He indicated a strong interest in running for the office in February.

Sottile becomes the second announced candidate. The other one is Samuel Vincent, music store owner, who put himself in the running two months ago. Mayor Haughey is all but a formally announced candidate for re-election to a third term and it is expected he will announce soon.

"This announcement," Sottile said this morning, "is by no means a campaign platform. As the campaign progresses, I will not only define the many issues in detail, but I will come forth with a program which I believe will serve the city well."

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Anthony W. Sottile

Cites Municipal Experience

Sottile said he decided to run because he believes that he is "especially qualified for the office by reason of his background, training and experience in all phases of municipal affairs. He further notes:

"I served as city auditor for 16 years under the late Mayor James Fallon and former Mayor Robert T. Capeless. I resigned as auditor in 1954. As city auditor, I also served as the City Council's clerk of the Finance Committee, clerk of the Accounts Committee, as a member of the Capital Outlay Committee, chairman of the Contributory Retirement System. I am familiar with and have a working knowledge of every department in the city, including the office of mayor. I am convinced and sincerely believe that my background and experience has provided me with the necessary tools to bring to Pittsfield the type of leadership that the people can look to with pride."

Mr. Sottile mas born in Pittsfield, attended local schools and is a graduate of the Bentley College of Finance in Boston. Shortly after Mayor Fallon was elected to the first of five two-year terms in 1937, Sottile was named city auditor. He served during the 10 years of Mayor Fallon's administration and six years under Mayor Capeless.

Active in Civic Groups

He has been active in many civic and church organizations. For many years he was on the executive board of the Community Chest and its budget committee and was treasurer of the Pittsfield Council of Social Agencies. He was also on the board of the New England Home for Little Wanderers. He is presently a director of the Pittsfield Boys' Club, the corporation of St. Luke's Hospital, and the Pittsfield Community Music School. He is a past president of the Pittsfield Rotary Club. He is a member of the Holy Name Society at Mount Carmel Church.

Mrs. Sottile is the former Mary D. Sonsini. They were married 24 years ago next month (June 14). They and their two sons, Anthony and John, live at 41 Bartlett Ave.

The candidate is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Sottile, 85 Robbins Ave.

Since 1954 Mr. Sottile has operated his own accounting and auditing business. He presently maintains offices at 7 North St. with Leo F. Gillette and William Pinsonnault.

PW Foremen Ask Return to Supervision Status

5/13/61

Four Public Works Department working foremen have petitioned the City Council to reinstate them in the Labor and Trades Supervision group. Last year the men were placed in the Labor and Trades group. The men claim they have lost authority, creating a hardship in controlling their men because they are not in the supervision group.

Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo has filed a petition requesting a study of street lighting on Allessio Street between Parkside and Pembroke avenues.

Mayor Asks $231,199 for Capital Jobs

5/23/61

Outlay Funds Will Come From Surplus Revenue

Mayor Haughey today submitted a $231,199 capital outlay budget for 1961 to the City Council for consideration tonight. The amount, to come from surplus revenue, was the recommendation of both the mayor and the Capital Outlay Committee. It represents about 10 per cent of the more than $2 million requested by three city departments.

The Public Works Department will receive $211,880, the largest amount awarded for outlay projects. The Parks and Recreation Department will be given $15,024, almost their entire request, while the Public Buildings Department will receive $4,295.

Some $50,000 in the Public Works program is earmarked for capital outlay labor, with another $52,000 going for the replacement of equipment. Included in the Public Works program is reconstruction of the intersection of Tamarack and South Mountain Road, estimated at $7,500. Repair of the footbridge across B & A railroad tracks near West Street is also planned. This project is estimated at $6,500.

The Parks and Recreation Department will receive money for construction of a basketball court on the Common; improvements for Springside Park, Crane wading pool, Pontoosuc Lake parking facilities, Lakewood playground, and Onota Lake fishing pier.

Among the public buildings projects is the blacktopping of the Crane school area.

Capital Outlay Committee Holds First Budget Session

5/6/61

Maps, plans, diagrams, speeches by councilmen and explanations by department heads, took up most of the Capital Outlay Committee meeting last night. The three-hour session, to discuss the 1961 capital outlay budget, resulted in under-advisement action. Another meeting was set for Thursday afternoon. The total budget request this year is $2,437,611.

Commissioner of Public Works John F. Daniels fully elaborated on a 13-page report, representing $2,406,437 in capital outlay project estimates. Last year the department received $183,000 of a $2 million budget.

Parks and Recreation Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert explained his $25,929 request. Heading his priority list was a $6,310 estimate for asphalt basketball courts at the Common, and Clapp and Springside parks.

Building Request

A $5,245 request came from the Public Buildings Department. Superintendent Donald E. Farr said he needed $2,100 for small buildings to house gas-operated equipment presently stored in various school buildings.

Last year the committee and the mayor approved $226,000 for capital outlay work. This was about 10 per cent of the requested amount. Historically about 10 per cent of the total outlay budget is granted.

At Thursday's meeting, the committee will continue to determine what projects take priority and should be allowed. The report then goes to the mayor for appropriation action, followed by City Council consideration.

Nine councilmen were present at the meeting. Councilman John Burbank and Raymond E. Crow were absent.

Mayor Renames Noonan to Planning Board

5/23/61

The City Council will act on four more mayoral communications tonight, including the reappointment of a Planning Board member.

Mayor Haughey today reappointed Denis T. Noonan Jr. to a five-year term on the Planning Board. Mr. Noonan's appointment will expire in June, 1965. He has been a "holdover" since his term ran out in June of last year. Council confirmation of the appointment is expected.

Mr. Noonan was originally appointed to the board in 1957 by Mayor Harvey E. Lake to fill the unexpired term of William S. Ginn, who was transferred to Schenectady by GE.

Mayor Haughey has appropriated $1,900 to indemnify Henry J. Cormier, a city employe, for settlement of a $1,400 personal injury claim from James E. Leach and a $500 damage claim from Western Massachusetts Electric Co. Both claims resulted from an alleged accident involving a city-owned vericle driven by Mr. Cormier.

Another appropriation for $65 is to indemnify John Bray, a city employe, for settlement of a damage claim from John C. Marchesi resulting from another alleged accident involving a city-owned vehicle.

The mayor also is requesting authorization to convey a parcel of land on the northwest corner of Delaware Avenue to Bernard P. Gaston. The city claims that they have no use for the lot which abuts Allendale School, although a right-of-way is reserved to the city.

Mayor Calls Capital Outlay Unit Session

5/4/61

Mayor Haughey today called a meeting of the Capital Outlay Committee for Friday at 7:30 in the District Court room.

Three department outlay budgets will be considered. Largest is a Public Works Department request for $2,406,437. About $610,000 is for street work.

The Parks and Recreation Department is asking $25,929, for the year, including $7,000 for a baseball diamond at West Memorial Playground.

The Department of Public Buildings would like $5,245 for a number of projects.

Capital Outlay Study Finished

5/6/61

The Capital Outlay Committee completed study of the 1961 outlay budget yesterday. No word on the details of the budget will be released until a report has been made to Mayor Haughey. The committee's decision on what aspects of the $2 million budget should be accomplished is expected in a few days.

Traditionally, the committee, the mayor, and the Council, approve about 10 per cent of the total request. In this case 10 per cent would be approximately $200,000. Requests from the Public Works, Public Buildings, and Parks and Recreation departments have all been under consideration.

fred Barscz les for Council

red A. Barscz of 200 Merrill became a candidate for a Council at-large seat yester- s he filed nomination papers the Registrars of Voters for cation.

Barscz is a salesman for Lib- Liquors, Inc. This is his sec- ry for public office. He was ed as a candidate for Ward he 1957 city election.

Tuesday, June 6, 1961

Del Gallo Seeks Playground for Yankee Orchard Area

Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo has filed a motion with the City Council asking that the Parks and Recreation Department study possible construction of a playground in the Yankee Orchard area in outer East Street. Councilman DelGallo said that land is presently available at a reasonable price.

Victor Fresia of 444 Baker St. has filed a petition asking that water lines be extended from South Mountain Road to his home.

Mayor Calls Council Session On Employe Vacation Benefits

6/1/61

Mayor Haughey today called a special meeting of the City Council for tomorrow night at 8 in the city auditor's office.

"The formal session," said the mayor, "is to consider increased vacation benefits for city employes, and payment of about 40 land-damage cases resulting from the new sewer project."

Under the mayor's new vacation plan, employes with one to five years' service would receive two-week vacations, while those with 5 to 10 years would get three weeks, and those with more than 10 years would receive four-week vacations. The present system calls for a two-week leave for employes with up to 15 years' service, and three weeks for those employed more than 15 years.

Favored Informally

At an informal meeting on April 17, the Council appeared to favor the mayoral plan, plus a pay-raise proposal. Mayor Haughey said he is submitting the vacation ordinance so department heads can arrange employe vacation schedules. He added that he would present his pay-raise plan at the June 13 Council meeting.

"The pay increase will not go into effect until Aug. 1," said the mayor, "so there is no need for Council consideration of the plan tomorrow night."

A two-grade jump is the mayor's plan. This is for all city employes except School Department personnel and unclassified employes, such as the city physicion, mayor and Council members. If the raise is approved, it will cost about $90,000 for the remainder of this year. The annual cost would be about $217,600, or eight per cent more than the present $2,720,000 yearly pay roll.

Other Business

In other business, the Council will be asked to consider payment of about 40 land-damage settlements resulting from easement-takings for the new sewer system. The settlements are expected to tal about $30,000. Payments, if approved, will be made from the sewer fund. All cases are out-of-court settlements arranged by the city solicitor's office.

Mayor Haughey is planning to call an informal Council session next week. The meeting is to discuss plans for the proposed Summer Street parking lot with the Traffic Commission. Hugh R. McKean, chairman, will present the commission's proposal for purchase of the Central Market building, and adjacent parking area, for construction of a 100-car municipal parking lot.

Daniel Casey To Run for City Council

Political Veteran Will Seek At-Large Seat

Political veteran Daniel Casey of Peck's Road took out nomination papers for councilman at large today at the city clerk's office.

The former councilman and state representative plans shortly to announce his candidacy officially. Mr. Casey entered the political field 26 years ago when he won the Ward 1 seat in the City Council. In two successive elections he ran for an at-large position and won.

After losing a state senate election in 1938, and a mayoral election in 1941, Mr. Casey was elected state representative in 1942. He served as representative until 1950, when he lost the seat in the Democratic primary to John J. Dwyer.

A "dirt farmer," Mr. Casey was appointed director of the state Division of Dairying and Animal Husbandry in 1950. He left the position in 1954 and ran for an at-large seat in 1955, when he was defeated.

Political activity in Pittsfield has slowed to a walk. Informed sources feel that things will become more lively after the General Electric vacation shut-down. GE goes into full operation next Monday.

Mayor Sets 2nd Session On Schools 9-28-61

Council To Meet Thursday Noon for Vote on Commission

Mayor Haughey said today he plans to call another special City Council session for Thursday at 12:15 p.m. in City Hall to vote on establishment of a commission to handle construction of 11 new classrooms.

Mayor Haughey had appointed five men to such a commission last Thursday, but the Council tabled the matter at a special midday session for further study. Mayor Haughey wants the commission to supervise construction of four new rooms each at the Allendale and Williams schools, and three rooms at Highland School.

To Dissolve Group?

Tabling at the last session came after some Councilmen asked why the existing School Building Commission, presently inactive, could not handle the additions. Mayor Haughey said he thought he would dissolve the School Building Commission at this week's meeting.

Waiting Council confirmation are Donald E. Farr, superintendent of public buildings; School Superintendent Edward J. Russell; Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo; Ward 3 School Committeeman Donald H. Welton; and Mrs. John J. Fitzgerald, Dr. Russell's secretary.

Construction of the additional rooms is estimated to cost about $360,000. The state School Building Commission has been given tative approval for the school expansion plan, and will pay about a third of the construction cost.

Lee Diefendorf Is Candidate for Council at Large 8/14

Lee S. Diefendorf, 28, of 116 Cromwell Ave., today announced his candidacy for councilman at large. The construction engineer opened his campaign by calling for postcards from city voters.

"If your area is in need of attention to some problem," said the candidate, "please send me a postcard describing the situation." He said the cards would be filed for future reference if he was elected.

Without naming him, Mr. Diefendorf took a swipe at John J. Martin, state senate and councilman-at-large candidate. "Councilman at large is a task in itself," Mr. Diefendorf said, "without devoting time to other campaigns."

Has Tried Twice

Mr. Diefendorf was an unsuccessful primary candidate for the Ward 4 Council seat in 1959. He was also unsuccessful in the Council election last year to fill the Ward 4 seat vacated by the resignation of Charles W. Wilson.

A Pittsfield native, Mr. Diefendorf served 3½ years in the U. S. Navy, after graduating from Pittsfield High School in 1951. After discharge, he joined the state Department of Public Works district highway office, later entering the University of Massachusetts. During summer vacations he worked for the Pittsfield Public Works Department, in which he was employed upon leaving the university. He left the city position two years ago, since when he has worked with the Hutchinson Sand & Gravel Co. as an engineer.

He is married to the former Monica Pytko of Pittsfield. The couple have six children.

Issues Statement

The candidate issued the following statement:

I announce my candidacy to the voters of the city with a sincere pledge to discuss at any time the

Lee S. Diefendorf

problems and issues affecting thei respective wards and the city it self. I feel that my education along with my experience both i the city Public Works Depar ment and on large-scale construc tion projects, will qualify me to d justice to the office which I see

I am aware of many of th needs of our city; therefore, will expend the time, energy, ar research needed to correct ther

As my campaign progresses, will try to contact personally by articles as many voters as possible.

Scelsi Seeks Third Term As Councilman 8-29-61

Joseph S. Scelsi of 21 Daniels Ave. today announced his candidacy for a third term as Councilman from Ward 6.

The 47-year-old incumbent won the Council spot in 1957, when he beat Frank M. Pupo, who is presently a councilman-at-large. In his statement, Councilman Scelsi said:

"During the past four years, I have enjoyed the honor and privilege of serving the Ward 6 voters. While I feel that experience is an asset, one must also have the courage to speak out on behalf of his constituents.

Cites Experience

"I feel I have fulfilled my obligation on this level, and will continue to do so in the future if it is

Joseph S. Scelsi

the desire of the voters to return me to office. With the knowledge and experience I have gained, I would again honor and welcome the opportunity to serve as Councilman from the ward.

"I can honestly say that during my two terms in office, I have worked diligently toward the betterment of the ward, as my record will bear me out. I have always made myself available to my constituents; always acted as my conscience dictated; and always voted for that which I sincerely believed to be in the best interest of the entire city."

Graduating from Pittsfield High School in 1934, Councilman Scelsi has been employed by the Railway Express Agency for 25 years. He is president of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks in the Berkshire District, and has been a past secretary, treasurer, and vice president of the brotherhood.

Heads PW Committee

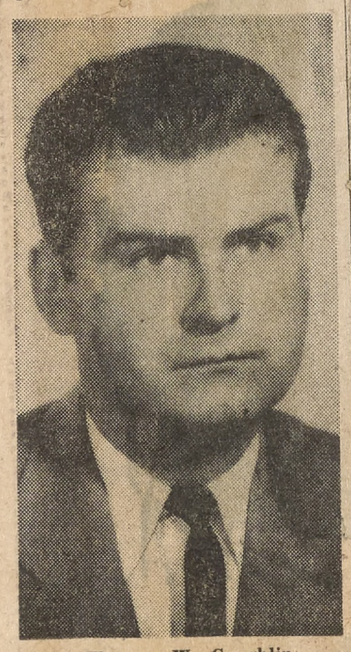
Councilman Scelsi is presently serving as chairman of the Council's Public Works Committee, on the Finance Committee, the Crosby Junior High School Building Commission, and the Public Works Advisory Committee. He has served on the Public Safety Committee, the Fire Department Building Commission, the special committee on Open-Air Parking Spaces, as well as chairman of the Night and Sunday Bus Service Committee.

Mr. Scelsi is a communicant of Mount Carmel Church, and he and Mrs. Scelsi have one son and three daughters.

Coughlin Seeks Council Seat From Ward 7

Several Others Expected To Enter Contest

Thomas W. Coughlin, 33, of 108 Madison Ave., may well have precipitated a rash of candidacies in



Thomas W. Coughlin

Ward 7 today when he announced that he would run for the City Council seat in that ward.

Waiting in the wings, with their nomination papers poised, are Leon W. McCluskey of 27 Clarendon St., William A. Bunt of 20 Oriole St., a former policeman, and George J. Blaszkiewicz of 26 Davis St. Papers are also being circulated for the Ward 7 incumbent, John F. Fraser, who is weighing a possible run for councilman at large.

"However," Fraser said this morning, "I won't make a decision until I have had an opportunity to sit down with my campaign leaders who have been with me ever since I started running for public office more than 10 years ago. I am scheduling a meeting of these people when my campaign manager, George Vogel, returns from a vacation."

Fraser is currently completing his sixth year as the Ward 7 representative.

Business Agent's Son

Coughlin, an electrician, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Coughlin, 110 Madison Ave. His father is a long-time business agent of the Pittsfield Painters' Union and has been a leader of the local Central Labor Union for many years. Two years ago, Tom Coughlin ran for the Ward 7 seat and came within 150 votes of unseating Fraser. From 1951 to 1955 he was a private in the Pittsfield Fire Department.

"As an interested and active resident of Ward 7 for 21 years, an electrician engaged in the building industry, a former city employe and a member of Democratic City Committee, I feel I have the necessary background and experience to represent the people of the ward," he said today in a formal announcement. His statement continues:

I think my years of experience in the building trade would prove valuable to the city. It is my opinion that the present City Council does not have a member among its ranks who has the necessary background to cope with the ever-mounting construction that is presently in effect, or which is planned for the future.

Cites Problems

As far as problems confronting the city itself, one only has to read the paper and listen to conversation throughout the city to know that we face several challenges now and in the immediate and distant future. School expansion, bus service, rail and air transportation in and out of the city, new industry and tourist promotion are just a few of the many problems that are facing Pittsfield.

In Ward 7, conditions of certain streets, bus service, snow removal, traffic crossings, in many cases, leave much to be desired. During the coming weeks, I intend to call on as many families in the ward as possible, and at that time I hope the people will "bring to light" any problems which I am unaware of.

In conclusion, I want to assure the people of Ward 7 that if I am elected, I will strive to give them strong representation both in the ward and the city.

Vincent Unfolds Seven-Point Program Tonight 8-29-61

Mayoral candidate Sammy Vincent will meet with the Pittsfield Good Government Association tonight to review his qualifications and campaign platform. The meeting, at 7:30 p.m. in the Women's Club on Wendell Avenue, is open only to association members and representatives of the press and radio.

This will be the first in a series of meetings the association will conduct with the mayoral candidates. An endorsement of a candidate by the nonpartisan group is expected in late September.

Anthony W. Sottile is scheduled to appear before the group on Sept. 8. The association hopes to meet with Mayor Haughey within a few weeks.

Seven-Point Platform

Mr. Vincent said this morning he would present a seven-point platform to the association tonight. While he did not release the contents of the platform, he said his program included areas he considered "most vital" to the growth of the city.

Commenting that strong leadership is needed in City Hall, Mr. Vincent said: "I feel my platform can pull Pittsfield out of its present apathy and turn it into an economic, social, and cultural landmark. To have a progressive, modern city, we must spend money.

"But the program I will present tonight is not designed to overburden the taxpayer. It contains not only plans for money-spending projects, but also the means of financing them without ignoring the fact that the taxpayer already feels he can dig no deeper into his wallet."

An association spokesman said today the group may not endorse City Council candidates. He explained that this was the association's first year and the group did not want to overextend itself, as there was a lot of organizational work still to be done.

Mangano Plans Second Try For Council Seat 57

Dominic Mangano

Dominic J. Mangano, 48, of 65 Cherry St. announced today that he would make a second try for the Ward 2 City Council seat.

"I'm impelled to this decision," he said today in a formal announcement," by the knowledge that I received more than 250 votes in the spirited primary of 1959. At that time, as you know, I was making my debut as a candidate, opposing two heavily favored opponents."

In that primary, according to City Hall election statistics, Mr. Mangano had 241 votes. Raymond E. Crow, who subsequently won the seat in November, was high man with 521 votes, and George A. Purnell Jr., who was then the Ward 2 incumbent, had 425 votes.

Issues Statement

Mr. Mangano's statement continues:

I believe it is timely and pertinent to mention that, as an employe of the local General Electric Co., my sympathy and loyalty in time of manager-labor crisis has always been translated into bold action in behalf of labor.

It seems safe to say that, outside of working hours my role as a musician has made my name and face familiar to music lovers all over Berkshire County. Incidentally, I have been affiliated with Local 109, Musicians Union, for the last 25 years.

In keeping with my gregarious nature, I hold membership in the Fraternal Order of Eagles; CYC; Boys' Club Alumni; and am a charter member of the Holy Name Society at Notre Dame Church.

I was born in Palermo, Sicily, and came to Pittsfield as a child; graduated from the public schools; and am married to the former Hilda Palardy of this city. We have seven children, four of whom are married, while three others attend the Notre Dame grammar school.

At the present time I am engaged in examining the purple patches in the record of the incumbent councilman from Ward Two.

In order to formulate my platform, I am likewise visiting daily with my neighbors in the ward (with whom I have enjoyed amicable relations for 20 years), in order to know what the planks in that platform will ultimately be.

Needless to say, I intend to wage a vigorous, articulate, and forthright campaign. While predictions may seem odious, it is my sincere conviction that by the time the final election is held, the incumbent councilman will be a "Daniel Come to Judgment" mainly through the efforts of this candidate.

Endorsement For Mayor Slated Sept. 22

The Pittsfield Good Government Association's endorsement for mayor will be made public on Friday, Sept. 22, after a membership meeting that night at the GEAA, it was announced today by Bernard J. Murphy, association president.

Mr. Murphy said that the way had been cleared to setting this endorsement date by completion of arrangements for Mayor Raymond L. Haughey to discuss his candidacy with the nonpartisan organization Friday, Sept. 15.

Mayor Haughey's appearance before the association will complete a series of three meetings designed to give members a first-hand opportunity to size up the mayoralty candidates. Sammy Vincent last week announced his campaign platform at an association meeting, and tomorrow night Anthony W. Sottile will address a 7:30 meeting at the Women's Club.

Membership Increasing

According to Mr. Murphy, these meetings with the candidates have been a stimulant to the association's membership rolls. He said that the number of members has increased from 51 to 73 during the past month.

Attendance at these meetings is limited to association members and representatives of press and radio.

Mr. Murphy emphasized that membership in the association is still open to all Pittsfield residents and those who are employed in this city, regardless of political affiliation. He pointed out that interested citizens may join the association at tomorrow's meeting.

William Pigott In Council At Large Race 8-29-61

William J. Pigott of 26 Memorial Drive today filed nomination papers with the Registrars of Voters as a councilman-at-large candidate. Mr. Pigott, a General Electric employe, ran for an at-large seat in the 1959 elections, but finished fifth in the four-seat contest. He was also interested in filling the at-large seat vacated by Rep. Patrick E. Callaghan last year, but was unsuccessful. He is the brother of former Ward 2 Councilman Christopher J. Pigott.

Another at-large candidate, George A. Purnell Jr., became an official candidate today as he filled completed papers with the city clerk's office.

Exam Scheduled Sept. 30 for Recreation Post

The state Division of Civil Service announced today that an examination for persons interested in appointment as recreation supervisor in the Pittsfield Parks and recreation supervisor in the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department will be held Sept. 30. There is at present a vacancy for a female supervisor.

The job has a starting pay of $4,342 a year, and goes to $5,096. The last day for filing applications is Monday, Sept. 11. Applications are available in the office of Robert Underwood Johnson, director of administrative services, City Hall Annex.

Applicants must have at least two years of paid experience as a playground or recreation leader, athletic instructor, or teacher of physical education in a recognized school, recreational center or similar program. College training and degrees may be substituted for the two years of experience.

Sottile 'Corrects' Whittlesey

Candidate Says He Didn't Ask To Go on ABC Tour

Mayoral candidate Anthony W. Sottile today said he did not ask the Association of Business and Commerce to be allowed to take in the organization's tour of city projects next week, and he reiterated charges that the tour has been scheduled as a political favor to Mayor Raymond L. Haughey.

William A. Whittlesey III, ABC president, last week denied Sottile's charge that the tour, set for next Wednesday, is a "politically tinged caravan." Whittlesey said that Sottile had called the ABC office and asked to be allowed to take the tour.

"I wish to correct the statement made by Mr. Whittlesey," Sottile said today. "The call to the ABC office was made solely for the purpose of asking why and how the sponsorship of the tour came about. It was as the result of this telephone call I was asked if I was interested in making this tour, even though it was restricted to members and friends. My answer to this question was that I didn't know whether or not I cared to make the tour, but if the ABC cared to send me an application I would gladly think it over. The application is still in my possession."

Dates at Issue

Whittlesey said last week that the tour first was discussed at a meeting with Mayor Haughey in June. Sottile today claimed that when he called the ABC office he was told the tour first was discussed in April or May.

"Mr. Haughey, when first asked about his candidacy for re-election, stated that he would make an announcement about the middle of April," Sottile said.

"Mr. Haughey postponed his announcement until late in August, and it does seem strange that the ABC announcement of its tour followed Mr. Haughey's by but one day.

"Is this just another coincidence?" Sottile asked.

Blaszkiewicz In Ward 7 Council Race

George J. Blaszkiewicz, 27, of 26 Davis St., officially announced his candidacy for the Ward 7 City Council seat today.

Filing his completed nomination papers with the city clerk's office yesterday, Mr. Blaszkiewicz said: "My ultimate objectives are sincere and in no way should interfere with the campaigns of my opponents, for my motive is simple: I want the job. I am interested in seeing to it that my neighbors benefit fully and equitably by my fairness and representation of their needs.

"By reason of the fact that I am a property owner, a citizen and a taxpayer, I feel confident that I can do an appreciable job if elected as Ward 7 Councilman."

A native of Pittsfield, Mr. Blaszkiewicz graduated from Pittsfield High School. He was formerly employed by General Electric as a fabricator and maintenance man. He is a member of the Polish Community Club and the Holy Family Church.

Barscz Favors Hiring of Local Labor

Alfred A. Barscz, candidate for councilman at large, said today that if he should be elected he would exert as much influence as possible to make contractors hire local labor.

"As one of the most consistent spectators at City Council meetings over the past four years," the candidate said, "it has occurred to me that the City Council functions too much as a rubber stamp in the matter of contracts. It seems to me that more could be done to have local public works projects handled not only by local contractors but to have any contractor hire local help."

Commends Hodecker

In that connection, Barscz had a word of commendation for Welfare Commissioner Charles H. Hodecker.

"I understand," he said, "that Commissioner Hodecker has approached the local business agent for construction workers unions and asked that many persons on relief be put to work as unskilled laborers. But the business agent couldn't help him because contractors are importing so much unskilled help into the area."

Barscz said that imported unskilled help takes $6,500 a week out of Pittsfield as a result of their employment on a sewer project.

The candidate said that the sewer project, which is now being carried on by two contractors, should have been split up into at least five separate jobs so that local contractors who hire local help could have had a chance at some work. As it was, he said, all local contractors except one (the Petricca Construction Co., which is doing part of the sewer work) were precluded from even bidding on the job because bonding requirements were beyond their reach.

"Had the sewer project been split up into five jobs," Barscz suggested, "the work might have been completed faster and cheaper by local contractors."

Sullivan, Martin Seek Seats In Council 8-28-61

Two more candidates entered the lists for City Council seats over the weekend.

Eugene O. Sullivan of 20 East Housatonic St. seeks the Ward 4 spot which is being vacated by John Burbank, while Atty. John J. Martin of 39 Cromwell Ave. will be an at-large candidate.

Mr. Sullivan, a member of the Democratic City Committee, is an employe of the General Electric where he has served as secretary-treasurer of IUE Local 254, union for white collar workers. He has made two unsuccessful tries for public office. In 1945 he was a Ward 1 Council candidate, and in 1949 he ran for an at-large seat.

Mr. Sullivan said he would have a formal statement shortly.

Only other candidate in the Ward 4 contest to date is James A. McCabe of 571 Pomeroy Ave.

Mr. Martin withdrew from the state Senate race last week to become an at-large candidate. He explained that a Council seat was his preference and he had dropped from the Senate race when he realized a capable field was running for the legislative spot.

Atty. Martin won the Republican nomination for state representative from the 3rd District last year, but lost the election to Rep. Patrick E. Callaghan. He was formerly associated with the law firm of Conte & Shaker, and now has his own practice. He said he is circulating nomination papers for the Council spot, and will officially announce his candidacy later this week.

Richmany Raps Quadrozzi on School Vote

Ward 5 Council candidate James M. Richmany today slammed Ward 5 incumbent Samuel J. Quadrozzi for placing "politics above the interests of the city's school children."

Mr. Richmany attacked Councilman Quadrozzi for voting "no" on removal of a school expansion order from the table during Friday's special Council session. He charged that Councilman Quadrozzi was "acting as a public official for the benefit of a chosen few."

Councilman Quadrozzi said he had no comment at present but would answer Mr. Richmany in the near future.

Four Others Voted No

The Ward 5 representative and four other Councilman voted "no" last Friday during a special meeting called to remove a mayoral order from the table. The order, creating a school building commission for construction of 11 additional classrooms in city schools, has been tabled during three different Council meetings.

Councilman Quadrozzi and his colleagues felt the matter should be considered by the full Council at the Sept. 12 regular meeting. Several Councilmen had been absent at the special meetings. The five wanted amendments by Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi aired by the entire Council. Councilman Scelsi has not divulged his suggestions, though they are believed to deal with commission membership.

Richmany's Statement

Mr. Richmany's statement follows:

It was no surprise to me to learn of Councilman Quadrozzi's part in delaying the creation of a school building commission to provide additions to the Williams, Allendale, and Highland schools. It merely typifies his two years of acting as a public official for the benefit of a chosen few.

But where does this action leave the children of Ward 5? Does Councilman Quadrozzi realize the kindergarten children at Stearns School will be put out of their assigned rooms and will have to hold classes in the general purpose room of the school?

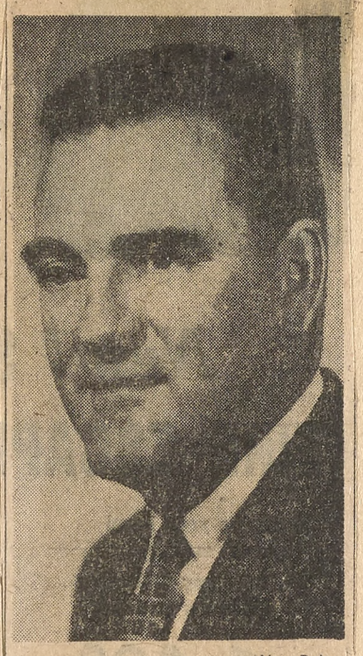
Does he realize that this will deny the use of this room to the other students of Stearns School?

The reason for this hardship on Stearns students is because the overflow from Williams School will be using a portion of Stearns.

The fact that the present Ward 5 councilman has placed politics above the interests of the school children of the city is evident by his own vote. There is no excuse for this type of political maneuvering when an issue concerning the education of our young is concerned.

I firmly believe that the people of Ward 5 deserve to be represented by an individual who is familiar with the problems besetting Ward 5 and who will give to the people the forceful, dynamic leadership that is necessary for the betterment of Ward 5 and the entire city.

Harry Moore Files Papers for Ward 6 Run



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Harry J. Moore

Filing his nomination papers with the Board of Registrars today, Harry J. Moore, 45, 78 John St., became a candidate for the Ward 6 City Council position.

Charging that "the ward has been neglected in the past," Mr Moore said: "I believe I am competent to serve you, and will leave no stone unturned when attacking a problem. If you look around, you can see how our ward has been neglected in the past.

"At this time I am making no statement, but I can assure you in the near future you will hear of many things that have not been taken care of. The facts will speak for themselves."

A Ward 6 resident for 30 years, Mr. Moore is a 1935 graduate of Pittsfield High School. He has been employed at General Electric for 10 years as a fire inspector and guard. He was a former secretary and treasurer of the CIO Textile Workers Union, Local 496 at the Wyandotte Worsted Co., as well as acting as shop steward for six years, and delegate to the nation and state CIO-conventions.

A World War II veteran, Mr. Moore is a member of the United Community Travelers, St. Mark's Church, and the Independent Union of Plant Protection Employes, Local 1 at GE. He is married to the former Rose A. Pannesco, and the couple have three sons and a daughter.

Mr. Moore is opposing Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi, who has announced his candidacy for re-election.

England To Leave City Council

Councilman at Large Daniel England said today he will not be a candidate for any office in this year's city elections.

The City Council president explained that business pressures and a desire for more family life had determined his decision. "It has been an honor serving on the Council," said Mr. England, "and I would like to thank everyone I have worked with for their cooperation."

Mr. England returned to the Council last November at a special election held by the council to fill the seat vacated by the resignation of Charles J. Kidney. He was elected Council president in January when Patrick E. Callaghan resigned to take up his duties as representative of the 3rd Berkshire District in the legislature.

Mr. England, president of England Brothers department store, was the Ward 5 councilman from 1956 to 1958. His present Council term will expire Jan. 1, 1962.

Frank M. Pupo Seeks Council Re-Election

Frank M. Pupo, 45, of 66 Circular Ave. today became the first councilman-at-large to announce his candidacy for re-election.

He became a councilman-at-large in a special election in January to

Frank M. Pupo

fill the vacancy created by the resignation of state Rep. Patrick E. Callaghan. Callaghan had resigned to take up his duties as representative from the 3rd Berkshire District.

Councilman Pupo served from 1952 to 1958 as representative from Ward 6. He was defeated in a fourth-term try in 1957 by present Ward 6 incumbent Joseph S. Scelsi.

On Finance Committee

Now serving on the Ordinance and Rules Committee and the Fire Department Building Commission, Councilman Pupo formerly was chairman of the ordinance unit. He was also an early member of of the Fire Commission when he was a Ward 6 councilman. He is presently on the Council's Finance Committee.

The candidate has served on the Public Works and Public Safety committees, plus the original City Hall Building Commission.

A production requisition clerk in GE's ordnance plant, Councilman Pupo has 22 years with the company. His service was interrupted by a four-year hitch in the Army during World War II when he served in an antiaircraft battalion in Africa and Europe. He is a 1936 graduate of Pittsfield High School, and was married to the former Rosemary Dorothy Cudahy, who died in 1959. He has two children.

E. G. St. Peter Out for Council In Ward 1

Ernest G. St. Peter, 33, of 242 Benedict Road said today he would be a candidate for the Ward 1 City Council seat.

Mr. St. Peter, manager of the Tyler Restaurant, said friends and neighbors had asked him to run because they would like to see the ward get "better representation" in the Council. This is Mr. St. Peter's first political venture.

He obtained nomination forms yesterday and plans to issue an official statement when he files his papers after Labor Day. Mr. St. Peter will be opposing Ward 1 Councilman Leo B. Nesbit, who has officially announced his candidacy for a second term.

In other election news, Alfred A. Barscz became an official at-large candidate when he recently filed his papers with the city clerk's office.

Dominic J. Mangano also became an official candidate for the Ward 2 spot after filing his completed papers yesterday.

Vincent Sees Industrial Development As Pittsfield's Number One Problem

8-29-61

Basing his speech on the importance of more industry for Pittsfield, mayoral candidate Sammy Vincent outlined his campaign platform last night.

"Industrial development is the number one problem in Pittsfield," said Mr. Vincent at a meeting of the Pittsfield Good Government Association. More than 40 association members gathered at the Women's Club on Wendell Avenue to attend the first in a series of interviews with mayoral candidates.

The association, which will endorse a candidate after hearing from as many as possible, listened as Mr. Vincent explained his seven-point platform. Mr. Vincent said if elected he would: "provide dynamic, aggressive leadership; promote effective education; clear our slum areas; give the city streets and sidewalks a face-lifting; put Pittsfield back on the map; encourage tourist business; and bring more jobs to Pittsfield and keep the ones we have."

Industrial Park Program

Explaining that he is running for mayor because he "loves Pittsfield" and is "dissatisfied with the way it is currently being run," Mr. Vincent expanded on industrial development. "I would immediately seek a grant of $110,000 in city funds to pay a third of the $330,000 supposedly (needed) to ready an industrial park," said the music store owner. He proposed that the Association of Business and Commerce provide the remaining money and "get its plans out of the filing cabinet" for the 43-acre East Street site and the 107-acre Merrill Road plot. Both sites are owned by the ABC.

Mr. Vincent said the key to financing this and other projects he plans would be new industries. He explained that new industries mean more tax revenue.

During a question period after the speech, the candidate guaranteed that if industries employing a total of 1,000 were brought to Pittsfield in the next five years, the tax rate would drop $5.

In a point by point explanation of his platform, Mr. Vincent fired a blast at the mayor's office by saying, in government an "absolute essential is leadership—something that Pittsfield lacks right now." Commenting on mayoral appointments, he said: "It is easy to surround yourself with friends and acquaintances, but because you enjoy their conversation at a dinner party does not mean they'll be good candidates for the Board of Assessors or a school building commission. The hard way is to actively seek intelligent, qualified workers who really want good government."

Vocational Expansion Urged

On the school issue, Mr. Vincent proposed expanded vocational facilities to train students for jobs existing in the community. He proposed that teacher salary studies be continued, and that new courses for teachers be made available.

The candidate said immediate attention must be given overcrowding at Pittsfield High School, and plans made to "relieve the problems in the outer Williams Street section" and in the Allendale and Highland school areas. He proposed a commission to study the older city schools and prepare "a timetable for retiring inadequate and unsuitable space."

Hitting again at alleged laxity, Mr. Vincent said "Pittsfield's laxness in urban renewal has been deplorable." He called for a master plan to develop the city's potential before "we begin to worry about the money involved in urban renewal." He said the downtown business area and housing "both cry for attention." Mr. Vincent explained he would immediately ask Health Commissioner Harold Stein for an analysis of substandard housing and recommendations for cleaning it up. "The time for drastic action was yesterday—we cannot afford to wait." He added that all planning and renewal work would be considered by the Planning Board.

Commenting on streets and sidewalks, he said he would like to have them considered as the best in the state.

Airport Expansion Urged

To put Pittsfield back on the map, Mr. Vincent felt there was a great need for improved transportation facilities. "We must no longer shelve the airport issue," he said. "It is not a question of whether we need a modern airport. It is a matter of where we should put it and who will finance it.'" When asked during the question period if he would support another $400,000 airport expansion program, available a few years ago, the candidate said if it again became available he would. "Pittsfield is a second-class city until we get a good airport," he said. He added the "old freight terminal" being used as a train station is "the back door to Pittsfield." He also called for a north-south highway across the city.

The candidate noted that more tourists would return to the area if there were better transportation facilities. He also proposed a tourist information booth in Park Square. Mr. Vincent said especially on Sundays and Mondays there is no central tourist service.

In the new City Hall issue, Mr. Vincent said in two years he would be able to show, with figures, why a new facility was needed. "I think the issue should then be on a referendum so the people can decide. A city hall is a symbol, not just a building."

When asked later if he would consider the present Berkshire Community College building as a city hall if it were returned to the city, Mr. Vincent said he would if an adequate plan were devised so the building could be used for 20 to 30 years.

Stricter Zoning Urged

He also called for stricter zoning laws "so you will know that a gas station will not be built next door." He explained that as areas deteriorated, then variances could be allowed.

Winding up the session, Mr. Vincent said he would be a full-time mayor, adding he would sever connections with his North Street music store except for partial pay from the shop.

"I don't think I could carry on my way of life on the mayor's salary of $9,000 a year," he said. "Nobody is 'backing' me. I wasn't asked to run, it was my own choice—win, lose, or draw."

The next association meeting is scheduled for Sept. 8 when mayoral candidate Anthony W. Sottile will discuss his views. The Good Government group also hopes to hear Mayor Haughey before deciding whom to endorse for mayor later in September.

Four Items On Agenda For Council

8-23-61

Special Meeting Called by Mayor For 12:15 Tomorrow

A four-item agenda is planned for the special City Council meeting called today by Mayor Haughey for 12:15 p.m. tomorrow in the city auditor's office.

Heading the list is Council consideration of Pittsfield's preliminary urban renewal application. Mayor Haughey is seeking the Council's approval of the form so it may be sent to the federal Housing and Home Finance Agency in New York City. Upon receipt of the application, the federal agency is expected to certify Pittsfield as eligible to receive federal renewal funds.

Other Items

The Council will also set the voting hours for the special state Senate primary election scheduled for Sept. 19. The polls must be open for at least nine hours, but usually a 12-hour period—from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.—is scheduled.

Approval of the seven ward polling places for the Sept. 19 primary will also be considered by the Council. City Clerk John J. Fitzgerald has suggested:

Ward 1, Morningside Fire Station, Tyler Street; Ward 2, Mercer School, First and Orchard streets; Ward 3, Hibbard School, Newell Street; Ward 4, Pittsfield High School, East Street; Ward 5, Pomeroy School, West Housatonic Street; Ward 6, Tucker School, Linden Street and Robbins Avenue; and Ward 7, Holy Family Church Hall, 133 Seymour Street.

Last agenda item is an $800 mayoral request for the Park Department. The mayor said additional park police are needed because of recent vandalism, and more skating days expected this winter.

Chief Asks More Police: Need for 6 'Very Urgent'

Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan today called for a larger police force and a special commission to study the needs of the Pittsfield Police Department.

In a letter to Mayor Raymond L. Haughey and City Council members, the chief asked that a special commission, similar to the Fire Commission, be established to study special police needs.

Needs 'Very Urgent'

In the meantime, the chief said, "I recommend that six patrolmen be appointed immediately . . ." He described police department needs as "very urgent."

For the past 13 years, Chief Calnan has requested an increase in department manpower. With one exception, his requests have been denied.

According to the latest Uniform Crime Report released by the FBI, the size of the local police force is below that of other New England cities of similar size. At the present time, an increase of about 23 men would be necessary to bring the Pittsfield department up to the New England average.

Chief's Letter

Chief Calnan's letter to Mayor Haughey follows:

I respectfully request that immediate attention be given to the manpower needs of the Pittsfield Police Department.

I recommend that a special commission, similar to the Fire Commission which accomplished such a fine job of building up the strength of the Fire Department, be appointed to study our particular needs and report its findings and recommendations to the mayor and city council.

The Police Department, in my opinion, has always done a fine job of policing the city and keeping major crime under control. But, it should be very apparent to everyone that the time has arrived when we need more police officers as soon as we can get them.

However, as it will take time for such a commission to act and our needs are very urgent, I recommend that six patrolmen be appointed, immediately, to fill in for officers on vacation so that their posts will not have to be doubled up or left vacant entirely.

A sum of money should be appropriated and placed in the patrolmen's salary account or the emergency overtime account to pay for off-duty officers who can be called in to work for those on the sick or injured list.

It is a matter of public record that Pittsfield has fewer police employes and the per capita cost is less than in most cities of its size in the New England area.

Leo Nesbit Is Candidate For Re-election

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Leo B. Nesbit, 30, of 66 Curtis ...er., announced his candidacy today for re-election as Councilman for Ward 1. The City Council incumbent is the first candidate from the Ward 1 district.

In running for his second two-year term, Councilman Nesbit asked the voters to refer to his record. He explained, "a main part of my campaign platform will be a policy of taking a definite stand on every major issue." The candidate further explained that he has held himself available to the Ward 1 constituents at all times.

Leo B. Nesbit

"I have a record of perfect attendance at all regular Council and committee meetings," said Councilman Nesbit. "I am currently a member of the Public Works, Claims and License, and Accounts committees." The Ward 1 candidate was appointed by Mayor Haughey to serve as the Council's representative on the recently formed Conservation Commission.

Councilman Nesbit operates the Nesbit Brothers grocery store at 770 Tyler St. He graduated from St. Joseph's High School where he was a varsity football player. Shortly after high school, he served a hitch in the U. S. Marine Corps. He is a fourth degree member of the Knights of Columbus, and belongs to St. Mary's Holy Name Society. Councilman Nesbit is married to the former Mary Callanan, and the couple have three children—John J., 4; Mary Pat, 2; and Ann Marie, 1.

Second Candidate Files for Ward 7 Council Race

George J. Blaszkiewicz of 26 Davis St. filed nomination papers with the Registrars of Voters today as a candidate for the City Council from Ward 7. The registrars will check the papers for the required 50 signatures of registered voters.

Mr. Blaszkiewicz, a General Electric Co. employe, is the second Ward 7 candidate. William A. Bunt has filed his nomination papers with the city clerk's office, while Ward 7 incumbent John F. Fraser is waiting until after Labor Day to announce whether he will run for the ward seat or go for an at-large position.

Scelsi Shortly

Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi is expected to announce his candidacy for re-election shortly, while Ward 4 Councilman John Burbank has not stated his election intentions, though it is felt he will not run again. James A. McCabe is, so far, the only Ward 4 candidate.

The remaining ward Councilmen (Nesbit Crow, DelGallo, and Quadrozzi) have all announced their candidacies. Dominic Mangano is opposing Ward 2 Councilman Raymond E. Crow, while James M. Richmany is against incumbent Samuel J. Quadrozzi in Ward 5.

Councilmen-at-Large Roy F. Brown and Donald G. Butler have both taken out nomination papers, while no word has been received from Daniel England Jr. or Frank M. Pupo. Announced candidates for at-large seats are Daniel Casey, Lee Diefendorf, and George A. Purnell Jr. John J. Martin is an announced candidate for the senate seat vacated by Robert P. Cramer and is also expected to be an at-large candidate.

Hospital Benefits Hiked; Blue Cross Fee Unchanged

BOSTON (AP) — State Insurance Commissioner Otis M. Whitney has approved an increase in hospital benefits, without a boost in rates, for Blue Cross subscribers.

The commissioner yesterday rejected, however, a petition for a boost in Blue Shield payments to doctors and dentists.

"These new benefits should reduce the Blue Cross surplus at the rate of $3 million annually," Whitney said in approving the increased Blue Cross benefits. A surplus of $16 million was reported by the health insurance organization several months ago.

Doctors Turned Down

Explaining the rejection of the Blue Shield boost, Whitney said "I do not deem it advisable at this time to add to the medical costs for families in the low income group. This, of course, does not preclude further consideration of this matter at a later date."

Included in the added benefits under Blue Cross are: an additional 10 days' hospital care for direct payment individuals, placing them in the same category as family groups; payment of anesthesia charges in maternity cases; liberalization of rules on hospital re-admissions; and treatment for tuberculosis cases in the same manner as any other disease.

A 10 per cent increase to pay doctors and dentists larger fees was the Blue Shield request. An over-all boost to policy holders of some 15 per cent would have resulted from the hike.

Mayor Studies Request of Chief Calnan

8-22-61

Mayor Haughey said today he is studying the Police Department's request for six additional men.

Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan had sent a letter to the mayor and Council members on Friday describing the need for more men as "very urgent." Chief Calnan also requested creation of a commission to study Police Department needs. He said the commission would act as the present Fire Department Building Commission is doing. The fire commission is completing a manpower study.

Chief Calnan also requested $4,200 about a month ago to pay police officers on an overtime basis for patrolling parking meter areas. Mayor Haughey said he wants to talk with Chief Calnan before deciding on this matter.

City Employes Local 65 Seeks Five Benefits

Pittsfield's City Employes Association, Local 65, today requested five benefits for city employes.

The union, affiliated with the Federation of State, City and Town Employes, asked that a 10 per cent bonus be granted employes working at night and on shifts other than the normal day shifts.

Another item asks that all city employes be paid for all holidays including Washington's Birthday, Patriots' Day and Good Friday. Only salaried employes receive pay for these holidays now.

The union is asking that the city pay half of employes' clothes rental costs and that lockers be provided for storage of such work clothes. The group also want carpenters' pay increased from Grade 12—minimum $1.92 an hour, maximum $2.26—to Grade 15—minimum $2.17, maximum $2.55.

City Must 'Squeak Louder,' Vincent Says, Quoting Volpe

Mayoralty candidate Sammy Vincent said this morning that Pittsfield must "squeak louder and more often" if it expects to get state aid for local projects.

Reporting on his conference with Gov. John A. Volpe in Boston yesterday morning, Mr. Vincent said:

"According to what the governor told me, we must squeak louder and more often if we want to take advantage of state funds for such projects as urban renewal.

'Squeaky Wheels'

"Gov. Volpe compared communities that have succeeded in getting state funds to 'squeaky wheels.' He pointed out that when a wheel squeaks, you put oil on it; and the more it squeaks, the more oil you use.

"One of the reasons other communities seem to be getting a bonanza from the state coffers is that they apparently shout louder than we do. The governor said a community must first, of course, have a project. Then it must find out whether state monies are available for the project. And finally, the city must keep hammering until the state comes through.

"Gov. Volpe emphasized the importance of leadership from the mayor and other city officials. It is strong leadership that brings enough squeaking to get results."

Mr. Vincent is scheduled to speak before the Downtown Association at 6:30 p.m. today at Breezy Knoll Inn, where he will discuss police and fire protection, school problems, the tax rate and job security.

Following the association meeting, the candidate will be guest of honor at a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Vallone of 48 Third St.

Mr. Vincent will speak at a campaign rally at the Masonic Temple tomorrow at 8:15 p.m. The rally will begin in front of England Brothers at 8 p.m., with the Monarch Drum Corps leading a group of the candidate's backers to the Masonic Temple.

Vincent and Son Chat With Governor

Special to THE EAGLE

BOSTON — Sammy Vincent, a mayoralty candidate, and his 17-year-old son, Robert, had five minutes with Gov. Volpe at the State House yesterday. A picture was taken.

Leslie G. Ainley, the governor's press secretary, said that Mr. Vincent discussed affairs in general; that the idea for the session was to have his son meet the governor.

Vincent Calls for Increase In Police Patrolmen Now

Exclaiming that "Pittsfield has been a headless horseman long enough," mayoral candidate Sammy Vincent continued his campaigning last night with a talk before the Pittsfield Downtown Association at Breezy Knoll Inn.

Vincent elaborated on five campaign planks—education, the Fire and Police departments, the tax rate, and job security.

On education, he said that "it is a frightening thought that no plans for expansion of high school facilities have as yet been disclosed." He noted that Pittsfield High School is overcrowded and that the shuttling of students to various schools in the city, plus double sessions, must be stopped.

Candidate Vincent felt that fire protection for outlaying city sections could be improved by better streets, and improved routing of traffic could prevent fire equipment from running into traffic congestion. He also called for two new fire stations: one in Coltsville, the other at the Elm Street-Holmes Road intersection.

Favors More Policemen

The North Street music store owner asked for the immediate addition of patrolmen in the Police Department. He attacked Mayor Haughey for "studying" Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan's recent request for more men. "I cannot understand why the recommendation for more patrolmen was not studied long ago," he said.

Reiterating the major plank in his platform, Mr. Vincent said new industry for Pittsfield was the answer to a low tax rate and job security. He said added industry in the city would provide the financial basis for all improvements he thought necessary in the city.

He quoted various labor and management statements which said that "a perilous situation existed when a community depended too much on one concern." He also said that another source of revenue for Pittsfield was an urban renewal program which "will upgrade taxable property."

Mr. Vincent will again speak tonight at a campaign rally at the Masonic Temple at 8:15 p.m. The rally will begin in front of England Brothers department store at 8, with the Monarch Drum Corps leading a group of the candidates' backers to the temple.

Myers, Milne, Tagliente Ponder Political Runs

Three new names entered the political field today as possible candidates for municipal offices in the coming elections.

Arthur W. Milne and George M. Tagliente are reported interested in running for councilman-at-large positions, while Frederick M. Myers Jr. may be a candidate for the Ward 4 Council spot.

Mr. Milne, who recently withdrew as a candidate in the special Senate election, said he is giving his Council candidacy some thought. Mr. Tagliente was not available for comment, but has taken out nomination papers.

Reports indicate that Mr. Myers is also considering a try for the Ward 4 Council seat. A group of ward residents have approached the attorney, but they have heard only that he would consider the request.

On the real side of politics, Harry J. Moore today became an official Ward 6 candidate as he filed his completed papers with the city clerk's office. So far, Mr. Moore is the only candidate opposing Ward 6 incumbent Joseph S. Scelsi.

Former Councilman Daniel Casey also became an official candidate for councilman at large as he filed his papers with the city clerk this morning.

Butler Elected Acting Head Of Council

England Unable To Attend Meeting Because of Laryngitis

Councilman-at-Large Donald G. Butler is pro tem president of the City Council today until the return of Councilman-at-Large Daniel England.

Councilman England was unable to attend last night's Council session because of a severe case of laryngitis. Councilman Butler was elected 8 to 2 by his colleagues at the start of the meeting. Councilman Burbank and Butler voted for the other nominee, Councilman Roy F. Brown.

Other Business

In other business, the Council sent a petition from Martin E. Pullano to the Ordinance and Rules Committee for ordinance drafting. The petitioner has asked for a zone change on about 12 acres bounded by Elm, Mystic, Day, and Ashley streets, plus the Housatonic River. Mr. Pullano said he wants a change from R-3 (one and two-family houses) to C-3 (central business) so the land, presently swamp, can be reclaimed.

The Council tabled another rezoning request from James Scalise so a legal opinion can be obtained from the city solicitor. Mr. Scalise is asking for a change from R-3 to C-3 for a plot at the corner of Hathaway and Lyman streets. The Planning Board has reported this would constitute spot zoning. Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser asked for the solicitor's opinion because land on the opposite side of the river is zoned C-3. The councilman feels the Scalise request may not be spot zoning if the river is not a zoning barrier. Mr. Scalise wants to construct a building for repair of hydraulic jacks and equipment.

A request from Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan for six more patrolmen and a commission to study Police Department needs was sent to the Public Safety Committee for recommendation.

The Council sent a petition from John N. Connors and others to Chief Calnan for consideration. The petition asks that Monarch Auto School and others be stopped from blocking driveways and obstructing traffic.

Water Line Extension Asked

Mayor Haughey was sent a petition from Churchill Street residents for water line extension. The Council referred the matter to the mayor so he could appropriate the money if he felt the job was necessary.

An order from Councilman Scelsi calling for exemption of fallout shelters from taxation was adopted by the Council. A communication requesting such a law will be sent to the state legislature by the Council. Presently, fallout shelters can be assessed and taxed as property at a rate of $57.50 per $1,000 valuation.

The Council also adopted a resolution from Ward 1 Councilman Leo B. Nesbit endorsing the National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation. The vote was 7 to 3. Councilmen Burbank, Crow and Brown stated they were not against the foundation but that to endorse the activities of one meant endorsement for a flood of such agencies should they request Council consideration.

Easements were taken across six parcels of land by the Council. The takings are for the student sidewalk in the Williams School area from Pine Grove drive to Doreen Street.

Water, Sewer Cost Estimates For Industrial Parks Differ

The Association of Business and Commerce has asked the Pittsfield Sewer and Water commissions to prepare a joint recommendation for Mayor Haughey on bringing water and sewage facilities to the association's proposed industrial parks on Merrill Road and East Street.

Eugene Amber, chairman of the ABC government liaison committee, said cost estimates presented yesterday by the commission's engineering firms "is confusing because part of the work involved is already incorporated in the overall sewer and water programs for the city."

Camp, Dresser & McKee, engineering firm for the Sewer Commission, estimated that it would cost $169,000 to bring city sewage service to the proposed ABC park on a 43-acre tract off outer East Street, and $105,000 for the 107-acre tract off Merrill Road.

Mr. Amber said the firm of Metcalf & Eddy, the Water Commission's engineers, estimated that it would cost somewhat over $300,000 to bring city water to the two parks.

City Officials Attend

The estimates were presented at a meeting of Mr. Amber's committee with Mayor Haughey, City Solicitor William R. Flynn, Public Works Commissioner John E. Daniels and representatives of the two commissions.

"It was recommended that both commissions meet in joint session for study and recommendations to Mayor Haughey for the potential development of both areas, as they effect the general sewer and water development for the city," Mr. development for the city," Mr. Amber said.

"We are in favor of, and have recommended to the mayor, the development of both projects," said Luke S. Hayden, chairman of ABC's real estate committee.

"We don't know which of these two areas would be developed first," he continued. "One chap recently came to us and said he wanted all of the Merrill Road property, but he pulled his horns in afterward.

"And, during the last two weeks, we have had a couple of timid soundings on the East Street property. We would like to have both areas in shape so that if we get a prospect we can say that we are all ready."

Conservation Unit Seeks Ruling on Tax Title Lands

Pittsfield's Conservation Commission too kaction Monday night to acquire jurisdiction over the city's tax title properties.

The commission voted to ask the city solicitor for an opinion on the legality of the mayor and Council turning the tax title lands over to the commission's control. The motion, made by Councilman Léo B. Nesbit and passed unanimously, asked that the opinion be returned by the October meeting.

Burbank Not To Seek Re-election

Ward 4 Councilman Will Remain on Water Commission

Ward 4 Councilman John Burbank said today he would not be a candidate for election to municipal office this year, but is not resigning from the Water Commission.

"Serving on the City Council has been an interesting and rewarding experience," said Mr. Burbank. "I only hope that some qualified candidates will come forward to take my place on the Council."

Councilman Burbank returned to the Council in May of 1960 after a year's absence. He was elected to the unexpired term of Charles W. Wilson who was transferred from Pittsfield by General Electric. This was the second time Mr. Burbank had been elected by the Council to the seat. In 1953, he made his first Council appearance when he was elected to fill the unexpired term of Ward 4 Councilman Leland C. Talbot, who died in office.

He was returned to the Ward 4 spot during the city elections the same year. He served until 1959, when he announced he was not a candidate.

Councilman Burbank is presently chairman of the Water Commission. Under his guidance, the commission has under way a long-range water improvement project for the city.

So far, two candidates have said they will run for the Ward 4 position this year. They are James A. McCabe and Eugene O. Sullivan. Mr. McCabe has announced his candidacy, while Mr. Sullivan is expected to announce next week.

Holmes Road Project Opposed

City's Chapter 90 Hearing Scheduled Tuesday Night

Mayoral orders totaling $17,680 were approved by the City Council during last night's meeting. An additional $28,000 request for Chapter 90 work was sent to the Public Works Committee for study.

Several Holmes Road residents objected to a plan for reconstruction of the street from Elm Street to Pomeroy Avenue, and construction of a new bridge on the road near Pomeroy Avenue. The plan is part of a two-year Chapter 90 program.

The Chapter 90 funds will be allocated to three projects. Some $10,000 will be used for resurfacing and drainage construction on a portion of Crane Avenue this year. The remaining $18,000 will be held until next year when a like amount will be added for Holmes Road bridge construction.

The city's portion of Chapter 90 work is only a quarter of the total cost. The county pays a quarter and the state provides half the funds.

Traffic Increase Cited

J. B. Cooper of 221 Holmes Road speaking for objectors, said he opposed the Holmes Road plan because it would increase traffic on the street as well as the size of vehicles using the road. He said the street would be a bypass for South Street, and run through a residential area. He added that three schools were in the area.

The matter will be aired before the Public Works Committee Tuesday night when public hearings on proposed Chapter 90 projects will be held. A state hearing on the subject is scheduled for tomorrow at 10 a.m. in the Superior Court House.

Public Works Commissioner John F. Daniels said the Holmes Road project had been studied by the state for three years. He said the limit of the new bridge would be 10 tons, and the city could post a lower limit on the bridge if it so desired. He estimated bridge construction at about $100,000.

Any Chapter 90 money left from the Holmes Road program will be used to reconstruct Churchill Street and the Causeway. There is no indication that the Council's move to withhold Chapter 90 funds until after the committee hearing will jeopardize the projects, or the state and county financial participation.

Commissioner Daniels said the Holmes Road project had been decided during the state hearings held in July last year. He said the present $18,000 request for the project was a result of that discussion and had nothing to do with tomorrow's state hearings. He explained tomorrow's hearing was for Chapter 90 projects to be done during 1962.

Daniels Answers Crow

Councilman Crow asked why Hubbard Avenue was not recommended as a Chapter 90 project. Commissioner Daniels said the state would not consider the street because the narrow underpass at the railroad bridge did not conform to Chapter 90 requirements. He said the state will not move in this area unless the railroad indicates it will cooperate in widening the pass.

Other appropriations approved by the Council were $10,726 for final payment of Stearns School construction costs; $3,672 to be added to $6,700 for reconstruction of the railroad footbridge near West Street; $1,600 for transportation accounts in the Health Department; and $1,682 for waterline crossings in Williams Street.

In other business, the Council confirmed the mayoral appointment of Morris Garbowitz of 85 Brown St. as an auxiliary policeman in the Civil Defense Department, and the appointment of Mrs Ernest H. Abbott of 42 Bryant St. as a school crossing guard.

The Council scheduled six public hearings for the next meeting on Sept. 26.

Hearings Set

Hearings will be held on petitions from the Atlantic Refining Co. for storage of 13,550 gallons of inflammable fluids at 339 Tyler St., and from the South Congregational Church for storage of 8,000 of such fluids at 110 South St. Four hearings are on petition from Western Massachusetts Electric Co. and New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. for underground cables in Williams and West streets; pole locations in Williams Street; and an underground transformer vault in Depot Street parking lot. The sixth hearing is on revocation of 17 licenses for sale or storage of inflammables or explosives. The licensees have not renewed the permits.

A long battle for Councilman Scelsi ended last night as the Ordinance and Rules Committee received permission to draw up ordinances for stop signs on Jason Street and Valentine Road at the West Street intersection. Okay for the signs was recently received from the state after a year and a half of fighting for the signs.

Sottile Hits Haughey Record In Appearance Before GGA

In a three-hour session with the Pittsfield Good Government Association last night, Anthony W. Sottile based his bid for mayor on 16 years' experience as city auditor.

"If the city auditor doesn't know how the city runs, who does?" asked the mayoral candidate. "This is the first time Pittsfield has had a candidate who has a knowledge of just how municipal government operates. There is no other person running for office who has the same experience," said Mr. Sottile. He added that this was said "in all modesty."

Speaking before about 35 association members, the candidate said that he had become familiar with every city department while he was auditor from 1938 to 1954. He noted that knowing the financial end of city government was a good base.

Second in Series

This was the second in a series of association interviews with mayoral candidates. After the third session, which will be with Mayor Haughey next Friday, the organization will endorse one mayoral hopeful. The association will announce its choice on Sept. 22 after a board of directors meeting.

Most of the session at the Women's Club last night was devoted to discussion of the tax rate and Sottile felt the recent $1.50 tax various financial matters. Mr. rate decrease did not represent a true picture of the city's financial status.

On the City Hall issue, the candidate favored a new building. He said "City departments are spread all over the city, which is not an efficient way to operate." He was against use of the Post Office as municipal headquarters.

At the same time, Mr. Sottile called for an increase in the role of the Planning Board and Capital Outlay Committee in city planning. He also called for a committee to study high school expansion as well as additional classrooms for other city schools. He said that Pittsfield High School expansion should have been considered when the junior high schools were built. "Where do the children leaving junior high school go when we have a crowded high school now?" he wanted to know.

Attacks Mayor

Mr. Sottile attacked Mayor Haughey for 11th hour appointments. He said the City Council should have at least a week to consider mayoral selections for commissions and committees.

He also hit the incumbent mayor for an "eight per cent across the board pay increase for city employes and extended vacation benefits." Mr. Sottile felt "the little man should receive the largest, relative portion of a pay raise." He explained that city employes at the low end of the pay scale might have received a 15 per cetn increase, while department heads might have received a 15 per cent eight per cent raise for a man making $4,000 a year means an increase of only $320, while the $10,000 a year department head gets $800 on the same percentage wage rise," he said. "The department chief doesn't really need that much, but the lower paid employe does."

"The employe doesn't need the added vacation time," said Mr. Sottile. "He needs more money."

Hits Renewed Delay

Again hitting Mayor Haughey, Mr. Sottile said that urban renewal plans should have been started when the mayor first mentioned the subject back in 1958. He also said that there has to be a Planning Board director before there can be any urban renewal work.

During a question period which followed Mr. Sottiles speech, the candidate suggested a helicoptor port instead of expansion of the airport. "Where are you going to expand the airport?" he said. "You either have to move a mountain or fill a valley. I can't see a $400,000 expenditure when you can not build very far." He also suggested the present facilities be used, with a supplementary shuttle service to Albany or Hartford airports.

The former city auditor said he questioned the legality of providing city funds for development of industrial parks in Pittsfield. He said he would do everything legally possible to aid in bringing industry to Pittsfield if he was elected. "We may have a real industrial problem in four or five years," he said. "We now have Polaris missile contracts, but what happens when those are completed?" He again emphasized the role of the Planning Board in long-range planning, plus planned expenditures.

Favors Present Charter

Answering two other questions from the floor, Mr. Sottile said he favored the present non partisan charter in the city, and would also favor final completion of the city sewer program. "We should go right on through and complete the $10 million project instead of stopping when half finished." He said that by stopping now, only to pick up the project in the future, it might mean that present work would have to be changed in light of new developements. He asked that the project be finished, and said that would be the end of it.

Returning to the tax rate, Mr. Sottile said the city's budget should not be cut to lower the tax rate. He charged that cuts of this type gave a false picture of the city's financial needs. He said that the money will have to be spent during the year, but will come from surplus revenue.

'Out in the Open'

Explaining this point, he said that $196,000 had been cut from the Welfare Department budget this year, which represented a tax rate drop of $1.60. He added that the department had come back for some of the money as early as August, and received it from surplus. "I might use surplus money," he said, "but I would do it right. I would submit a specific order to the Council requesting that so many dollars be taken from surplus to cut the tax rate. This would bring everything out in the open."

Hitting abatements granted North Street property owners, the candidate said city officials knew of the evaluation drop requests before the tax rate was set, but did not grant the relief until after the rate was firm. "These abatements were for 1959 property taxes," Mr. Sottile said. "The $14,000 in tax revenue lost by the city will have to be figured in next year's tax rate."

He again attacked Mayor Haughey for lowering the tax rates in election years.

Candidates For Mayor To Debate Oct. 3

A political debate among the three mayoral candidates came a step closer to reality today as the Egremont Parent-Teacher Association scheduled the event for Oct. 3 at 7:45 p.m. in the Egremont School.

The candidates, Mayor Haughey, Sammy Vincent and Anthony W. Sottile, have agreed to meet with the PTA to discuss campaign issues. Ralph G. Bull, PTA program chairman, said today his committee would meet to determine the session's format and agenda. He said this would be sent to the candidates for approval.

Whether the public will be invited to the session has not yet been discussed by the association. Mr. Bull said there would be a space problem if Pittsfield residents should come to the meeting in any great numbers.

Sottile Criticizes Haughey On Chapter 90 Postponement

Mayoral candidate Anthony W. Sottile attacked the present city administration today for postponing Chapter 90 work this year. He said failure to appropriate funds for such work cut this year's tax rate by 23 cents, but the rate would increase next year by 45 cents when Chapter 90 money was allocated.

"I have stated on previous occasions," said the former city auditor, "that this city administration has always decreased the tax rate in election years and increased the rate in years in which there were no municipal elections."

Public Works Commissioner John F. Daniels said yesterday that because there was no Chapter 90 work this year the city saved up credit that could be used next year. He said a $200,000 program for reconstruction of Holmes Road, plus the Holmes Road bridge; Churchill Street, including the Causeway; and a portion of Crane Avenue could be expected. The city's portion of the total bill would be $56,000, with the state and county paying the difference.

Sottile's Statement

Mr. Sottile's statement follows:

I was amused to read Commissioner Daniels' explanation of Pittsfield's good fortune in obtaining funds for 1962 Chapter 90 projects totaling some $200,000, and that the city's share of these projects would cost the taxpayers about $56,000.

He also told you that the reason for the "bonanza is twofold. One is that the city did not undertake any Chapter 90 work this year, and the other that the city's share of Chapter 90 funds had been increased."

What he didn't tell you was that the County Commissioners, at the request of the present administration, had included in the county's budget for the year 1961, its share (25 per cent) of the cost of Chapter 90 projects. The money was to have been spent on Crane and Hubbard avenues, and Holmes Road. There was no mention made by the administration at that time for the construction of a bridge on Holmes Road.

The postponement of Chapter 90 work by the administration for the year 1961 resulted in a decrease of the tax rate by 23 cents. This same postponement will increase the tax rate for 1962 by 45 cents.

I have stated on previous occasions that this city administration has always decreased the tax rate in election years and increased the tax rate in years in which there is no municipal election. This postponement of Chapter 90 projects is indicative of the type of fence-sitting administration we have been exposed to over the past four years.

Vincent First To Have Papers Certified

Sammy Vincent became the first mayoral candidate today to have 300 nomination signatures certified by the Registrars of Voters.

Mr. Vincent picked up his papers this morning, saying he would probably file with the city clerk's office early next week. Submitting his completed papers with the city clerk would make Mr. Vincent an official mayoral candidate.

Anthony W. Sottile, candidate for mayor, has filed some of his papers with the registrars for certification; while Mayor Haughey, running for a third term, has not filed any papers. Deadline is Sept. 19 at 5 p.m. for candidates for municipal offices to submit their nomination papers to the registrars. All completed papers must be in the hands of the city clerk by 5 p.m. on Sept. 26.

Mr. Vincent was scheduled to speak before the Pittsfield Downtown Association last night, but a mix-up in reservations at the Rosa Restaurant resulted in the association rescheduling the meeting for next Wednesday.

Vincent First Officially in Mayoral Race

Sammy Vincent today became the first official mayoral candidate as he filed completed papers with the city clerk this morning.

The candidate's two opponents, Anthony W. Sottile and Mayor Raymond E. Haughey, have submitted some of their nomination papers to the Registrars of Voters for signature certification. Candidates for citywide offices must have at least 300 signatures of registered voters, certified by the board, before they can become official candidates.

Tomorrow Mr. Vincent is scheduled to meet with Gov. John A. Volpe in Boston. Mr. Vincent said he wants to discuss various Pittsfield problems with the governor.

Saturday night about 250 campaign workers and guests attended a "Vincent for Mayor" dance at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel. The social event was a "good show of strength," said the candidate.

The dance was a fund-raising drive for the Vincent campaign.

City Council To Consider 67 Items

A 67-item agenda is up for City Council action at Tuesday's regular meeting starting at 7:30 p.m. in the District Courthouse.

Of particular interest is the controversial School Building Commission. The Council will make a fourth try to create a commission responsible for construction of 11 new classrooms in three city schools.

Orders from Mayor Haughey establishing the commission and appointing five members to it have been tabled at four special Council meetings. There is no Council objection to the commission as such, but there is opposition to the mayoral appointments.

Scelsi Mum

Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Svelsi is expected to reveal several amendments dealing with the commission membership. The councilman has previously withheld the contents, saying he wished to wait for the meeting of the full Council.

Planned schoolroom additions are for Williams, Allendale, and Hibbard schools. Commission members appointed by the mayor, but not confirmed by the Council are: Donald E. Farr, public buildings superintendent; Dr. Edward J. Russell, school superintendent; Ward 3 Councilman Remo Del Gallo; Ward 3 School Committeeman Donald Welton; and Mrs. John J. Fitzgerald, secretary to Dr. Russell.

In other business, the Council will hold three public hearings. First is on a petition from Martino E. Pullano for reclassification of land bordered by Elm, Day, Mystic and Ashley streets. Mr. Pullano is asking for a zone change from residential to commercial.

Scalise Petitions

Another hearing is on a petition from James Scalise for a zone change for land at the Hathaway-Lyman streets intersection. He is also asking for a change from residential to commercial.

The third hearing is on a Western Massachusetts Electric Co. petition for underground cables on Williams Street.

The Council will also act on a communication from Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan, who is requesting six more patrolmen in the department.

Council consideration will be given a resolution from Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi, who is asking that fallout shelters be exempt from property taxes.

One item under new business on the agenda is a petition from Western Massachusetts Electric Co. for permission to construct a transformer vault beneath the Depot Street parking lot.

City Council Agenda Lengthening

Many Petitions, Orders Filed for Session Tuesday

For the past several days the flow of petitions into the city clerk's office has increased rapidly. City Council consideration will be given the requests at the regular meeting Tuesday night—the first session in the Council's fall schedule.

About 140 Harryel Street-Pine Grove Drive residents have filed a petition asking for sewer extension into the area.

Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo has asked the Council for improved street lighting on Holmes Road between Elm Street and Dawes Avenue.

Dog Injury Claim

Mrs. Howard Reynolds of 70 Pine St. has filed a claim against the city for injuries her dog sustained when he was allegedly hit by a garbage can thrown at the animal by a city garbage collector. She said the dog was napping and started barking when the collector moved the cans. Mrs. Reynolds said the dog is at the vet's with bruised ribs and possible internal injuries. "This was not necessary," she said, "the dog did not bother him."

Another claim has been filed from Sacco's Trucking, 76 Turner Ave. The firm claims that two trucks were damaged when they struck a protruding tree trunk across the road.

The American Legion Post is requesting a Sunday permit for target shooting off Peck's Road.

A public hearing in Boston has been set for Sept. 21 at 10 a.m. in the State House on the request of the New England Power Co. to borrow $20 million on a 30-year first mortgage to cover financial needs. The firm is considered a public utility which is the reason for the hearing.

Other Business

The City Council has been asked to cancel two orders approved in 1914 and 1915 which permitted General Electric to lay water and electric lines in Perrine Avenue. The firm gave the land near Morningside Park to the city several months ago for municipal purposes, making the orders obsolete.

James H. Thayer of the General Electric Co. has filed a petition asking that no parking be allowed on the south side of East Street, a distance of 60 feet west of GE's easterly railroad crossing.

Ward 2 Councilman Raymond E. Crow has petitioned for 1,000-lumen street lights at 16 Lincoln St. and 184 Burbank St.

Ward 5 Councilman Samuel J. Quadrozzi filed three petitions for correction of street drainage problems on South Mountain Road, Harris Street, and Tyler Street.

Ernest St. Peter Seeks Seat in Council, Ward I

Mitchell

Ernest G. St. Peter

Ernest G. St. Peter of 252 Benedict Road formally announced his candidacy for Ward I councilman today on a platform of "better representation."

"I ask the voters of Ward I to take a good look around their area at trees, roads, street lighting, street signs, and crosswalks and ask themselves if they are satisfied that all has been done in the past that could have been done" said Mr. St. Peter. "You, the voters of Ward I, will decide if it is just plain representation you want rather than better representation. I realize Ward I is exceedingly large geographically and heavily populated thus necessitating many problems with individuals and areas.

"In addition to receiving telephone calls from constituents regarding their problems, I plan to hold 'open house' weekly on ward problems and make personal visits from one end of the ward to the other, meeting with residents and talking over questions of mutual concern. Also, I will be available at any time to discuss such problems to be brought up as the campaign progresses."

Mr. St. Peter said his campaign will be managed by James A. Putnam of 605 Tyler St. He has filed his completed nomination papers with the city clerk and is an official candidate. He is running against Ward 1 incumbent Leo B. Nesbit.

The 33-year-old candidate received his education at St. Joseph's High School and served in the United States Coast Guard for three years. He was employed as a milk salesman by the Pittsfield Milk Exchange for five years and for the past eight years has been manager of Tyler Restaurant at 796 Tyler St. He holds memberships in the Knights of Columbus and St. Mary's Holy Name Society. Mr. St. Peter has resided in Pittsfield since early childhood and is married to the former Mary Irene Himmelman. The couple have three children, Stephen 12, Sheila 10, and Susan 5.

Capital [O]utlay Budget Tabled By Council for [F]urther Study

The $231,199 capital outlay appropriation from Mayor Haughey was unexpectedly tabled by the City Council last night for further study.

"I don't believe a member of the City Council has seen a copy of the budget recommended by the mayor and the Capital Outlay Committee," said Councilman-at-Large Roy F. Brown. "I think we should have a chance to study the program."

This followed a motion by Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser to table the budget. The motion carried 9 to 12, with Councilman Donald G. Butler and Raymond E. Crow casting the only negative votes.

Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi asked that a detailed budget be provided the Council. Mr. Brown asked that the outlay committee send a breakdown of the program to every councilman. The issue will be discussed at the next regular Council meeting on June 13.

Damage Payments Voted

In other business, the Council voted indemnification payments to several city employes to settle damages resulting from accidents involving city-owned vehicles. Largest of these was $1,400 for Henry J. Cormier, a Public Works Department employe. The money is to indemify Cormier for settlement of a personal injury claim from James C. Leach. Leach was injured when a sanitation truck, driven by Cormier, skidded and hit Leach's truck.

The Council also approved the taking of land belonging to Mrs. Harold D. Grinnell for widening of the Crofut Street-Pomeroy Avenue intersection.

Two easements were accepted by the Council for surface water drainage facilities. One was on land belonging to Delalba Realty, Inc., on Jayne Avenue, and the other for land owned by Frank Meleca on Nancy Avenue.

Petitions for a study of lighting conditions on Allessio Street between Parkside and Pembroke avenues; and city acceptance of portions of Alba Avenue, Doreen Street, and Bushey Road all were sent to the Public Works Committee for study.

A petition from Frederick W. Royal for correction of flood conditions on the westerly side of Cheshire Road was sent to the Planning Board. The Public Works Committee, reporting on the petition, said that the board still retains the performance bond of the contractor working on Asci Drive, where the flooding allegedly starts.

Other Business

The Planning Board also received a petition from Martin E. Pullano for the rezoning of land off Elm, Day, Mystic, and Ashley streets from R-3 (one- and two-family dwellings) to C-3 (central business). An earlier petition for the reclassification of the same land to C-4 (heavy commercial) was denied by the board. The board recommended that Pullano withdraw the C-4 request and submit a C-3 petition. The board felt that the C-3 zone would be better for the planned reclamation of the area.

An ordinance creating the post of water meter foreman in the water division of the Public Works Department passed its first reading. The Grade 16 position is for a man to supervise the operation of the new $500,000 water telemeter system. The system is used to automatically keep constant pressure in the water mains at about 100 pounds.

Council approval for the acceptance of a portion of Dickenson Avenue under the Betterment Act was granted last night. Total cost of the project is estimated at $6,488, with half the cost to be paid by the street abuttors.

After some discussion, a Public Works Committee report for surface water drainage in Brombach Street was sent to the mayor for consideration. The committee recommended that the petition for the work should be placed in next year's capital outlay budget. But many of the councilmen felt that because the petition had been on the books since 1956, it should be sent to the mayor for study.

Volpe Signs Tenure Bill For Two Employes of City

Gov. Volpe yesterday signed into law two bills affecting the tenure of City Hall employes. They were finally enacted in the last hour of the 1961 legislative session which was concluded last Saturday night.

One bill gives City Auditor John J. Norton life tenure in office. But the life job must first be approved by popular vote at the polls in November.

The other one sets up a five-year term of office for Mrs. Florence Mullaney, office supervisor for the Board of Voter Registrars. This bill requires only the approval of the mayor and City Council but all councilmen and Mayor Haughey have long since given their approval. They signed the petition when it was filed at the State House early in February.

Mrs. Mullaney has been subject to annual reappointment of the Board of Registrars. This measure would give her tenure at least through 1964 when she is eligible for retirement after 20 years of service. Under this bill her term would be up in January, 1966.

Job Tenure Bills Speeded

Two bills giving Pittsfield city employes job tenure are being sped through the legislative mills at the State House as the legislature prepares to quit for the year.

One would give City Auditor John J. Norton life tenure providing a majority of voters in the November elections this year approve of the proposal.

The other would give Mrs. Florence W. Mullaney tenure as office supervisor for the Board of Registrars of Voters through 1965. Her name comes up for appointment each year. The bill for Mrs. Mullaney does not call for popular approval because it is not for life tenure.

Both measures refer specifically to the incumbents, not to their offices in general. Thus, those who would succeed them in office would have to conform to the existing ordinances covering their tenure. The city auditor comes up for reappointment every two years.

Both measures previously were approved, informally, by Mayor Haughey and all members of the City Council.

City Vacation Plan 6/5/61

To the Editor of THE EAGLE:—

Let us have *The Eagle* report what actually took place at Friday's [June 2] City Council meeting.

After Mayor Haughey's vacation plan for city employes was presented, the president of the Council asked if there was any discussion. I stated I would like to amend the proposed ordinance. The mayor asked if he could present his reasons for the ordinance change and was granted this courtesy. When the mayor finished his presentation, I moved that the mayor's proposal be amended (as was stated in *The Eagle* [June 3]. My motion was then open for discussion.

Councilman DelGallo then spoke and gave his reasons for opposing my motion and supporting the mayor's proposal. After the councilman finished, the mayor vigorously and openly applauded.

It was this grandstand play and attempt at persuasion by the mayor that promoted my intimation that the mayor was trying to influence the vote of city employes. I stated that I was in favor of more vacation time and more pay for city employes, not for the reason of capturing their votes but due solely to the fact they are underpaid.

Mayor Haughey then rebutted my intimation and spoke as quoted in *The Eagle*, with one exception, this being that he would gladly accept my placing his name in nomination for mayor. My rebuttal to the mayor, which *The Eagle* did not report, was that the reason for my making the statement was due to the mayor's applauding Councilman DelGallo's stand. In my 14 years on the City Council, this was the first time that I have ever witnessed the public applauding of a councilman by any mayor or department head because of his agreement with him.

I would like to add that I voted against the ordinance, not because I am against further vacation allowances, but because I think that four weeks' vacation for 10 years' service is out of line.

ROY F. BROWN.
Councilman at Large.
Pittsfield.

Correspondence to this column on topics of public interest is welcome. Communications, particularly if over 200 words, are subject to condensation. Letters must bear a genuine signature.

Capital Outlay Committee Approves $231,000 Budget 5/15/61

The Capital Outlay Committee's report to Mayor Haughey today approved expenditures for 1961, totaling $231,199. This is about $5,000 more than was finally adopted last year.

The committee suggested that the Public Works Department receive $211,800 for its program, while the Parks and Recreation Department should get $15,024, and the Public Buildings Department, $4,295.

Mayor Haughey is expected to approve the committee's report, appropriate the money, and send the budget to the Council for action.

Two items of interest approved in the Public Works budget were reconstruction of the Tamarack-South Mountain roads intersection, estimated at $7,500, and repair of the foot bridge across the B&A Railroad tracks near West Street, estimated at $6,700.

Park Jobs Approved

The Parks and Recreation Department received almost all its requests. The committee approved $2,500 for a basketball court on the Common. Some $3,450 was okayed for improvement of Springside Park, including construction of a family picnic area in the northeast section of the park. Some $850 went to the improvement of the Crane wading pool, while $3,588 was approved for bettering the parking facilities at the Pontoosuc Lake park, and $3,836 for the development of the Lakewood Playground to include construction of backstops for the baseball fields.

The Park Department also had approved $800 for improvement of the Onota Lake fishing pier. A petition with about 418 signatures had been presented with this budget item by the department.

The Public Buildings Department had $2,100 approved for construction of three gasoline engine storage buildings, plus $1,095 for blacktopping of the Crane School area, and $1,100 for installation of exhaust systems at the municipal garage.

Other Items

The approved Public Works budget items include: street resurfacing of Fourth Street, $15,750; for Linden Street, $4,950; for Clapp Avenue, $7,500; sidewalk construction for Madison Avenue, $666; for Williams School, $2,300; for Elm Street, $754; for Woodlawn Avenue, $1,500; for the Common, $1,160; water extension for Barker Road, $3,300; for Exeter Avenue, $3,200; and for Club Circle, $1,200; sewer extension for Westchester Avenue, $800; and for Bryan Street, $4,400.

Also included were stump removal, $5,000; Plinn Street construction, $2,000; and Ctiy Yard fence construction, $3,800. Some $50,000 was approved for capital outlay labor, and $52,000 for equipment replacement.

Good Government Assn. To Hear Mayor Tonight

Mayor Raymond L. Haughey will address the Pittsfield Good Government Association tomorrow evening at 7:30 at the Girls Club. The meeting will be open only to association members and representatives of the press and radio.

This will be the third meeting scheduled by the nonpartisan organization to discuss issues and qualifications with the mayoralty candidates. Sammy Vincent and Anthony W. Sottile have previously spoken to the association.

Bernard J. Murphy, association president, said that the meeting with Mayor Haughey will follow the same procedures used in the other sessions. The mayor will be given one hour to talk on any subjects, and then a question period will follow.

The Good Government Association will announce its endorsement for mayor on Friday, Sept. 22 at a membership meeting. Mr. Murphy said that all members will be canvassed this weekend to determine their preference. Under the association's bylaws, the final decision will be made by a vote of the 12 directors.

Council in Initial Approval Of Stepped-Up Vacation Plan 6/3/61

Charges and rebuttals flew between Councilman-at-large Roy F. Brown and Mayor Haughey last night before the Council passed, for a first reading, a city-employe vacation ordinance.

Councilman Brown said that the mayor was politicking by submitting such a generous vacation proposal for the employes.

"The city employes are a large block of votes," said Councilman Brown, "and the mayor is trying to favor the employes to get their vote. I wouldn't want to have to get votes that way."

"That I would ingratiate the city employes," rebutted Mayor Haughey, "is totally out of order. Councilman Brown has brought politics into this meeting and I resent it. The councilman is assuming that I am a candidate for reelection. I would hope he would allow me to make my own announcement at a future date."

Faster Steps Up

The attacks started when the mayor's vacation plan for city employes was presented to the Council. The ordinance calls for two weeks' vacation for employes with between one and five years' service; three weeks for those with 5 to 10 years' employment; and four weeks for those with over 10 years' service. The present ordinance calls for two weeks' vacation for 1 to 15 years' service, and three weeks for more than 15 years.

Councilman Brown, emphasizing that he favored more vacation time for the employes, submitted an amendment to the mayor's plan. The Brown amendment, defeated 8 to 2, called for two weeks' leave from 1 to 10 years with an additional day for each year of service over 10 years. Three weeks' vacation would be allowed for those with 15 years' service, plus an additional day for each year between 15 and 20 years. Only Councilman Brown and Scelsi voted for the amendment.

Another Plan Rejected

Another amendment, calling for four weeks' vacation after 15 instead of 10 years was defeated, 7 to 3. Ward 4 Councilman John Burbank proposed the amendment. Councilmen Burbank, Brown and Scelsi voiced yeas.

Before first-reading passage, the matter of police and fire coverage during the vacation period was questioned. Councilman Brown said that police and fire coverage might be thinner for a longer period if added vacation time were approved. He noted that Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan had been requesting more men for some time. "If he's short-handed now," said the councilman, "he will be more so if we extend vacations."

Mayor Haughey said that Pittsfield's crime record should be considered, not the number of men. He said that the city has a clean record, and if it changes, then it would be time to consider adding to the force.

To Suggest Raises

The mayor said he plans to submit his city employe pay-raise request to the Council at the June 13 meeting.

"It's a miracle,' 'said the mayor, "how some of our employes manage to live on such low pay. I hope we can give them a living wage." He added that the increased vacation and pay benefits would be an incentive for more "good people to work for the city."

The mayor's plan calls for a two-grade increase for all city employes, except School Department personnel and unclassified employes, such as the city physician, mayor, and councilmen. About 525 employes would be affected. The pay raise, if approved, is scheduled for Aug. 1.

Six Local Persons On Civil Service Lists

Special to THE EAGLE 6/5/61

BOSTON — State Civil Service today certified 42 men in the state Public Works Department as eligible for promotion to fill 30 vacancies as junior civil engineer at $111.75 per week.

Those in this area included William S. Litty of 16 Chester St., and H. Lee Stern of P.O. Box 233, both of Pittsfield.

James J. Archey of 228 Union St. and Philip B. Messer of 19 Alcove St., both of Pittsfield, passed an examination Dec. 29 for seasonal recreation leader.

George T. Farley of 113 Brown St., Pittsfield, passed an examination the same day for leader of recreation athletics.

Penny J. Fall of 335 Holmes Road, Pittsfield, passed another examination that day for the same post.

Mayor Asks Additional Meter Man

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Mayor Haughey filed order today requesting appropriations totaling $1,944, plus a $500 fund transfer within the Fire Department. The orders will be considered by the Council at Tuesday night's special session.

A mayoral request for $1,694 is for an additional parking meter service employe. Mayor Haughey explained that because of the new meters in the Depot Street lot, an additional employe will be needed to help maintain all city meters. The money, from parking meter receipts, will cover the employe's salary for the remainder of the year.

Mayor Haughey also has requested an additional sum of $250 to pay a temporary plumbing inspector during the present inspector's vacation. Some $150 had been earmarked for this purpose in the budget, but, with the enactment of the city employe vacation ordinance, the present inspector receives four weeks' leave instead of a two-week vacation.

The transfer of $500 within the Fire Department is for equipment repairs. The money is from the forest fire account.

In other business, the mayor appointed Mrs. Helen D. Arienti of 72 Oswald Ave. as a school crossing guard at the West Housatonic Street - Lebanon Avenue intersection.

Ruberto Criticizes Mayor On Unfilled Registrar Post

Anthony J. Ruberto, chairman of Republican City Committee, complained today that a vacancy on the Board of Registrars of Voters created last April by the death of F. Harris Ray, has gone unfilled.

"I certainly hope," the GOP chairman said, "that Mayor Haughey has not held up this appointment for political reasons, or as a political payoff to insure support in the coming city elections."

Ruberto said he had received many calls from Republican voters asking why the Harris Ray seat has not been filled.

"I had every confidence that the appointment would be on tonight's agenda," Ruberto said, "but as of this morning this item was most conspicuous by its absence. It now appears that it will not be filled until after election."

Cites Law

Atty. Ruberto said the law regarding the appointment of registrars is clear. It states that an equal representation as to political party affiliation is to be maintained on the four-member board, two Democrats, two Republicans.

"The existing condition does not make for a healthy situation," Chairman Ruberto declared, "particularly in view of the pending special election for a state senator which is being conducted on party lines. And it becomes even more significant when you consider that in Pittsfield this balloting for state senator will be by paper ballot instead of machine. In the event of an appeal or a recount, the Board of Registrars takes over, and it is now lop-sidedly Democrat."

Ruberto said that the Republican City Committee is not following the policy of the Democratic City Committee in recommending the appointment of a particular person.

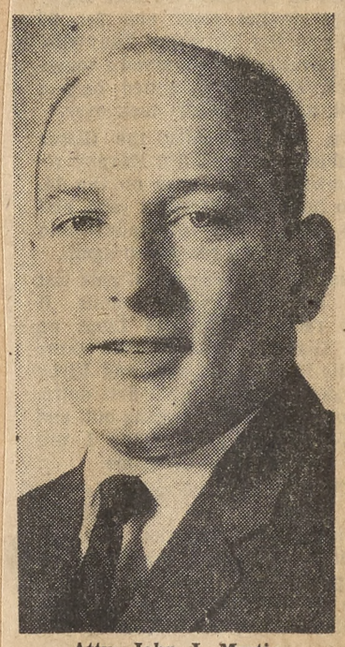
"We are interested only," he said, "in seeing that the law on filling vacancies to the board is followed in the interests of fairness and equity."

Atty. Martin In Council Race at Large

Praises City, Fires Shot at 'Prophets of Doom'

Taking the optimistic approach, Atty. John J. Martin announced his candidacy for a councilman-at-large seat today.

After watching my fellow candidates for municipal offices put forth their views and criticisms I begin to wonder whether or not we are living in the same community. The good citizens of Pittsfield have been hearing and reading nothing but derogatory remarks about every facet of our municipal activity. I cannot believe that our fair city is



Atty. John J. Martin

in as bad a condition as these "Prophets of doom and gloom" would have us believe.

I am a native and life-long resident of Pittsfield and am satisfied that I live in a healthy, progressive, up-to-date community and it is my earnest desire to lend a hand in preserving this condition. If we were to attempt to carry out all projects proposed as urgent we would fall into a bottomless pit of overtaxation and irreparable damage to any well-planned long-range development of our city. I believe wholeheartedly in the future of Pittsfield but I certainly am not blind to the fact that some problems do exist and some changes should be made.

Let's give ourselves and our city officials credit for the progress we have made over the years. We have an excellent police force and fire department who both can justly boast an excellent record for work well done. Our school system might always find it has room for improved facilities, but we have managed to stay reasonably in pace with the demand for new schools. Our High School should be our next concern and I will work to see that its expansion is effected. In conjunction with this I shall at a future date set forth a proposal to provide an enlarged vocational or technical school which would supply local industry with trained machinists, toolmakers, repairmen, and many other necessary technicians.

I humbly offer to the voters a knowledge of municipal affairs and a sincere desire to insure our present orderly growth. I feel certain my legal education will be of value if I am fortunate enough to be elected to the City Council. Today's demand for expansion guarantees continued legal hassles at our Council Meetings. Zoning changes and variances are most important to our urban renewal and we cannot afford to make mistakes in this area.

I solicit the support and vote of every citizen who feels as proud of Pittsfield as I do and who has a desire to see us grow with the times to maintain and further our position as one of the best cities in Massachusetts.

Ran For Representative

At 28 years old, Mr. Martin has won the Republican nomination for state representative from the 3rd Berkshire District last year, but lost the election to Rep. Patrick E. Callaghan. He recently withdrew from the special senate race, and was formerly associated with the law firm of Conte & Shaker. He now has his own law office at 29 Wendell Ave.

Married to the former Roberta A. Clark. Mr. Martin graduated from St. Joseph's High School in 1951; University of Massachusetts in 1955; and Boston University Law School in 1958. He is one of three lawyers to be interviewed on Sept. 22 for Berkshire County public defender.

He is a member of the Knights of Columbus, a director of Hillcrest Hospital, and a member of the St. Charles Holy Name Society. He lives at 39 Commonwealth Ave.

Benedetti's Request Held For Study

Seeks Appointment As Director of Physical Education

The School Committee last night referred to the teachers' committee for further study a request from Rudolph Benedetti, a Pittsfield High School physical education teacher, that he be appointed head of the physical education department at the High School.

There are two persons in the department. The regular differential for a department head is $1,000. The position has been vacant since the retirement of John T. Carmody on Nov. 1, 1957.

Committeeman John J. Quinn asked, "Is there any reason why the position can't be filled now, without further study?"

Committeeman Robert N. Hart replied that he, for one, had several questions about filling it. He questioned the need of someone to co-ordinate a teaching program between two persons. He wanted to know how extensive the intramural program of athletics is. He said that when the previous occupant retired the position entailed more scope than it does now.

Hart Answers Overlock

Chairman Joseph W. Overlock questioned the propriety of appointing Mr. Benedetti without asking for applicants. Mr. Hart, however, said the only other teacher in the local system qualified is a beginning teacher, and that Mr. Benedetti would seem to be the person to get the job, if anyone gets it.

A letter was received from Principal Harold E. Hennessy urging that the position be filled. He cited a survey of the local high school done last fall by the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools that listed deficiencies in the physical education program.

In another matter bearing on athletics, Chairman Joseph W. Overlock appointed a committee to study the possibility of creating a position of director of athletics in the Pittsfield schools. This had been voted down during the summer by the committee. It had been petitioned by Nicholas J. Morris, former high school football and baseball coach, who has asked to be appointed to such a position. At last month's meeting the matter was revived, over some protest, in the form of a study committee.

Appointed were Roger E. O'Gara, sports editor of The Eagle, Edward H. Toole, Springfield Union sports writer for the Berkshire area; Mr. Hennessy; Edwin R. Grady Jr., supervisor of physical education in the junior high schools; Richard A. Murphy of E. D. Jones; and Edward T. O'Neill of GE.

Daniel Casey To Run for City Council

Former Councilman, House Member Seeks At-Large Seat

Daniel Casey of 662 Peck's Road, a former member of the City Council, School Committee, and

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Daniel Casey

state House of Representatives, has decided to resume his political career as a candidate for councilman at large.

In formally announcing his candidacy today, he said that one reason he wanted to return to the Council was to "do something about correcting the deplorable condition of many of our streets and highways."

"I'll have more to say on this later," Casey declared, "but anyone who knows me knows that I am no chair-warmer and that I have a reputation for getting things done."

Started in Ward I

Casey began his political career with his election in 1934 as councilman from Ward I. After a two-year term he captured an at-large seat in the 1937 and 1939 elections. When a vacancy occurred in the School Committee in 1940, he was elected the Ward 7 representative. Various legal opinions were given at the time, but the state attorney general ruled that he could hold both the School Committee and Council seats, which he did until 1942 when his terms expired and he was defeated for mayor by James Fallon.

It was also in 1942 that Casey was elected to the state legislature and served continuously in the House until 1950 when he was beaten by Rep. John J. Dwyer. Remaining in Boston, he was appointed director of dairying and animal husbandry in the state Agriculture Department by Gov. Dever. In 1954 a change in state administration placed a new director in the department. He made an unsuccessful run for the state Senate in 1938, the House in 1954 and councilman at large in 1955.

Married and the father of eight sons and daughters, Casey operated a successful dairy farm for many years on Peck's Road.

Leon McCluskey In Ward 7 Council Race

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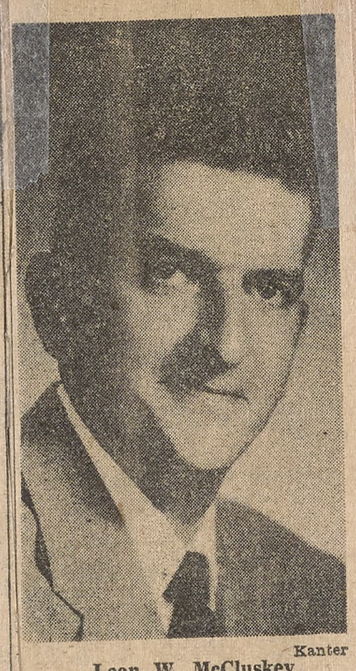

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Leon W. McCluskey

Leon McCluskey, 29, of 27 Clarendon St. officially announced his candidacy today for the Ward 7 City Council seat.

"I was born and have lived my entire life in Ward 7," said Mr. McCluskey, "and so I know the needs and wants of my neighbors. We have progressed under our former councilmen and councilwomen, but there is still a vast amount of work to be done, and I intend to accomplish this if elected."

Mr. McCluskey is the fourth candidate for the Ward 7 Council seat. Opposing him will be Thomas W. Coughlin, George J. Blaszkiewicz, and William A. Bunt. Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser is expected to run for an at-large position.

Names Comanagers

Mr. McCluskey has named Robert W. Keach of 23 Peck's Road and Mrs. Branislaw E. Trzcinka of 42 Clarendon St. as comanagers of his campaign. Mr. Keach is recording secretary of the Bus Drivers' Union. According to Mr. McCluskey, Mrs. Trzcinka has been active in politics for more than 30 years. He said he would have more to say as the campaign progresses.

A 1950 graduate of Pittsfield High School, the candidate is a steward of IUE Local 255 at General Electric. He is employed in the receiving section and has nine years' service with GE. This is his first political venture. He is married and the father of two children.

Mr. McCluskey has also been a steward of the Hod Carriers and Laborers' Union.

Coughlin Gives Views on Pay Increases

Thomas J. Coughlin, a candidate for the Ward 7 City Council seat, said last night that he will be "conscience bound" to look "with favor" on city employe pay and fringe benefit requests as long as present-day high cost of living conditions prevail.

He told a gathering of women campaign workers at the home of Mrs. William Greene, 15 Orlando Ave., that a question has come as to his sentiment on working and pay conditions for city employes.

"As a matter of fact," he said, "I have to make this stand now because there has been a rumor circulated among city employes that I am against pay raises for municipal workers. This is absurd because as a married man with four children, as a former city employe, and as a home owner I believe I have a rather complete understanding of the city's employe's problems."

MacWhinnie Named LBL Head For '61 Season

3/2/61

The Pittsfield Little Baseball League elected Harry MacWhinnie president for the 1961 season Tuesday night at a meeting at the Springside House. John C. Marchesi was elected secretary and Vincent J. Hebert, treasurer.

The directors are: Robert Boyer, Louis Gasson, Chester Molkoski, Walter Janis, Gordon Dennis, John R. Connolly, Francis E. McDonald, Walter J. Pictrowski, Francis J. Shults and Louis Giovanetti.

Drawing Nets $72 For Little League Team

Mrs. Arthur J. Mickle of 372 Peck's Road won a ham, Miss Nancy Buzzanco of 39 John St. a basket, and Frank Forkey of 45 Winter St. a box of candy at a drawing conducted by the Firemen's Auxiliary recently.

The sum of $72 was realized for the Fire Department North Little League team.

LL Candidates To Register For Season

4/14/61

Registration for the Pittsfield Little Baseball League will be held tomorrow morning at 10 and Monday night at 6 at the following locations: West League, Clapp Park; North League, Wahconah Park; South League, Deming Park and East League, Allendale School.

Try-outs for each league will be specified at a later date.

North LBL Reopens Registration

4/18/61

There will be additional registration for the North Little Baseball League tomorrow morning at 10 at Waheonah Field.

There are 36 openings in the league, and only 38 boys have registered to date. Last year there were 129 candidates.

South LL Lists Tryout Dates

5/3/61

Tryout dates for the South Little Baseball League were announced today by President Gordon Dennis.

All practices will be at Deming Field, starting at 6 o'clock. The slate: 11- and 12-year-olds, tonight; 10-year-olds, tomorrow; and 9-year-olds, Friday.

NLL Completes Player Draft For Season

5/3/61

The North Little Baseball League recently completed its player draft for the 1961 season.

This year's officers include: Walter (Iggy) Janis, president; Chester (Mike) Molkoski, vice president; James Collins, secretary; Edward Gavin, treasurer and Arthur Gwinnell, players' agent.

The draft list:

ROYAL DISCOUNT STORES—John Kinnas and Larry Mullett, coaches; John Baker, Jeff Griffith, John Reed, Dave Pierce, Tom Naughton, Larry Mullett.

PITTSFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT—John Shults and Bill Mason, coaches; Dave LaRochelle, Dick Carpenter, Gerry DiCicco, Pete Holby, Bill Dunsmore.

PITTSFIELD CO-OPERATIVE BANK—John Lander and Leo Kruczkowski, coaches; Brian Keegan, Bob Stanger, Dick Fetridge, Dan Pero, Bill Lander, Vin Marinaro.

FABULOUS ZAYRES—Gerry Hebert and Bryan Jones, coaches; Tom Scagliarini, Tom Lacy, Pete Downey, Bob Kelly, Russ Stanger, Joe Cartier.

COLT INSURANCE AGENCY—Don Stanton and Ray Bradford, coaches; Kevin O'Hara, Bob Tenney, Jim Tenney, Tony Parise, Terry Yon, Ronnie Jackackey.

NICHOLS BROTHERS—William Beaudin and Harold Ruel, coaches; Mark Guild, Marc Kellogg, Dave Radke, Jim Comalli, Steve Ruel, Craig Demarsico, John Giguere, Dick Guild.

LLs Announce Tryout Dates

4/20/61

East, West, South Plan Practices For the Weekend

Tryout dates for candidates for the, East West and South Little Baseball Leagues were announced today.

The East drills will be held at the Brown Street Field under the direction of player agent Bill Herman. The dates are as follows: eight and none-year-olds, Saturday morning at 10; 10-year-olds Saturday afternoon at 2; 11 and 12-year olds, Saturday morning, April 29.

Additional practice times will be announced within several days.

Francis McDonald , president of the West League, said the trunout for registration has been poor. So officials have decided to continue it up to the time tryouts start. Boys between 8 and 12 may register at the opening drills.

West candidates should report at Clapp Park on this schedule: 11 and 12-year-olds, Saturday morning at 10; Saturday, April 29 at 10; Monday night, May 1 at 6; 10-year-olds, Saturday afternoon at 1; Saturday afternoon, April 29 at 1; Tuesday night, May 2 at 6; 8 and 9-year-olds, Saturday afternoon at 3; Saturday afternoon, April 29 at 3; and Wednesday night, May 3 at 6.

Ninety-two have registered for the South tryouts. The opening drills by age brackets will be held at Deming Field as follows: 11 and 12-year-olds, Saturday morning at 10;; 10-year-olds, Monday night at 6; eight and none-year-olds, Tuesday night at 6.

Additional registration for South League candidates will be held at Deming Field tonight at 6.

Eight-Year-Olds Ruled Ineligible for LL Play

5/3/61

Eight-year-old boys are ineligible for Little Baseball League tryouts, according to word received here from the national office of the activity in Williamsport, Pa.

Gordon Dennis, president of the South Little League, disclosed this morning a new rule provides that boys who will attain the age of nine prior to August 1 are eligible. These boys are listed as nine-year-olds.

All who will not become nine until after that date are considered eight-year-olds, and must wait until next year to try out for the league.

Dennis estimated about 30 boys are affected in his league. They have been practicing for more than a week. In the city, approximately 100 eight-year-olds will have to be excused until 1962.

South LL Selects Players for 1961

The South Little Baseball League recently completed selection of new players for the 1961 season.

The league also settled its practice dates for the season. Practices will be held at the Deming Little League Park.

The team and players:

CITY SAVINGS: Michael Carity, Gary Grogan, Fred Salamone, Jeff Wheelock, Peter Sheran, Charles Salley.

BERKSHIRE TRUST: Tony Stracuzzi, Robert Cella, Edward Paris, John Hayes, David Lamont.

OPTIMIST CLUB: James Babdonas, Dennis Andreas, Stephen Ricciarini, Gary Hynes, Ermino Barbalunga, John Marshall.

ED JOHNSON's: Bruce Traparri, Duncan McDonald, Joseph Cassidy, Cornelius Carmody, Russell Hayn, George Nagelschmidt, Chris Connally, Daniel Congdon.

ELKS: Ken Staples, Gary McConnell, David Stetson, Gary Murphy, Richard Plankey, Daniel Donegan.

CRESCENT CREAMERY: Paul Augenstein, Michael Milukas, Robin Maynard, Bill Chase, James Elser, Stephen Graves.

Practice Sessions:

Date	Time	Team
May	p.m.	
16	6	Berkshire Trust
17	6	Crescent Creamery
18	6	Elks
19	6	City Savings
May	a.m.	
20	10	Ed Johnson's
	p.m.	
20	1	Optimist Club
	a.m.	
21	10	Berkshire Trust
	p.m.	
21	1	City Savings
22	6	Elks
23	6	Ed Johnson's
24	6	Optimists
25	6	Crescent Creamery
26	6	Berkshire Trust

East League Selects 30 New Players

5/6/61

Choices Are Made After Several Weeks of Tryouts

Thirty new candidates have been chosen by the coaches of six East Little Baseball League teams following several weeks of practice.

Ninety-eight reported for the trials.

The list by teams is as follows:

CURLETTI'S SUPERMARKET — Caleb Mitchell, James DiNicola, Robert Lucaroni, William DiNicola, Jeffrey Horn.

McDONALD'S DRIVE-IN—Drew Pazsit, Joseph Barbarotta, Marvin Freadman, Robert Papalo, Michael Perkins, Patrick Herman.

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC SHOP—David Pelletier, David Lusignan, Douglas Hebler, Dennis Ryan, Thomas Wood.

MOLDMASTER ENGINEERING—Tom Marano, David Carmel, Jay Allen, Carter Stone, Joseph Perkins.

BESSE-CLARKE — James McManama, Thomas Ellis, Michael Barrington, John McHugh, Mark Denno.

WESTERN MASS. SUPPLY CO.—Andy Sincere, James Sincere, James Wagstaff, Dino Dilomasso.

Little League Mothers To Meet Wednesday

Mothers of the West End Little League members will meet Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. at Springside House, it was announced today by Mrs. Jasper DiMartino. Mothers of all team members are invited.

West LL Picks New Recruits For Season

5/12/61

The West Side Little Baseball League recently completed the selection of new players for the 1961 season.

Practice dates may be had by calling Hillcrest 3-0763.

The teams and players are:

EAGLES—Mike O'Donnell, Joe Mendoncha, Albert Dowling, Bruce Rivers, James Schermerhorn, Dave Allegrone, Kim Loveless.

GOYETTE'S MARKET—James Latimer, Jack Giftos, John Ciliberti, Steve Nash, Brian Pinsonneault, James Harrison.

UNION FEDERAL—Tony DeMartino, Larry Utzig.

CIVITAN—Edward McMahon, Francis Ricchi, David Dallmeyer, Paul Sottile, Warren Gariepy, James Whitfield.

M. & B. ELECTRIC—Dean Nikitas, Gene Kraay, James Hollister, James Hill, William Carlo, James Beraldi.

GULF OIL—R. Bandurski, Joseph Phillips, Mike Loomis, Joseph Albano Jr., Andy Coty.

Mark Danforth Has 7 RBIs; His Team Loses

6/3/61

Goyette Brothers first baseman Mark Danforth hit a grand slam home run and a three-run homer for a total of seven RBIs but his team still lost 11-10 to the Civitan team in a West Little League game last night at Clapp Field. Tony Gibson of Civitan had a home run and two singles for four RBIs.

Dick L'Hote pitched a three hitter in the South League at Deming Field as Ed Johnson's topped the Elks 8-3. Losing pitcher Dale Stetson struck out 12 of the Johnson batters.

In the North League at Wahconah Field Don Gattaso of the Pittsfield Fire Department pitched a three-hitter against the Royal Discount Store but lost 3-1. The firemen made seven safeties.

The scores:

WEST

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, 3b, c	4	3	4	8	0	0
Parise, ss	2	2	0	1	1	0
Lombard, p, 3b	3	3	2	1	3	1
Gibson, p	4	2	3	1	0	0
Goyette, 2b	4	0	2	0	0	0
Simonelli, p, c	3	0	0	1	3	0
Winters, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Ricchi, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sottile, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Dallmeyer, 1b	1	0	0	5	0	0
McMahon, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Witfield, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	27	11	12	18	7	2

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Matovack, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Clifford, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Giffbo, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patel, 2b	3	2	0	2	2	0
Litano, 3b	4	2	1	0	1	0
Danforth, 1b	3	3	2	5	0	0
Latimer, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gleason, c	4	1	2	8	0	0
Mole, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Nash, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Dripps, cf	2	1	1	0	0	1
xPinsonneault	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kozack, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	27	10	7	15	5	1

Civitan	340	22—11
Goyette Bros.	013	501—10

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RBI—Danforth 7, Nash 1, Gleason 1, Gibson 4, Lombard 2, Goyette 5. 2B—Gallagher 1, Lombard 2, Goyette 1. HR—Danforth 2, Gibson 1. SB—Simonelli 2, Winters 1. LOB—Civitan 7, Goyette Bros. 7. BB—Simonelli 7, Kozack 6. SO—Simonelli 6, Kozack 8, Lombard 1. HO—Simonelli, 7 in 5 2-3; Kozack, 12 in 3. HBP—Simonelli (Danforth, Latimer). W—Simonelli. L—Kozack. U—Knappe, Mason, Janis. T—1h, 45m.

SOUTH

ED JOHNSON'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ireland, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
M. Connolly, 1b	3	2	0	2	0	0
Trapani, 3b	4	1	0	0	2	0
L'Hote, p	3	3	2	1	0	1
Codding, cf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Cassidy, ss	3	1	0	0	0	0
Carmody, c	2	0	0	13	1	1
Boyer, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Nagelschmidt, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Condon, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hayn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Connolly, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	8	3	18	4	2

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Staples, ss	3	0	0	1	1	2
Barnini, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Best, 1b	4	0	1	3	0	1
Stetson, p	3	1	2	0	1	0
Robinson, c	1	0	0	12	1	0
McConnell, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ranka, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Dennis, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
MacDonald, 3b	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lyons, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
zzPlankey	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzzMurphy	0	0	0	0	0	0
zDonegan	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	3	3	18	3	5

Ed Johnson's	014	030—8
Elks	010	020—3

zz—Batted for Ranka in 6th.
zzz—Batted for Dennis in 6th.
z—Batted for MacDonald in 6th.

RBI—L'Hote 3, Cassidy, Boyer 2, Best. SB—Staples, MacDonald. LOB—Ed Johnson's 5, Elks 9. BB—Stetson 4, L'Hote 9. SO—Stetson 12, L'Hote 12. PB—Carmody 2. W—L'Hote. L—Stetson. U—Villanova and Croce. T—1h, 50m.

NORTH

ROYAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, ss	2	1	1	1	0	1
Baker, cf, lf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Hebert, ss	2	1	1	2	0	1
Furlano, 1b	0	0	0	3	0	1
Brown, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wilks, c	2	0	1	9	1	0
Mullett, lf, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Griffith, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reid, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fiorzyk	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boland	2	0	0	1	2	0
	19	3	3	18	3	3

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Holby, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
DiCicco, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Densmore, cf, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. LaRochelle, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Gattaso, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Watroba, c	3	1	1	9	2	0
Fiegal, rf	3	0	2	1	0	0
Koldys, 3b	3	0	2	0	0	0
LeBlanc, ss	3	0	0	0	0	2
Rembish, 1b	3	0	0	2	0	1
Denno, 2b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Enright, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	27	1	7	15	5	3

Royal	000	21 —3
PFD	000	001—1

RBI—Herbert, Furlano. 2B—Koldys. 3B—Paris. SB—Baker, Hebert, Wilks. SAC—Furlano. LOB—Royal 5, PFD 6. BB—Gattaso 4. SO—Brown 9, Gattaso 8. U—Hart and Santolin. T—1h, 10m.

Civitan Beats Gull's 8-2

6/8/61

Royal Discount, Elks Take Easy LL Victories

The Civitan team of the West Little League rallied for four runs in the fifth inning and two in the sixth to break up a 2-2 tie and go on to an 8-2 victory over Gull Oil and Coal last night at Clapp Field. Tony Gibson allowed only four hits and got the win. Chris Gallagher was the offensive star with three hits including a double.

In a North League game at Wahconah Field Royal Discount took a commanding lead and went on to win 12-6 over Colt Insurance. Royal catcher John Wilk had a perfect night with four hits in four trips, one a double. Pete McCumiskey had two hits for the losers.

A seven-run fourth inning, sparked by Greg Best's grand slam homer, was instrumental in giving the Elks an easy 11-2 triumph over Crescent Creamery in a South League game at Deming Field. The fourth-inning rally started after the first two batters were out.

The scores:

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, 3b	4	1	3	1	0	0
Parise, ss	3	0	0	0	1	0
Lombard, cf	3	1	1	1	1	0
Gibson, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Goyette, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	1
Simonelli, c	1	2	0	12	0	0
Dallmeyer, 1b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Sottile, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Winters, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Witfield, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Ricchi, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
	23	8	5	18	4	1

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connors, 3b, p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Buckley, ss	3	0	2	2	2	0
Hermanski, p, c	3	1	0	4	1	0
Albano, 1b	1	1	0	1	1	0
Makes, c, 3b	3	0	2	10	2	1
Williams, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
R. Bandurski, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Martin, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Knappe, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Coty, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Loomis, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
West, 2b	2	0	0	6	1	0
Phillips, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	4	18	8	2

Civitan	020	042—8
Gull Oil & Coal	200	000—2

RBI—Makes 2, Lombard 2, Gibson. 2B—Gallagher, Lombard, Gibson. SB—Sottile, Albano. LOB—Civitan 3, Gull Oil & Coal 5. BB—Gibson 3, Hermanski 8, Connors 1. SO—Gibson 12, Hermanski 9, Connors 1. HO—Gibson, 4 in 6; Hermanski, 5 in 5; Connors, 0 in 1. W—Gibson. L—Hermanski. U—Kruger and Schilling. T—1h, 55m.

Scorers' Class Set Tonight At 7:30

5/9/61

A class for scorers of the Pittsfield Little Leagues will take place tonight at 7:30 at the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department office at Springside House. Berkshire Eagle sports editor Roger O'Gara and sportswriter Bill Mahan will conduct the instruction.

The meeting will be open to anyone interested in learning the fundamentals of scoring baseball or softball and making out box scores for publication.

Candy Sale Set For Observance Of LL Week

6/8/61

A citywide candy sale Sunday will mark the formal beginning of Pittsfield's observance of National Little League Week.

Uniformed league players will make a house-to-house solicitation. All four Pittsfield leagues will participate in the project.

Co-op Rallies In 7th To Nip Nichols' 11-7

6/7/61

Pittsfield Co-op rallied for four runs in the seventh inning to break a 7-7 tie and take the extra-inning victory of 11-7 over Nichols' Package Store in a North Little League game last night at Wahconah Field. Roger Doullett and Paul Andrews paced the winners with two hits apiece. Mike Trudeau had a triple for Nichols'.

In a West League game at Clapp Field, Goyette Bros. downed Union Federal 9-4. Pete Litano got the win and Tony DiMartino was charged with the loss. Litano, Steve Gleason, Mark Danforth and Steve Mole of Goyette's and DiMartino and Tom Russo of Union Federal had two hits apiece.

In a South League game at Deming Field, Optimist Club scored three times in the top of the first and were never headed thereafter in a 10-2 victory over Berkshire Trust. Shaun Harrington of the Optimists and Gary Case of UF each had two hits. Tom Lonnabacker belted a double for the winners and Frank Virgilio cracked a two-bagger for the losers.

In an East League game at Allendale Field Curletti's won easily over Besse-Clarke 14-4. Curletti's scored in every inning. Each team used three pitchers.

The scores:

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Chandler, 3b, p	4	2	1	2	2	1
Lander, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doulett, cf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Fefridge, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Andrews, ss	4	2	2	5	1	1
Florcyzk, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Stanger, p, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Kane, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Ziter, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Pero, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Keegan, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Lander, 2b	4	0	2	0	1	0
Kerwood, 1b	4	1	1	7	0	1
Marinaro, c	4	2	0	7	0	2
	37	11	12	21	6	5

NICHOLS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Garstang, 2b	4	1	0	1	1	0
Trudeau, 1b	4	2	2	7	0	2
Downey, p, 1b	3	0	1	0	1	1
Ludbrook, ss	4	1	1	0	2	1
Radke, 3b	1	1	0	2	1	2
R. Guilds, lf, p	4	0	1	2	0	0
M. Guilds, c	4	1	0	7	0	1
Kellogg, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Maloy, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Ruel, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Reilly, c f	4	1	2	1	0	0
	32	7	7	21	5	8

Co-Op.	020	023	4—11
Nichols	020	302	0— 7

RBI—Doullett, Andrews 2, Lander, Trudeau 2, Reilly. 2B—Andrews 2, Lander, Doullett 2. 3B—Trudeau. SB—Ludbrook. BB—Stanger 4, Downey 2, R. Guilds. SO—Stanger 6, Downey 6, B. Guilds 1, Shandler 1. HO—Downey, 10 in 5; Stanger, 7 in 1; R. Guilds, 2 in 1; Chandler, 0 in 1. HBP—Chandler (Doullett). W—Stanger. L—R. Guilds. U—Hart, Gwinnell. T—1h, 20m.

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Petell, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Harrison, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
xPinsonneault	0	0	0	0	0	0
Litano, p	3	2	2	0	4	0
Gleason, c	3	1	1	9	0	0
Danford, 1b	3	2	2	5	0	0
Latimere, ss	3	0	0	1	3	0
Mole, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Dripps, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Ciliberti, cf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Nash, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Meloveck, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Giftos, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kozack, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	2
	29	9	10	18	9	2

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
DiMartino, p	4	0	2	1	4	0
Michaels, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Dills, c	3	1	0	9	1	2
Russo, ss	3	1	2	2	0	0
Maniatis, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Clifford, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Williams, 1b, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Utzig, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yon, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Cimini, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
B. Williams	1	0	1	3	0	0
	26	4	7	18	6	4

Goyette Bros.	006	120	—9
Union Federal	101	110	—4

x—Walked for Harrison in the 6th.

RBI—Danford 2, Gleason, Mole, Dripps, Kozack 2, Maniatis, DiMartino, Clifford. 2B—Russo, Dripps. HR—Danford. SB—Clifford, Litano. LOB—Goyette Bros. 10, Union Federal 7. BB—Litano 3, DiMartino 8. SO—Litano 8, DiMartino 9. U—Knappe and Schilling. T—1h, 30m.

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Morton, p,lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Horn, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
C. Mitchell, rf, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. DiNicola, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chojnowski, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Connor, cf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Phelps, p, 1b	4	1	1	2	0	1
Albano, 3b, c	3	2	1	6	0	0
Duda, 3b, p	4	2	3	2	1	0
Guachione, c	1	0	1	7	0	0
M. Mitchell, 3b	1	3	1	0	2	0
Hickey, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
W. DiNicola, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, 2b	1	2	0	0	0	0
Archey, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0
	29	14	8	18	3	1

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cook, cf, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Denno, ef	0	0	0	1	0	0
Forman, ss	0	2	0	1	1	1
Adamczyk, 3b	3	1	1	3	0	2
Magri, c	3	0	1	6	1	1
McHugh, rf, p, 2b	2	1	0	1	0	1
R. Barrington, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
W. Barrington, rf, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Montefeone, 1b	3	0	1	3	0	0
Zaccarini, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McNanama, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denison, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ellis, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Velika, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
	20	4	3	18	4	5

Curletti's	121	334	—14
Besse-Clarke	202	000	— 4

2B—Phelps. SB—Connor, Duda, Guachione, Archey. SAC—Archey. LOB—Curletti's 6, Besse-Clarke 5. BB—Phelps 5, Velika 3, McHugh 3, Ellis 1. SO—Velika 4, McHugh 1, Ellis, Phelps 5, Duda 4, Morton 3. HO—Phelps, 2 in 2 1-3; Duda, 1 inu 2 1-3; Morton, 0 in 1; Velika, 4 in 3 1-3; McHugh, 3 in 1 2-3; Ellis, 1 in 1. HBP—Duda (Ellis, Forman), Velika (Albano). WP—Phelps, Duda, Velika. Balk—Phelps. PB—Guachione, Magri. W—Duda. L—Velika. U—Flossic and Santolin. T—1h, 40m.

Jim Beraldi Hurls 1-Hit Ball for M&B

6/1/61

Jim Beraldi, M & B Electric team pitcher, set the Civitan Club down with one hit last night in a West Little League game at Clapp Field as the Electric boys won 9-2. Beraldi fanned five.

Dan McDonald and Jim Hollister were the main offensive weapons for M&B with three hits apiece. McDonald had a home run and Hollister a double.

In a well-played East League game Besse-Clarke edged Pittsfield Electric Shop 2-1. Winning pitcher Mike Cook held the Pittsfield Electric club to two hits. Besse's got eight hits off loser Mike Hall.

Cook and Al Zaccarini were the hitting stars with two hits apiece. Zaccarini had a double and home run and Cook rapped out a single and a double.

In other Little League action Pittsfield Fire Department nipped Nichols' Package Store 10-9 in the North loop at Wahconah Field and Ed Johnson's defeated Berkshire Trust 11-8 in the Southern League at Deming Field. Dick L'Hote of Ed Johnson's and Jim Hart of Berkshire Trust hit home runs.

M. & B. ELECTRICIANS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pictrowski, 2b	3	1	0	1	3	2
Sarmuk, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hill rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Nikitas, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
McDonough, 3b	4	1	1	3	1	0
Massery, c	4	0	1	6	1	0
Beraldi, p	3	1	0	0	0	0
McDonald, ss	3	3	3	0	2	2
O'Connell, 1b	0	1	0	1	0	0
Kraay, 1b	2	0	1	4	0	0
Hollister, cf	4	1	3	2	0	0
Sepcilka, lf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Carlo, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Scalavini, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	9	11	18	7	4

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, p, 3b	2	1	0	2	1	1
Parise, ss	2	1	1	3	1	1
Lombard, cf, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gibson, p, cf	2	0	0	1	5	1
Goyette, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Dripps, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, c	3	0	0	7	0	0
Winters, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ricchi, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Wilfield, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dallmyer, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	1
Soffile, 1b	1	0	0	1	1	0
	24	2	1	18	9	5

M. & B. Electric	010	602	—9
Civitan	002	000	—2

RBI—Hill 3, McDonald 3, Hollister 2, Goyette 1. 2B—Hill, McDonald, Hollister. HR—McDonald. DP—Gibson, Parise; Massery, Pictrowski. LOB—M. & B. Electric 9, Civitan 7. BB—Beraldi 4, Gibson 2, Gallagher 1. SO—Beraldi 5, Gibson 4, Gallagher 2. HO—Beraldi, 1 in 6; Gibson, 5 in 3 1-3; Gallagher, 6 in 3 1-3. HBP—Gibson (Sarmuk); Gallagher (Beraldi). L—Gibson. U—Kruger, Simonelli. T—1h, 25m.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ellis, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dennison, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
M. Denno, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cavanaugh, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Adamczyk, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Magri, c	3	0	1	13	0	1
Montefeone, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	0
Cook, p	3	1	2	0	2	0
Forman, ss	2	0	1	1	0	0
Zaccarini, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
B. Barrington, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
M. Barrington, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	25	2	8	18	2	1

Little League Again

FAIR OR FOUL

6/2/61

By Roger O'Gara

THE MORNING after we worked the night shift, the home phone rang.

A woman asked, "Have you read the Little League article in Reader's Digest?"

"Who is this?" we inquired as we sparred for time, trying to figure whether it was friend or foe.

"Never mind," she said. She sounded about 35, but how can you be sure these days? "Have you read it?"

"Something came in the mail at the offices yesterday," we stammered. "I think it was an excerpt."

"Read the article," she ordered with a note of urgency in her voice. "It's on page 141 in the current issue. It will eliminate all this heart break."

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WE FOUND the magazine, and checked the article against what we received in the office. We had a proof of the entire thing, and had read it.

However, lest we seem ungrateful for literary advice, we perused it again from beginning to end. We now have read it twice, so that should satisfy her.

Written by Donald R. McNeil, the article was condensed from Parent's Magazine.

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IT OPENS with a nine-year old boy being called out on strikes in a Little League game.

McNeil writes in part, "It is the third out, and the partisan parents in the grandstand howl with disappointment. 'Don't just stand there stupid!' shouts one outraged voice. 'You got to strike at it, Charley! You got to try to hit it!'

"It is the boy's father who is shouting.". . .

"My blood still boils as I recall the mother screaming epithets at her eager little boy of 10 who unluckily got caught off first base for the third out. And the foghorn-voiced father who dictated from the stands, by shouts and hand signals, what pitches his boy should make when in trouble out on the mound. And the fathers who pay money for hits; extra money for extra base hits—$10 for a home run in one family I know. At this point, Little League baseball loses its purpose." . . .

McNeil concludes, "Parents can either help or hinder, but they can help most if they will leave that Little Leaguer alone."

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NO ONE with any sense of balance would condone the reprehensible words used by these thoughtless parents.

On the other hand, it's hard for any father with a background in baseball and an interest in his son to adopt a complete Pollyanna attitude toward the boy's Little League play. In short, all mental errors shouldn't be shrugged off with an "it's only a game" smile.

That's the way some sophisticates would have it, if indeed they were so tolerant as to admit that boys should be playing baseball at all.

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WE SUBMIT that the ideal approach to little boys' baseball boo-boos would be the middle ground between the screaming parents and the shoulder shruggers.

Wonder what the sophisticates would say about parental assistance and advice on academic homework? They probably would agree that fathers and mothers who don't try to get the little boys straight are remiss in their duties.

All right, then, why shouldn't the same kind of a quiet, reasoned policy be adopted toward Little League baseball? Why shouldn't a father counsel his son on the mental part of the sport as they sit together in the living room? We don't mean that dad should attempt to usurp the authority of the coach. We think that he should stress how important it is not to be picked off a base, not to be called out on strikes, not to try to steal if percentage is against you.

He should tell his son that if a thing is worth doing, it's worth doing well.

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THE SUPERCILIOUS mothers and the effeminate fathers who write off baseball mistakes by their offspring with a "boys will be boys" attitude do a greater disservice than the screamers do.

Would the same people pat Johnny on the back and tell him to forget it if he came home with all of his arithmetic problems wrong and all of his words misspelled?

That sort of attitude on the part of over-indulgent parents is what has increased the number of goof-ups in our society to an all-time total.

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OUR PRIZE experience in Little League concerned our older son, now completing his sophomore year at a good university.

When he was nine, he received our stock lecture on percentage baseball. He had done well one night, two hits and no errors at his infield position, but his team trailed by five runs going into the bottom half of the last inning.

The first two boys were easy outs. Then the captain of the team singled. That brought Jack to bat. He singled to send the captain to third. On the first pitch, he tried to steal second. The best catcher in the league pegged him out by yards.

I groaned, but the noise was audible only to my wife. She said in a low voice, "I know he has done something wrong, but if you go down there and bawl him out, I'll come right down and whack you."

I said, "I'm not going to scold him. I merely want to discuss the matter with him."

I waited at the players' gate He smiled when he saw me.

"Why?" I asked.

"Oh, you mean why did I try to steal, dad?" he asked. "Do you remember what you told me when I started to play ball? You know, always obey the coach. Dad, I didn't think it was right since we were so far behind, but he gave me the steal sign."

That satisfield me. Then, putting a fond hand on his shoulder, I suggested, "Let's go home, and talk some more baseball."

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC SHOP

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	3	0	0	2	5	0
Gasson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hebler, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ryan, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Wilk, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Reddington, 1b	0	0	0	8	0	0
Kopychak, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Lusignan, cf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Curley, c	2	0	0	6	1	0
Killeen, 2b	2	1	1	1	2	1
Hall, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	19	1	2	18	9	1

Besse-Clarke	000	101	—2
Pittsfield Electric	000	001	—1

RBI—Zaccarini 2. 2B—Cook, Zaccarini. HR—Zaccarini. SB—Adamczyk, Leslie 2, Curley 2, Killeen, Hall. SAC—Hall. LOB—Besse-Clarke 8, Pittsfield Electric 11. BB—Hall 1, Cook 9. SO—Hall 4, Cook 13. HBP—Cook (Lusignan). U—Santolin and Joe Strizzi. T—1h, 45m.

GULL COAL & OIL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connors, 3b, p	4	1	0	0	2	0
Buckley, ss	3	2	2	1	2	0
Harmanski, p, c	2	2	1	5	0	2
Albano, 1b	4	0	1	5	0	2
Makes, c, 3b	4	0	1	3	1	1
Cody, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Martin, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
T. Williams, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Loomis, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Knappe, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
W. Bandurski, 2b	0	0	0	0	2	0
J. Phillips, 2b	0	1	0	0	0	0
R. Bandurski, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	25	6	5	15	7	6

Union Federal	801	11x	—11
Gull Oil & Coal	200	103	— 6

RBI—Maniatis, Dills, Dimartino, B. Williams 2, R. Phillips, Albano 2, Russo, Buckley, Hermanski. 2B—Michaels, Russo. 3B—Albano. SB—Connors. LOB—Union Federal 7, Gull Coal & Oil 10. BB—Michaels 6, Hermanski 4, Connors 3. SO—Michaels 7, Hermanski 1, Connors 3. HO—Hermanski 1 in 1⅓, Connors 8 in 4⅔. HBP—Michaels (Cody, Buckley). LP—Hermanski. U—Gwinnell and Croce. T—1h, 35m.

Two LL Games Are Decided By One Run

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Close Contests Taken by Zayre's And Curletti's

Two of the four Little Baseball League games in the city last night were decided by one run. The winners in the other two had comfortable margins.

Curletti's edged McDonald's 3-2 in the East League at Allendale Field. Zayre's won from Pittsfield Cooperative Bank 4-3 in the North League at Wahconah Field. The Optimist Club drubbed City Savings 11-4 in the South League at Deming Field, and Union-Federal downed Gull Coal & Oil 11-6 in the West League at Clapp Park.

Jeff Connor effectively spaced eight hits as he pitched Curletti's to victory. He fanned eight. Catcher Albano of the winners homered.

Sherman starred at bat for Zayre's, driving in three runs with a homer annd a double. Rivers held the losers to seven hits. Chandler, the losing pitcher, allowed only five, and struck out 12. Powers had three safeties for Pittsfield Cooperative.

Harrington, P. Ricciarini, and Del Gallo all homered for the Optimist Club. Harrington held the losers to two hits, and struck out eight. Two of the City Savings Bank's runs came on thefts of home.

Michaels of Union-Federal threw a five-hitter, and struck out seven.

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Chojnowski, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
M. Mitchell, 3b	3	1	0	0	0	0
Phelps, rf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Albano, c	3	1	2	9	0	0
Duda, 1b	1	0	0	7	0	0
Morton, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
C. Mitchell, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. DiNicola, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Gauchione, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
W. DiNicola, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hickey, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Archey, ss	2	0	1	0	2	0
	23	3	5	18	6	0

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Perkins, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Broderick, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wilk, cf	4	0	2	1	1	1
Olds, 3b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Degnan, p	3	0	1	2	1	1
Hardy, 1b	3	0	2	3	0	0
St. John, lf	2	0	2	0	0	0
Pazcit, ss	3	0	0	0	0	1
Freadman, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Papallo, c	2	0	0	7	0	0
z-Horton	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	2	8	15	4	3

Z—Batted for Papallo in 6th.

Curletti's	200	01x	—3
McDonald's	100	010	—2

RBI—St. John, Albano. HR—Albano.. LOB—Curletti's 9, McDonald's 9. BB—Connor 3, Degnan 3. SO—Connor 8, Degnan 7. U—Strizzi and Krueger. T—1h, 35m.

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	3	2	2	2	1	0
Klamanski, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Harrington, p	2	3	2	0	2	0
P. Ricciarini, c	3	2	2	9	0	0
Bondi, 1b	2	1	0	6	0	0
R. Papallo, cf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Massimiano, rf	1	0	1	0	0	1
B. DelGallo, ss	2	0	2	0	0	1
Bagdonas, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Ricciarini, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Andreas, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Villanova, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barbaiunga, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	11	11	18	3	1

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Caritey, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
T. O'Donnell, 2b	3	0	2	2	1	0
J. Kamienski, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Connolly, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Meehan, 1b	2	1	0	3	0	1
Sheran, c	0	0	0	7	2	0
Ricci, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
Redlin, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Salley, 3b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Grogan, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	17	4	2	15	5	1

Optimist Club	304	31x	—11
City Savings	011	200	— 4

RBI—Klemanski, Harringfon, P. Ricciarini, Bondi, R. DelGallo 2, Massimiano 2, T. O'Donnell. 2B—T. O'Donnell, Harrington, R. DelGallo, Massimiano. HR—Harrington, P. Ricciarini, R. DelGallo. SB—Lonabacker, Massimiano, Connolly, K. O'Donnell, Sheran 2. Sac.—Meehan, P. Ricciarini, Bondi. LOB—Optimist Club 5, City Savings 6. BB—Harrington 10, Kamienski 3, Meehan 1, K. O'Donnell 1. SO — Harrington 8, Kamienski 1, Meehan 2, K. O'Donnell 2. HO—Kamienski 7 in 3, Meehan 2 in ⅔, K. O'Donnell 2 in 1⅓. HBP—K. O'Donnell (Marshall). PB—Sharan 1, P. Ricciarini 3. LP—Kamienski. U—Hart and Schilling. T—1h, 50m.

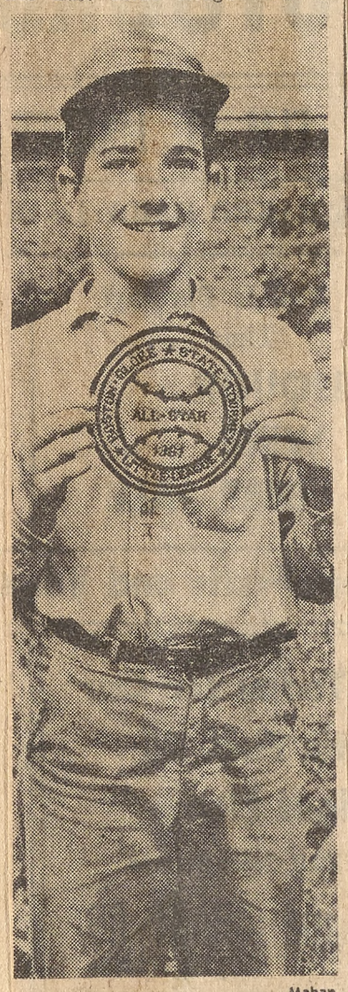
UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Dills, c	4	1	0	8	0	0
Michaels, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Russo, lf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Maniatis, 3b	3	1	2	0	4	0
D. Williams, rf, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Dimartino, ss	4	1	1	0	1	2
Clifford, cf, 1b	2	1	0	2	0	0
B. Williams, 1b	2	1	1	5	0	1
Ingram, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Phillips, 2b	3	2	2	2	2	1
	25	11	9	18	8	4

Reddington Selected On Honor Team

Local Little Leaguer Named to Globe State Tourney Club

Charles (Buddy) Reddington, first baseman for the Pittsfield Electric East Little League baseball



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Buddy Reddington

team and first baseman on the East League All-Stars that competed in the state tournament in Haverhill last month, has been named to Boston Globe State Tourney Little League All-Star team. Reddington has been notified of the honor by the Globe and forwarded an emblem. He is the only local boy named to the all-tourney team.

Reddington is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reddington of 205 Springside Ave. He is a student in seventh grade at St. Mary's School. He is 12 years old and this season was his last in Little League baseball.

The East League player is 5 feet, 3 inches and weighs 110 pounds. He bats and throws left-handed and hit with good power in both league and tournament play.

The East League All-Stars were Berkshire County and Western Massachusetts champions. In the state tournament at Haverhill they were defeated in the semifinal round by Swampscott 5-4. They also dropped the consolation game 11-4 to Revere.

Curletti's Team Given Family Picnic

A family picnic for Curletti's, winners of the East Little Baseball League title for the second consecutive year, drew a crowd of 75 to the GEAA yesterday afternoon.

Coaches Jim Farry and Jiggs Lucaroni expressed their appreciation to Eugene R. Curletti for Curletti's Super Market's sponsorhip of the team.

Farry said the drawing for the winners of the three turkeys will be next Sunday.

Dads Defeat Their LL Sons

Fathers of the Optimist Club players in the South Little Baseball League squared accounts with their sons by winning the annual game 10-2 Wednesday night at Deming Field. The boys triumphed last year 13-11 in the initial meeting.

Root Del Gallo effectively went all the way on the mound for the oldsters. The Little Leaguers used three pitchers. Edmond Bagdonas homered for the fathers.

Dinner Slated For East Little Leaguers

Fahey To Speak At Affair Sunday At Dalton Legion

Baseball players of the East Little League will be given a spaghetti dinner Sunday afternoon at 1 at the Dalton Legion Home. The affair was organized by league officials and coaches and volunteer members of the players' families.

The dinner will be prepared by Evelino (Jiggs) Lucaroni, a coach in the East loop, and will be served by volunteer teen-age girl members of the players' families.

East League President Francis Schultz will be master of ceremonies. Fred S. Fahey, superintendent of the Pittsfield Boys' Club, will be the main speaker. Guests will include Pittsfield Little League President Harry MacWhinnie, Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department Supt. Vincent J. Hebert, Parks program supervisor John Marchesi, and Arthur Gwinnell, umpire-in-chief of the Little League umpiring staff.

Door prizes will be awarded and all 12-year-olds who have played their final season will be given official Little League certificates.

The East All-Stars won the Western Massachusetts championship and played in the state tournament in Haverhill. Members of the All-Stars will be given jackets at a later date.

Emily's Wins 26-4 In Morningside Over Eaton's

Using 12 hits and 20 bases on balls to advantage, Emily's Snack Bar last night walloped Eaton's Paper Corp. 26-4 in a Morningside

City Savings Bank Honors Its LL Team

City Champions Receive Awards At a Dinner

City Savings Bank's city championship Little Baseball League team was honored by the sponsors last night at a dinner at the Rosa Restaurant. Twenty-two attended.

Inscribed key rings were presented to each player by Kenneth W. Seyffer, the bank's assistant treasurer, who served as toastmaster. Trophies, the gifts of the Parks and Recreation Department, also were awarded to the boys. Coach John O'Donnell made the presentations.

Luke S. Hayden, president of the bank, spoke briefly. Roger O'Gara, sports ediotr of The Eagle was the principal speaker.

Assistant coach Charles Salley, Gordon Dennis, president of the South Little League, and William E. Smith, the league's players' agent, also attended as guests of the bank.

Optimists Take First Game In American League Series

The Optimist Club came from behind to take the first game of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League championship series by a 4-3 score over Moldmaster last night at Wahconah Park. The Optimists pushed across three runs in the last of the sixth to go ahead to stay.

The second game of the series will be played at Deming Field this afternoon at 2. If the Optimists win today the first game of the league championship series with National League winner Terminal Diner will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 at Deming. If Moldmaster can even it up today the rubber game will be played tomorrow with the league title series beginning Monday night at 5:30.

The remaining games will be played at Deming Field as Wahconah Park has to be set up for the bicentennial celebration musical, "Oklahoma."

Moldmaster was leading 3-1 in the last of the sixth inning. With two out right-hander John Hurley suffered control trouble and gave up two walks. Dave Lucaroni then doubled to right field to tie the score and Rick Vaccaro singled Lucaroni in with what proved to be the winning run.

Winning pitcher Frank Murray was in charge until the fourth when Bob Rivard singled for Moldmaster's first hit. Successive singles by Hurley and Gene Curletti and two walks brought in two runs. A walk, an error and Dave Tetreault's single accounted for the other Moldmaster score in the fifth.

The Optimists made their first run in the fourth on an error, a stolen base and a wild pitch.

The score:

OPTIMISTS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kinnas, 1b	2	0	1	5	0	1
Woitkoski, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Russo, ss	3	0	1	1	0	0
Spiewak, 3b	3	1	0	0	2	0
Kruczkowski, rf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Garstang, lf	1	1	0	3	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	0	1	7	0	0
Murray, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
	22	4	4	21	4	1

MOLDMASTER	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	1	0	1	3	0
Powers, ss	3	0	0	1	0	0
Rivard, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Tetreault, c	3	0	1	5	1	0
zO'Laughlin	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hurley, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
Curletti, 1b	3	0	1	10	0	0
Lausier, 3b	2	0	1	0	4	1
Farry, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Massacani, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	25	3	5	18	9	1

Optimists	000	103 —4
Moldmaster	000	210 0—3

z—Ran for Tetreault in 7th.

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BABE RUTH LEAGUE CHAMPION for 1961 is the Terminal Diner team, which clinched the crown on a 4-2 victory over Optimist Club last night at Deming Field. Team personnel are, left to right: first row, Bob James, Joe Mancivalano, John Crooks, Terry Fresia, John Bernardo, Pete Salvatore, Bill Winslow and Al Masino; second row, Coach Carl Boteze, Paul Noetzel, Bill Puntin, Pete Ellsworth, Kevin Curley, Carl Boteze Jr., and Dave Robertson, and Assistant Coaches Jim Curley and John Callahan. Noetzel was the winning pitcher.

Terminal Diner Ruth Champs On 4-2 Win Over Optimists

The Terminal Diner team made it two straight in the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League final play-off series by beating the Optimist Club 4-2 last night at Deming Field to take the league championship. Terminal won the opener Monday 8-1.

Paul Noetzel threw a neat two-hitter for the Diner club. He got the first 16 men to face him before Rick Vaccaro belted a long double in the sixth with one out. The other hit was Mike Kane's two-bagger in the sixth that drove in Vaccaro with the Optimists' first run.

Noetzel struck out six and did not walk a man. He also had two singles and was the only player in the game with more than one hit. His second single in the third started a rally that gave his club a 3-0 lead.

Frank Murray started for the Optimists. He gave up a base hit to Noetzel in the first inning and then did not allow another safety until Noetzel's hit in the third. Noetzel's base knock was followed by a walk to Carl Boteze. Big Kevin Curley then slammed the big blow of the game, a long triple to right center, driving in both runs.

Garstang Comes In

Collin Garstang took over on the mound. He fanned the next batter but Bill Puntin came through with a single to score Curley. Terminal's fourth run was made in the sixth inning on Dave Robertson's three-bagger and an error that allowed him to score.

The Optimists were in there battling until the end. Im the seventh, with two away, Sam Russo hit a high fly that was muffed and Russo, with the help of a couple of bad throws, wound up on third. Pinch hitter Steve Kurczkowski came through with a sacrifice fly that brought in Russo, but Noetzel got the next batter on a ground ball to end the threat and the game.

League officials described the game as one of the best of the season. Noetzel received excellent fielding support in his low-hit effort.

The score:

TERMINAL DINER	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	3	0	0	0	3	1
Noetzel, p	3	1	2	0	0	0
Boteze, 3b	1	1	0	1	2	1
Curley, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	0
Ellsworth, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Puntin, cf	3	0	1	4	0	0
Robertson, rf	2	1	1	0	1	1
James, c	2	0	0	6	0	0
Mancivalano, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
	23	4	5	21	8	3

OPTIMISTS	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	1
Russo, ss	3	1	0	5	0	0
Spiewak, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Woitkoski, 2b	2	0	0	0	2	0
zKruczkowski	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garstang, lf, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Lucaroni, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	1	1	8	0	0
Murray, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Eulian, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	2	2	18	6	1

Terminal Diner	003	001 —4
Optimists	000	001 1—2

z—Hit sacrifice fly for Woitkoski in 7th.

RBI—Curley 2, Puntin, Kane, Kruczkowski. 2B—Vaccaro, Kane. 3B—Curley, Robertson. SB—Curley, Puntin, Robertson. SAC—Kruczkowski. LOB—Terminal Diner 5, Optimists 1. BB—Murray 3. SO—Noetzel 6, Murray 2, Garstang 6. HO—Murray, 3 in 2 1-3; Garstang, 2 in 3 2-3. WP—Murray. PB—Vaccaro. L—Murray. U—Troy and Bruni. T—1h, 35m.

Pete Vacchina Is Big Star In LL Game

Pete Vacchina Jr. was the all-around star for Western Massachusetts Supply in its 6-5 East Little Baseball League victory over the Moldmasters last night at Allendale Field. Pitching the entire game, he held the losers to two hits, struck out nine and had a pair of safeties himself.

Wildness bothered him. He had a shutout through the first four innings, but loss of control gave the opposition a chance to threaten seriously in the fifth and sixth.

Steve Teal had both of the losers' hits. John Sincere was a perfect two for two for the winners.

The score:

WESTERN MASS.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paul Vacchina, ss	3	0	1	3	1	0
Schultz, c	3	0	0	8	1	1
Wagstaff, c	0	0	0	1	0	0
Borelli, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Pete Vacchina, p	3	2	2	1	2	0
Sturma, 1b	3	1	1	3	1	0
White, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Marchetto, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
A. Sincere, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Masaconi, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	1
J. Sincere, rf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Kennedy, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
	23	6	8	18	5	2

MOLDMASTER	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, lf	3	1	0	0	0	1
Teal, 3b	4	0	2	3	0	0
Briggs, c	3	0	0	2	2	1
Rilla, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Perrone, ss	3	0	0	0	3	1
Morano, p	1	1	0	1	4	1
Perkins, rf, 2b	0	1	0	0	1	0
Carmel, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Meany, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Stone, rf	0	2	0	0	0	0
	20	5	2	15	10	5

Western Mass.	041	01 —6
Moldmaster	000	014—5

RBI—Allen, Teal 2, A. Sincere, Kennedy, Sincere 2.

LL Play-Offs Tomorrow, Monday Night

The City Little League play-offs will begin tomorrow afternoon with two games at 2 p.m. City Savings, South League champions, and Curletti's Market, winners of the East League, will play at Deming Field. Civita Club, West League champs, will meet Royal Discount Store of the North League at Wahconah Field.

The city final will take place Monday night at 5:45 at Wahconah Field between the two victorious teams in tomorrow's games.

The City Savings team is coached by John O'Donnell and Charles Bailey. The starting line-up and reserves are as follows:

Mike Carifey, p; Tim O'Donnell, 2b; Kevin O'Donnell, 3b; Joe Kamieski, cf; Pete Sharan, c; Steve Ricci, ss; Mike Meehan, 1b; Kevin Connelly, rf; Tom Redlin, lf.

Reserves, Gary Gogen, Fred Salamone, Bob Bates, Chuck Salley, Tom Massetti, Jeff Wheelock.

The Royal Discount Store is coached by John Kinnas and Larry Mullett. The starters and reserves are:

Ricky Paris, 3b; John Baker, lf; Don Boland, cf; John Wilks, c; Bill Brown, p; Doug Hebert, ss; Dudley Kinnas, 1b; Dennis Furlano, 2b; Craig Hebert, rf.

Reserves, Tom Naughton, Dave Pierce, Al Florczyk, Jeff Griffith, Larry Mullett, John Reid.

John Goswell and Charles Simonelli are the coaches of the Civitan team. The starting line-up is as follows:

Chris Gallagher, ss; Dick Parise, 3b; Dick Lombard, cf; Tony Gibson, p; Dave Dallmeyer, 1b; Ronnie Goyette, 2b; Tony Simonelli, c; Art Winters, lf; Eddie McMahon, rf.

Reserves, Jim Whitfield, Paul Sottile, Fran Ricchi, Warren Gariepy.

Curletti's Market is coached by Jiggs Lucaroni and Jim Farry. The probable starting line-up will be: Jeff Connors, cf; Lou Chojnowski, lf; John Duda, p; Cal Albano, c; Pat Phelps, 1b; Tom Archey, ss; Bob Lucaroni, 2b; Mark Mitchell, 3b; Kim Morton, rf.

Rams, Bears Clinch Flea League Titles

Regular season play in both divisions of the Department of Parks and Recreation's Flea Baseball League will end today. The Midget League season is still in progress.

The Bears have clinched the championship of the Flea League's American division, while the Rams captured the National division title.

An all-star contest has been scheduled for Thursday between the Rams and an all-star team from the American division. The game is scheduled for the National division field on the Common at 10 a.m.

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PITTSFIELD'S LITTLE LEAGUE CHAMPIONS, the City Savings team of the South League, defeated Royal Discount Store, North League title holder, 12-6 last night in the championship final at Wahconah Field. Team members are, left to right: first row, Steve Ricci, Mike Caritey, Joe Kamienski, Pete Sheran, Mike Meehan, Tim O'Donnell, Bob Bates and Fred Salamone; second row, Tom Redlin, Jeff Wheelock, Chuck Salley, Kevin O'Donnell, Tom Massetti, Kevin Connolly and Gary Grogan. City Savings defeated Curletti's Market of the East League Sunday to attain the final.

Locals Meet Revere Today In Consolation at 2:30

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Mike Egan, Donald (Toot) Cahoon Shine For Winners in Semifinal Contest; Play-Off Game Scheduled for This Afternoon at 4:15

HAVERHILL — The Pittsfield East Little Baseball League All-Stars last night found a pinch-hitting pitcher from Swampscott named Mike Egan was every bit as good as his advance billing. Egan, one of Swampscott's two main-line hurlers, came in in the sixth inning of the Massachusetts Little League playoff contest to bat for catcher Mark Stevenson with his team trailing 4-3. Pittsfield pitcher Tom Doyle's first pitch disappeared over the centerfield wall 185 feet away to tie it up. Donald (Toot) Cahoon one inning later became the winning pitcher by collecting his third hit of the day and driving in second baseman Billy Phelan to make it 5-4.

Consolation Today

Although eliminated from championship contention, Pittsfield will play again today at 2:30, against Revere which lost to Brockton 2-1 in the first game of yesterday's doubleheader. East's All-Stars, should they beat Revere, would still be third in the state. Swampscott will play Brockton for the title.

Over-all, the star of the day was Cahoon. Besides being the winning pitcher and driving in the winning run, one of his other two hits was a home run over the left centerfield wall. The only Pittsfield entry in the home run parade was Buddy Reddington, who connected with the first pitch thrown to him in the fifth inning. The blast scored Jeff Connor and Craig Leslie, both of whom had walked, ahead of him.

East's other run came in the fourth, after Tom Rilla and Carl Albano walked and advanced one base on a passed ball by catcher Dave Fessenden. Paul Vacchina rapped a single to right-center, scoring Rilla. It was Vacchina's second hit of the day.

Swampscott began its game-winning rally as Billy Phelan and Bobby Green received walks from Phil Degnan after he had struck out Tommy Smith. Following Green's walk, Jeff Connor came in from center field, Degnan moved to second base and Carl Albano went to center. Cahoon caught Connor's pitch to end the contest.

The Haverhill Little League officials collected $75.72 at the game.

The American Little League Field in Haverhill may best be reached by leaving the Massachusetts Turnpike at Weston and traveling north on Route 128. Take Exit 27 off Route 128 into Haverhill to Route 28. The park is two miles from the center of the city and is located next to the Haverhill Stadium and the Haverhill Plaza.

SWAMPSCOTT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Phelan, 2b	2	1	1	0	2	0
Green, ss	3	0	0	2	1	0
Don Cahoon, p	4	1	3	3	2	0
Valleriani, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Blood, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Stevenson, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
xMike Egan	1	1	1	0	0	0
Collier, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Fessenden, c	1	0	1	8	1	0
xxDave Corcoran	0	1	0	0	0	0
xxxHoman	1	0	0	2	0	0
Smith, 3b	2	1	1	1	1	0
	20	5	8	21	7	0

EAST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, cf, p	4	1	1	2	0	0
Leslie, ss	2	1	0	2	2	0
Teal, 3b, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Reddington, 1b	3	1	1	6	1	0
Rilla, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Albano, lf, 2b, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Vacchina, c	3	0	2	2	0	0
Borelli, 3b	2	0	0	3	0	0
Degnan, p, 2b	1	0	1	1	0	0
Doyle, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
Cook, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	4	5	19	7	0

Swampscott	100	021 1—5
Pittsfield	000	130 0—4

x—Pinch hit (6th) for Stevenson, HR.
xx—Fan for Fessenden in 5th.
xxx—Catch for Fessenden in 6th.

RBI—Reddington 3, Vacchina, Phelan 2, Cahoon 2, Egan. 2B—Phelan. HR—Reddington, Cahoon, Egan. SB—Vacchina 2. SAC—Smith. LOB—Swampscott 7, Pittsfield 5. BB—Cahoon 5, Degnan 2. SO—Cahoon 10, Doyle 2. HO—Cahoon, 3 in 7; Doyle, 7 in 6; Connor, 1 in 1. HBP—Doyle (Valleriani, Fessenden). WP—Doyle. PB—Fessenden. W—Cahoon. L—Degnan. U—Bertoni, Crimmins, Morrissey, Berardi. T—1h, 45m.

Pittsfield Loses 11-4

8/14/61

Revere Triumphs In Consolation Round Contest

HAVERHILL — Pittsfield's East Little Baseball Leaguers lost their second successive game here Saturday afternoon, bowing to Revere 11-4 in the consolation round of the state tournament. Brockton beat Swampscott 4-1 to take the title.

Revere led all the way after jumping to a 4-0 advantage in the first inning off Pittsfield's tall right-hander, John Duda. Pittsfield scored twice in its half of the inning, but fell farther behind as Revere tallied three times in the third.

Revere had two-run splurges in the fourth and fifth before Pittsfield concluded the scoring with a pair in the sixth. These came on Pete Vacchina's home run, a line drive over the left center field fence, 185 feet from home plate.

The score:

REVERE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ferullo, rf	3	2	0	0	0	0
Acosta, rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Graf, rf	2	2	1	1	3	0
Iovanno, 1b	2	1	1	5	0	0
Gualtieri, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Donnolly, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Belyea, cf	1	2	0	0	0	0
Bucciero, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stanlake, 2b	4	1	3	1	1	1
Capone, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
DeLisio, 3b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Walsh, c	4	2	3	7	0	0
Moore, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Harlow, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	11	10	18	4	1

PITTSFIELD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, cf	3	0	1	5	0	0
Leslie, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1
Doyle, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Perone, lf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Reddington, 1b	1	1	0	5	0	1
Degnan, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Albano, rf, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Rilla, rf, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Curley, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Vacchina, c	2	1	1	4	0	0
Teal, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Borelli, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Duda, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Cook, p, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	25	4	5	18	4	2

Revere	403	220—11
Pittsfield	200	002— 4

RBI—Albano, Vacchina, Iovanno 2, Gualtieri, Walsh 2, Albano, Vacchina 2. HR—Vacchina. SB—Graf, Gualtieri, B Belyea. SAC—Gualtieri. LOB—Revere 5, Pittsfield 5. BB—Graf 2, Duda 4, Cook 2, Rilla 1. SO—Graf 7, Duda 4, Rilla 2. HO—Duda, 7 in 4; Cook, 1 in 1-3; Rilla, 2 in 1 2-3. WP—Duda. PB—Curley, Vacchina. L—Duda. T—1h, 24m.

Terminal Tops Optimists 8-1 In City Series

8-24-61

Boteze Fans 16 To Gain Triumph; 2nd Game Tonight

A combination of a 16-strike-out pitching job by Carl Boteze, heavy hitting and six opposition errors gave Terminal Diner an 8-1 victory over the Optimist Club in the first game of the best two-out-of-three series for the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League championship last night at Deming Field. The Optimists were the American League champs and Terminal Diner the National League winners.

The second contest will be played tonight at Deming Field starting at 5:30. If the Optimists can even it up tonight the final game will take place tomorrow night at 5:30 at Deming.

The Diner boys took a 1-0 lead in the first inning. Pete Ellsworth started it off with a single. Following a walk to the next man Bob James rapped out his first of three single to drive in Ellsworth.

Battery Collision

The Optimists made their lone run in the fifth. Rick Vaccaro was safe on a pop fly single that dropped when Boteze and catcher James collided. Both were shaken up but remained in the game. Vaccaro went to second on a wild pitch and came across on the first of Mike Kane's two base hits.

Boteze, who hadn't walked a man since the first inning, gave up six bases on balls in the last 2⅓ innings, but always came through with the big strike-out when he needed it. The Optimists left 11 men on the bases.

The score:

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	4	1	2	2	0	0
Noetzel, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Boteze, p	4	1	0	0	1	0
Curley, 1b	5	1	1	4	0	0
Ellsworth, ss	3	1	1	0	0	0
Puntin, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Robertson, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0
James, c	4	1	3	14	2	0
Mancivalano, lf	3	1	1	1	0	1
	34	8	10	21	4	1

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, rf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	1	0	1	2	0	0
Russo, p	4	0	0	0	2	1
Spiewak, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	2
Woitkoski, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carey, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Garstang, ss	3	0	0	3	0	2
Lucaroni, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pleau, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kruczkowski, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Eulian, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	1	1	14	0	1
	26	1	4	21	4	4

Terminal Diner	010	024 1—8
Optimists	000	010 0—1

RBI—Curley 2, Ellsworth, Puntin, James. SB—Kinnas. Sac.—Noetzel. LOB—Terminal Diner 11, Optimists 11. BB—Boteze 7, Russo 4. SO—Boteze 16, Russo 10. HBP—Russo (Ellsworth). Wild pitch—Boteze. U—Mole and Riccarini. T—1h, 55m.

City Savings Tops Royal To Take Little League Title

City Savings won the city Little League baseball championship last night at Wahconah Field by defeating Royal Discount Store 12-6 in a free scoring contest. City Savings is the South League champion and Royal Discount was the top team in the North loop.

The South League champs rapped two Royal pitchers for 10 hits. Kevin Connolly led the onslaught with a double and two singles in three times at bat. Pete Sheran had a double and single and drove in three runs.

Connolly, Tim O'Donnell and Joe Kamienski shared the pitching for City Savings and gave up only four hits. Don Boland's double was the only extra base blow for Royal. Wildness bothered the bank hurlers however. They gave up 13 bases on balls. The Discount club left 11 men on bases.

City Savings spurted to a 5-0 lead in the first inning. Mike Caritey was safe on an error and Tim O'Donnell's sacrifice moved him to second. Kevin O'Donnell singled, sending Caritey to third. O'Donnell stole second and Kamienski walked to load the bases.

Sheran Drives In Two

Sheran drove across his first two Rbi's with a line single. Steve Ricci's sacrifice fly to center scored another. Mike Meehan was safe on an error and the fourth score came in. Meehan stole second and came home on a hit by Connolly. Savings added another run in the third on Ricci's base hit and Connolly's double.

Royal Discount got into the scoring column in the fourth with two runs on a base hit by Dudley Kinnas, a fielder's choice and four walks. The bank team made it 9-2 with three in the last of the fourth by combining singles by Connolly, Kamienski, and Caritey, a double by Kevin O'Donnell, a walk and a hit batsman.

Walks and Doug Hebert's theft of home gave the North champs two more in the fifth. Savings, with the help of three Royal errors and Sheran's two - bagger came right back with three more in the fifth and it was 12-4. A sensational diving catch by Boland saved Royal more rouble.

The Discount boys went down fighting with two more in the sixth. Boland doubled and two bases on balls loaded the bases. Furlano's single drove in both runs.

Ricci made a pretty play at short to rob Billy Brown of a base hit in the sixth.

The score:

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Caritey, lf, cf	3	3	1	0	0	0
T. O'Donnell, p, lf	1	1	0	1	2	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	4	2	2	2	3	1
Kaminenski, cf, p	3	2	1	0	1	0
Sheran, c	4	2	2	8	0	1
Ricci, ss	3	1	1	0	1	0
Meehan, 1b	2	1	0	5	0	0
Connolly, rf, p	3	0	3	1	0	0
Salley, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Marcette, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
x-Salimone	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	12	10	18	7	2

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, p, 3b	3	0	0	2	2	1
Baker, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, 1b	4	0	0	2	0	1
Boland, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
D. Heberts, ss, p	3	1	1	1	1	2
Kinnas, 2b	1	2	1	0	0	0
Wilk, c	2	1	0	7	0	0
Furlano, 3b, ss	3	1	1	1	0	0
C. Hebert, rf	1	0	0	1	0	1
	23	6	4	15	3	5

x—Batted for Salley in 3rd.

City Savings	501	33x—12
Royal Discount	000	222—6

RBI—Paris, Baker, Furlano, Sheran 3, O'Donnell, Kamienski, Connelly 2.

Cook Leads Ruth League With .440

8-26-61

Boteze, Russo Hit Over .400; Tetreault Bats Across 30 Runs

Allan Cook of Ida and John's led the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League in batting during the regular season with an average of .440. Carl Boteze of Terminal Diner finished with a .417 mark and Sam Russo of the Optimist Club hit an even .400. Cook and Boteze were in the National League and Russo in the American.

Dave Tetreault of Moldmasters topped the league in runs batted in with 30. He tied with Jack Doyle of Besse-Clarke and Pete Rilla of VFW for the home run lead with two. Rilla led in triples with five and Tetreault, Tommy Grieve of GEAA and Charlie Simonelli of Imperial Lanes had four apiece. Mike Rohlfs of Union Federal was first in doubles with eight. Dave Southard was the leading base stealer with 27.

Dick Powers of Moldmaster had the best pitching record with seven wins and one loss. Russo had a 6-1 mark. Pete Sullivan of Besse-Clarke was 6-2 and Ed McConnell of General Electric next at 6-3.

Top players in various departments were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

10 High Averages

	AB	H	Ave.
Allan Cook	50	22	.440
Carl Boteze	60	25	.417
Jim Carlo	52	20	.385
Paul Noetzel	58	22	.379
Kevin Curley	74	27	.365
Mike Rohlfs	63	23	.365
Charles Simonelli	69	25	.362
Dave Southard	67	24	.358
Dan DeSantis	73	26	.356
Tom Grieve	50	17	.340

Runs batted in—Curley 21.
Home runs—Five tied with one.
Triples—Grieve and Simonelli 4.
Doubles—Rohlfs 8.
Bases on balls—John Franchebois, Boteze, Noetzel, all with 22.
Stolen bases—Southard 27.

PITCHERS

Most Wins

	Won	Lost
Louis Orazio	6	4
Paul Noetzel	5	2
Carl Boteze	5	3
Jim Carlo	4	2
Ray Sarosy	4	3
Allan Cook	4	6

AMERICAN LEAGUE

10 High Averages

	AB	H	Ave.
Sam Russo	70	28	.400
John Hurley	56	22	.393
Dave Tetreault	63	24	.381
Jack Doyle	58	22	.379
Gene Curletti	58	22	.379
Dick Falkenbush	57	21	.368
Pete Rilla	42	15	.357
Mike Massaconi	69	23	.333
John Kinnas	70	23	.329
Jim Mahan	62	20	.323

Runs batted in—Tetreault 30.
Home runs—Doyle, Tetreault and Rilla 2.
Triples—Rilla 5, Tetreault 4.
Doubles—Doyle 5.
Bases on balls—Cliff Nilan 34, Joe Woikoski 27.
Stolen bases—Russo 16.

PITCHERS

	Won	Lost
Dick Powers	7	1
Sam Russo	6	1
Pete Sullivan	6	2
Ed McConnell	6	3
Darryl Rustic	4	1
Frank Murray	4	1
Collin Garstang	4	2

LL Play-Off Postponed By Showers

8/3/61

Rain yesterday afternoon forced the postponement of the Pittsfield East Little League All-Stars and Longmeadow play-off game at Strople Memorial Field in Longmeadow. The game is rescheduled for tonight at 6, weather permitting.

The showers started in Longmeadow about 2:30. Little League District play-off officials decided shortly after on the postponement and notified the East League coaches.

The winner of tonight's contest will meet the finalist from the eastern part of the state for the Massachusetts title later this week. The East team is the District 1 champion and Longmeadow took the crown in District 2.

Barre, Vt., Squad To Meet Brockton In Sectional Final

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — Power plus pitching have carried Barre, Vt., and Brockton, Mass., North to a showdown for the Northeast Sectional play-off of Little League baseball.

Barre defeated Middletown, R.I., 6-0 Saturday at Portland, Maine, completing its sweep of that four-state competiton.

Brockton downed Swampscott 4-1 for the Massachusetts crown with shortstop Fran Saba's three-run homer the difference.

Barre righthander John Lauderdale tossed a two-hitter at Middletown while shortstop Tommy Collins and first baseman Bruce Chaloux hit homers.

Earlier in the week, Barre had walloped Bangor 10-2 on Rick Conti's one-hitter and a three-homer assault worth six tallies.

In a consolation game in Portland Saturday, Bangor defeated Manchester, N.H., 5-2.

NLL All-Stars List 14 Men For Tourney

7/11/61

The Pittsfield North Little Baseball League all-star team entered in the District One playoffs, beginning July 20, will carry 14 men.

The manager will be John Shutts of the Fire Department, the coach will be Bert Herbert of Zayre's, and the representative of the league will be Jim Collins.

North's first opponent will be Pittsfield West, at West, Saturday, July 22 at 6.

The roster:

Richard Paris	Donald Gattasso
Douglas Hebert	Peter McCumiskey
William Brown	Michael Trudeau
Howard Jones	David Kirchner
ThomasS herman	Dudley Kinnas
Paul Andrew	Dennis Furlano
William Watroba	Richard Komuniecki

East Team In WM Title Game Tonight

Little Leaguers Meet Longmeadow At Strople Field

The Pittsfield East Little League All-Stars will go after their second straight Western Massachusetts championship tonight at 6 when they meet the Longmeadow All-Stars at Strople Memorial field on Williams Street, Longmeadow. Pittsfield won the District 1 title and Longmeadow the District 2 crown.

The winner of tonight's contest will play an eastern Massachusetts club for the state championship at the end of the week.

The East team took the district title by beating North Adams North, Pittsfield South and North Adams South. John Duda pitched a no-hit, no-run game for the Pittsfield team in the championship tilt against North Adams South last Wednesday at Greylock Field in North Adams.

Duda probably will start tonight against Longmeadow. The probable starting line-up will be: Jeff Connor, cf; Craig Leslie, ss; Tom Doyle, lf; Tom Rilla, rf; Pete Vacchina, c; Al Borelli, 3b; Bud Reddington, 1b; Carl Albano, 2b; Duda, p.

LL All-Star Playoff Set For July 20

Nine Teams Entered In District One; Games Begin at 6

The District One Little Baseball League All-Star playoff tournament will begin Thursday, July 20, with Adams playing North Adams North at Kemps Park in North Adams. It will be the only first-round game.

In the second round, Saturday, July 22, Pittsfield North will be at Pittsfield West, North Adams South will be at Williamstown and Pittsfield South will be at home against Lee. Pittsfield East, the final team in the playoff, will meet the winner of the first-round game.

The semifinal third round will be played Monday, July 24, and the finals are set for Wednesday, July 26. All games begin at 6 p.m.

In case of rain, all games will be advanced to the next day, except for Sunday.

Pete Rilla Wins Play-Off In HR Event

Sinopoli of Clapp Tops Midgets With 2 Round Trippers

Pete Rilla of Springside Park won the junior division of the Park Department's home run hitting contest in a play-off with Bob Pinsonneault of Osceola at the Clapp Park Little League diamond pated.

At the end of the first round, Rilla and Pinsonneault were tied at two homers apiece. Rilla triumphed in the play-off 2-1.

Tom Sinopoli of Clapp won the midget division with two homers. Richard L'Hote of Lakewood was second with one.

Winners and runners up received awards and certificates. They will be given trophies on Circus Day, Friday, Aug. 25.

South, East, West Little League Teams Win District 1 Tournament Contests

Little League all-star teams from the Pittsfield South, East and West leagues were victorious in District 1 quarter-final tournament games here Saturday night. South edged Lee 7-6 at Deming Field. East walloped the North Adams North All-Stars 10-0 at Allendale Field and West trounced Pittsfield North 15-3 at Clapp Field. All Pittsfield teams had drawn first round byes.

The East All-Stars meet the South club tonight at 6 at Allendale Field in a semifinal contest. Pittsfield West battles the North Adams South League All-Stars at Greylock Field in North Adams at 6. North Adams South shut out Williamstown 6-0 Saturday night in its quarter-final round action.

In the South-Lee game Tom Lonabacker hit a home run to lead off the South's seventh inning to break a 6-6 deadlock and give the victory to the Pittsfield club. Lee had taken a 5-2 lead in the second when 11 men batted, and added another in the fourth on Walker's bases-empty homer. South had two in the first and single runs in the second, third, fourth, sixth and seventh. Shaun Harrington and Mike Caritey collaborated on a five-hitter for the winners.

Four Homers

Home runs by Tom Rilla, Jeff Connor, Alex Borelli and Carl Albano accounted for eight of Pittsfield East's 10 runs. Connor had two for four and Phil Degnan a double and single in three trips.

Winning pitcher John Duda held the North Adams team to five scattered hits and one walk and was never in danger. He fanned eight.

Bill Buckley and Tom Sinopoli belted home runs for the West All-Stars in their easy win over North. Both players also had singles. Buckley drove in four runs and Sinopoli two.

Tony Gibson went all the way on the mound for the winners. He allowed only four hits, struck out six and walked three.

The scores:

PITTSFIELD SOUTH ALL-STARS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barnini, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lonabacker, 2b	5	1	2	4	2	0
Stetson, ss	2	1	0	1	4	2
Harrington, p, 1b	1	1	0	5	0	0
DelMolino, 1b, lf	2	2	1	0	0	1
Ricciarini, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Virgilio, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	2
Esposito, c	2	0	0	9	1	1
DelGallo, cf	2	0	0	1	1	0
*O'Donnell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gall, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Caritey, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	7	4	21	8	6

LEE ALL-STARS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ciullo, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Walker, 2b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Wellington, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McDarby, ss	3	1	2	1	0	1
Lucy, 3b	4	1	0	2	2	0
Stedman, 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Finnigan, rf, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Dewkett, c	3	0	0	11	0	0
Morrison, p	1	1	0	0	0	0
Glenner, cf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Filio, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Whalen, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salice, rf, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	1
Fulton, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	1
	30	6	5	18	5	4

Pittsfield South All-Stars	211	101	1—7
Lee All-Stars	050	100	0—6

*Batted for Barnini in 5th.

PITTSFIELD EAST ALL-STARS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Leslie, ss	3	1	1	2	2	0
Doyle, 1b	3	2	1	4	0	0
Rilla, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Wilk, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vacchina, c	2	1	1	8	0	0
Degnan, 2b	3	0	2	0	0	1
Borelli, 3b	3	1	1	1	1	0
Albano, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Duda, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
	26	10	10	18	4	1

NORTH ADAMS NORTH ALL-STARS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Spooner, 2b, 3b	2	0	1	1	3	0
Dan Brendza, 3b, p, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Accombright, ss, p	3	0	1	0	1	1
Messina, c	3	0	1	6	0	0
Remillard, p, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tove, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Larry Brendza, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Bullet, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Willette, lf, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Rivard, 2b	2	0	0	3	0	0
Kelly, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gallagher, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pitroff, 1b	2	0	1	4	0	0
	24	0	5	15	7	1

Pittsfield East All-Stars	531 010—10

WEST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss	3	2	0	0	1	0
Russo, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Hunt, 1b	4	2	0	7	0	1
Gibson, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Buckley, cf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Lombard, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sinopoli, c	4	2	2	6	0	0
McDonald, 3b	4	1	0	2	1	1
McDonough, rf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Dills, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
DiMartino, 2b	2	2	0	0	1	0
Parise, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
	30	15	7	18	5	2

NORTH

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Andrew, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Paris, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	1
Kinnas, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, lf, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Sherman, 1b	2	1	1	5	0	0
Herbert, ss	3	1	*0	3	0	5
Watroba, c	3	0	0	6	0	1
Kirchner, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Gattasso, p	1	0	0	0	1	1
Jones, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Trudeau, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	24	3	4	15	5	8

West	084 30x—15
North	100 200— 3

Duda Pitches 7-1 Triumph For Curletti's

John Duda handcuffed Pittsfield Electric on a two-hitter as Curletti's won 7-1 in an East Little League game at Allendale Field last night. The game was close until the winners scored six runs in the fifth inning, featuring back-to-back home runs by Duda and Pat Phelps, Duda's coming with two men on base.

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
C. Mitchell, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Horn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chojnowski, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, c	3	2	2	10	1	0
Duda, p	3	1	2	0	2	0
Phelps, 1b	3	1	2	4	0	0
Archey, ss	2	0	1	2	1	1
Lucaroni, 2b	3	1	0	1	0	0
B. DiNicola, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Mitchell, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	0
J. DiNicola, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hickey, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	7	8	18	5	1

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	2	0	0	2	1	0
Gasson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Curley, c	3	0	0	11	1	1
Reddington, 1b	3	0	1	3	0	0
Ryan, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Wilk, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Kopychak, lf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Hebler, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lusignan, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Flaherty, p	1	1	0	0	0	0
	19	1	2	18	4	1

CURLETTI'S	000 160—7
PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC	000 001—1

Pittsfield East Plays N.A. South in Title Contest Tonight at 6

The Pittsfield East Little League All-Stars and the North Adams South All-Stars will meet tonight at 6 on Greylock Field in North Adams for the District 1 Little League championship. Each term has two previous victories in tournament play.

The East team walloped the North Adams North club 10-0 Saturday and Pittsfield South 5-2 Monday night. Both games were played at Allendale Field.

North Adams South shut out Williamstown 6-0 Saturday and Pittsfield West 14-1 Monday night. The Saturday game was at Greylock Field in North Adams and the Monday action took place at Kemp Field in that community.

East League Picks Players

East Little Baseball League officials have named 14 players and two alternates to the league all-star team. The East team draws a bye in the opening rounds and will play the winner of the first round Adams-North Adams North game in the semifinals July 24.

The players chosen and their batting averages are: Carl Albano, .367; Jeff Connor, .420; John Duda, .276; Craig Leslie, .345; Bud Reddington, .465; Mike Curley, .394; Tom Doyle, .471; Steve Teal, .273; Tom Rilla, .457; Mike Cook, .290; Pete Vacchina, .440; Alex Borelli, .425; Phil Degnan, .549; Bill Wilk, .257.

The alternates are Dennis Perrone, .344, and Bill Adamczyk, .200.

Swampscott LL All-Stars Deep in Pitching, Hitting

The Swampscott Little Baseball League All-Stars, Pittsfield East's first opponent in the state play-off this weekend at Haverhill, will be well equipped with pitchers and power. In their six games of tournament play, they have made 28 runs and have allowed only four to be scored against them. Their two leading pitchers, Donald (Toot) Cahoon and Mike Egan, have split the wins and have given up only 12 hits collectively. Egan hurled a no-hitter to beat Saugus American 6-0 in the fourth game. Cahoon's best effort has been a one-hitter against Nahant. The one hit was a home run, but Swampscott won 3-1.

In the second game, Egan turned in a two-hitter to eliminate Lynnfield 3-0. The fire-baller struck out nine and walked only two. Jeff Collier, the first baseman, starred at the plate with a home run.

Cahoon returned, with the help of left fielder Tony Blood's two-run homer, to stop Lynn Shore 6-0 in the third contest. The young ace struck out 12 and gave up one walk.

The fifth game, with Cahoon again on the mound, was the sectional play-off with Danvers. Both teams were district champs. Centerfielder Paul Valleriani blasted a home run in the fifth to help his team to a 5-2 victory.

The last of the six games was played Saturday against Tewksbury. Collier hit his second homer of the play-off season and Egan fanned 12 to win 5-1. Egan retired the side in order in the first, second and sixth innings with strikeouts.

The team also comes equipped with a big rooting section. There is a contingent of from 300 to 400 persons planning to attend the Haverhill games, some of whom have decided to go to the Little League World Series in Williamsport, Pa., whatever the fate of their team.

The squad is managed by Al Cerone, and is coached by Al Durratti.

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City Savings, Royal Store Play for LL Title Tonight

It will be a battle between the North and South again tonight when City Savings of the South Little League and Royal Discount Store of the North loop clash for the city Little League championship at 5:45 at Wahconah Field. In first round games yesterday, City Savings defeated Curletti's Market of the East league 4-1 at Deming Field and the Royal team topped West champions, Civitan Club 4-2 at Wahconah Field.

Royal broke a 2-2 tie and clinched the victory in the last of the fifth with two runs behind the one-hit pitching of Billy Brown. Brown started the rally in the fifth with a single. Don Boland was safe on a fielder's choice when a throw to second was late to force Brown.

The next batter struck out and John Wilk walked to load the bases. Denny Furlano singled scoring Brown, but Boland was cut down at the plate by Eddie McMahon's fine throw. Craig Hebert walked and Ricky Paris came through with a base hit to right to bring in Wilk with the final run.

Royal scored its first two runs in the second without a hit. A hit batsman and four successive walks accounted for the runs.

Civitan Scores First

Civitan opened the scoring in the top of the second. Dave Dallmeyer singled. Brown fanned the next two batters but then walked Art Winters. Dallmeyer stole third on the fourth ball and Winters kept right on going to second. When the play was made at second Dallmeyer came on to score.

Winters made Civitan's second run in the fifth. Winters was safe on a fielder's choice. He stole second and third and was awarded home when Brown slipped off the rubber and was charged with a balk.

For winning the championship of its league, the Civitan club has received a trophy which it keeps for a year. The winning team presents the trophy to its sponsor for display. The trophy was donated three years ago by Tony Giardino, then league president. Each year the name of the champion is inscribed on the trophy.

Mike Caritey threw a neat four-hitter against Curletti's in the other play-off contest. Pete Sheran and Kevin O'Donnell led the attack for Royal with a double and single apiece. Kevin Connelly had two singles and two runs batted in. Carl Albano had two of Curletti's four safeties.

The Royal Store was never in trouble. The North League champs scored once in the second, twice in the third and once in the fifth. Curletti's averted a shutout with a single run in the sixth.

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	2	0	1	2	1	0
Baker, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
D. Hebert, ss	1	0	0	1	3	0
Brown, p	3	1	2	0	4	0
Boland, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	2	0	0	7	0	0
Wilk, c	2	1	0	8	0	0
Furlano, 2b	2	1	1	0	0	0
Hebert, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Florczyk, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	19	4	5	18	8	0

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss	1	0	0	1	0	1
Parise, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Lombard, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Gibson, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Dallmeier, 1b	3	1	1	3	0	0
Goyette, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Simonelli, c	1	0	0	8	0	0
Winters, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	1	0	0	1	1	0
zRicchi	1	0	0	0	0	0
	18	2	1	15	5	1

Royal	020 02 —4
Civitan	010 010—2

z—Struck out for Winters in 6th.

RBI—Paris, Furlano, Baker, Hebert, 2B—Baker. SB—Kinnas, Gibson, Dallmeyer 2, Winters 3. SAC—Parise. DP—Lombard, Simonelli. LOB—Royal 10, Civitan 6. BB—Gibson 9, Brown 6. SO—Gibson 6, Brown 8. HBP—Furlano (Gibson), Simonelli (Brown). Balk—Brown. U—Harris, Firoczyk. T—1h, 35m.

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Caritey, p	3	0	1	0	2	2
T. O'Donnell, 2b, lf	2	0	0	2	1	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	3	0	2	1	0	1
Komienski, cf, ss	3	1	0	0	0	0
Sharen, c	2	2	2	13	1	0
Ricci, ss	1	0	1	0	0	0
Meehan, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	1
K. Connelly, rf	2	0	2	1	0	0
Redlin, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grogen, cf, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
xSalamone	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wheelock, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxBates	1	0	0	0	0	0
Marsetti, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	21	4	9	18	4	4

CURLETTI'S MARKET

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Conner, cf, p	3	0	0	0	0	1
Chojnowski, lf, 1b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Albano, 1b, c	3	0	2	8	0	0
Duda, p, 1b	3	0	1	0	4	0
M. Mitchell, 3b	3	1	1	0	2	0
Archey, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Gauchione, c	2	0	0	0	1	0
Lucaroni, 2b	2	0	0	3	0	0
C. Mitchell, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. DiNicola, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. DiNicola, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	1	4	15	8	1

City Savings	012 01 —4
Curletti's Market	000 001—1

x—Batted for Redlin in 2nd.
xx—Batted for Grogen in 5th.

RBI—Meehan, K. Connelly 2, 2B—K. O'Donnell, Sharen. SB—Kamienski, Sharen, Ricci, Meehan, K. Connelly, M. Mitchell. SAC—B. DiNicola, T. O'Donnell, K. Connelly. LOB—City Saving 8, Curletti's 7. BB—Caritey 2, Duda 4. SO—Caritey 11, Duda 4, Conner 1. HO—Duda, 2 in 5; Conner, 1 in 1. PB—Sharen 1, Gauchione 2. L—Duda. U—Gwinnell and Stanton. T—1h, 40m.

City Savings Triumphs On Walks

7/13

Fire Department Nips Zayre 4-3 In Extra Innings

City Savings and Ed Johnson's could get only two hits apiece in last night's South Little League game at Deming Field, but the bank team took advantage of 12 walks to take the victory 7-5. Seven of the walks plus a hit batsman came in the fourth inning in which City Savings scored six runs. Dick Boyer of Johnson's had a double and three RBIs.

In a North League game at Wahconah Field Pittsfield Fire Department nipped the Zayre team 4-3 in two extra innings. Don Gattaso and Pete LeBlanc teamed up to pitch a three-hitter. Gattaso fanned 14 and LeBlanc two. LeBlanc singled home Billy Watroba with the winning run in the last of the eighth inning.

In West League action at Clapp Field Bill Michaels held Goyette Bros. to four hits as his Union Federal team rapped out nine to win 11-3. Denny Williams had two doubles and a single for the winners. Mark Danforth homered for the losers.

Craig Leslie hit a three-run homer in the fifth inning of the East League game at Allendale Field to break a 4-4 deadlock and give Pittsfield Electric a 7-4 win over MacDonald's. Tom Flaherty pitched a five-hitter for the winners. Alan Olds allowed only six hits in the losing cause.

The scores:

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Caritey, cf	2	2	0	0	0	0
T. O'Donnell, ss, p	3	1	1	2	3	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	1
J. Kamienski, p, ss	3	1	1	1	2	0
Sharen, c	2	1	0	6	0	0
Meehan, 1b	2	1	0	5	0	2
Grogan, rf	1	0	0	1	0	1
Redlin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wheelock, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	0
Salomone, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	18	7	2	18	7	4

ED JOHNSON'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ireland, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
M. Connolly, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Cassidy, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hote, p	3	1	0	2	1	1
Trapani, 3b	2	2	0	1	2	1
Codding, cf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Boyer, 2b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Carmody, c	2	0	0	10	1	0
Nagelschmidt, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	5	2	18	5	2

City Savings 000 601—7
Ed John's 022 100—5

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Holby, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
P. LaRochelle, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Carpenter, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Dinsmore, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fiegel, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Enright, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Koidys, 3b	3	1	2	0	0	0
Watroba, c	4	1	2	16	0	1
DiCicco, ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
Gattaso, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
LeBlanc, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Ziemba, 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
D. LaRochelle, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Denno, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Rembish, 3b	2	0	0	4	0	0
	22	4	7	24	3	1

ZAYRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McKeever, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Barzouski, 1b, 2b	4	1	1	1	0	0
Jones, ss, c	2	1	1	2	0	0
Sherman, p, 1b	1	1	1	4	0	0
Scagliarini, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Murray, 2b	1	0	0	2	1	0
Vandergrift, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Ekusuzian, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cartier, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Rivers, c, p	3	0	0	11	2	0
	24	3	3*	22	4	0

PFD 300 000 01—4
Zayre 003 000 00—3

*—Game ended with one out in last of 8th.

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
D. Williams, lf	5	2	3	1	0	0
Russo, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	0
Dimartino, ss	3	1	1	0	4	0
Dills, c	2	1	2	10	1	0
Clifford, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Michaels, p	3	1	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	3	1	0	1	2	0
Van, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	1
B. Williams, 1b	2	2	1	5	0	1
Cimini, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Utzig, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	11	9	18	8	2

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Petell, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
D. Harrison, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Litano, 3b	3	0	2	5	1	0
Dripps, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Danford, 1b	3	1	1	4	0	0
Mole, c	3	0	0	8	0	1
Latimere, ss, p	1	0	0	1	2	1
Nash, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ciliberti, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Harrison, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pinsonneault, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Meloveck, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kozack, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0
	23	3	4	18	3	3

Union Federal 109 100—11
Goyette Brothers 000 030— 3

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	2	3	1	0	3	0
Curley, c	3	1	0	8	0	0
Ryan, 2b	4	0	1	3	0	0
Reddington, 1b	1	0	1	6	0	0
Wilk, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Kopychak, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lusignan, cf	2	1	1	1	0	1
Gasson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Flaherty, p	2	1	1	0	4	0
	21	7	6	18	8	2

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wilk, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
St. John, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Perkins, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hardy, 1b	2	1	1	4	0	0
Degnan, ss	2	1	2	1	1	0
St. Peter' rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Pazsit, 3b	2	0	0	3	2	0
Olds, p	3	0	1	1	1	1
Papallo, c	2	0	0	5	1	0
Herman, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Barbarotta, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	4	5	15	5	1

Pittsfield Electric 220 03 —7
McDonald's 000 040—4

Pittsfield East, N.A. South Take Semifinal LL Contests

7/25

The Pittsfield East Little League All-Stars and the North Adams South All-Stars won their semifinal round District 1 tournament games last night and will meet tomorrow night at 6 on Greylock Field in North Adams for the district championship.

Southpaw Tommy Doyle threw a three-hit game for the Pittsfield East club as it downed Pittsfield South 5-2 at Allendale Field. The North Adams South team won easily over Pittsfield West 14-1 at Kemp Field in North Adams.

Doyle had a no-hit game going until one out in the sixth inning. He then weakened a little and was reached for three safeties including Nando Delmolino's double. The little left-hander then braced and closed out the game. He got the final out on strikes.

Bud Reddington belted a bases-empty home run for the East. Tom Rilla had two singles and drove in three runs for the winners.

Dale Stetson pitched well for the South. He gave up eight hits and did not walk a man. He was hurt by six errors by his mates.

North Adams Hits Hard

The North Adams South team belted Pittsfield West pitching for 10 hits, and drew six walks. The Pittsfield club was also guilty of seven errors. Larry Hunt had a home run and single for the West boys. Bill Buckley rapped two singles. Chris Gallagher belted a double.

Scully was the big gun for North Adams with a single, double and home run.

Announcement of the championship game tomorrow night was made at Allendale following the East victory in an effort by league officials to get a good crowd of supporters for the team in its battle for the title.

PITTSFIELD EAST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, cf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Leslie, ss	3	1	1	2	1	0
Doyle, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Rilla, rf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Vacchina, c	3	0	0	6	0	0
Borelli, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Reddington, 1b	3	1	1	6	0	1
Teal, 2b	3	1	0	1	4	0
Albano, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
	27	5	8	18	7	1

PITTSFIELD SOUTH

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonnabacher, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Virgilio, 2b	3	0	1	2	2	1
Steson, p	3	1	0	0	0	1
Harrington, ss	2	0	1	1	0	2
Delmolino, 1b	3	0	1	3	0	1
Ricciarini, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Gall, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Esposito, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
DelGallo, cf	1	1	0	0	0	1
Barnini, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Best, lf	1	0	0	2	0	0
	22	2	3	15	2	6

EAST 140 00x—5
SOUTH 001 001—2

NORTH ADAMS SOUTH

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Roberts, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Banui, cf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Scully, ss	4	3	3	2	1	0
Caprari, 1b	4	1	2	2	0	0
Sheldon, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Martin, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Lincoln, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
x-Chilson	1	1	1	0	0	0
Gentile, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Elias, c	4	1	0	9	0	0
Marsh, rf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Dishanty, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pettibone, 3b	2	1	0	1	0	0
Travelli, p	0	3	0	2	1	0
	27	14	10	18	2	0

PITTSFIELD WEST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss	1	0	1	1	1	0
Russo, lf	3	0	0	1	0	2
Kozack, lf-2b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Hunt, 1b-p	3	1	2	3	1	1
Gibson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Buckley, cf	3	0	2	2	0	0
Sinopoli, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Dills, c	2	0	0	3	0	0
McDonald, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	2
Massery, p	1	0	0	1	1	0
DiMartino, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Lombard, p-lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Parise, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
McDonough, 1b-2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
	22	1	6	15	4	7

x-Singled for Lincoln in the 4th.
NORTH ADAMS SOUTH 002 57x—14
PITTSFIELD WEST 000 001— 1

Pittsfield East Faces Longmeadow In Playoff Game

7/31/61

EAST LONGMEADOW — The Longmeadow Little League All-Stars took the District 2 Championship Saturday on a 2-0 victory over East Longmeadow at Center Field, and won the right to meet the Pittsfield East League All-Stars Wednesday night in a state play-off game.

The Pittsfield East team is the District 1 champion. The East club gained the title by beating North Adams North, Pittsfield South and North Adams South. Pittsfield team clinched its title Wednesday on a no-hit game by John Duda.

A two-run homer by Rockwell (Chip) Keeney in the third inning won the game for Longmeadow Saturday.

Gull Team Wins Despite 10 Errors

7/20

The Gull Oil & Coal team of the West Little League committed 10 errors, but made up for it with a big 16-hit attack and downed Goyette Bros. 12-10 last night at Clapp Field. Bill Hermanski scattered four Goyette hits and fanned 13.

Hermanski played a large part in the offense also. He had two doubles and a single and drove in two runs. Tom Williams belted a double and two singles and drove across three. Bill Buckley, Joe Albano and Mike Makes had two singles apiece.

Steve Mole doubled for the losers' only extra base blow.

The score:

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Phillips, 2b	1	3	1	1	0	2
Buckley, ss	4	2	2	0	1	0
Albano, 1b	4	0	2	4	0	3
Hermanski, p	4	3	3	0	0	2
Williams, 3b	3	0	3	0	2	2
Makes, c	4	1	2	13	0	1
Benham, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Coty, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Loomis, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Martin, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
West, cf	2	1	1	0	0	0
W. Bandurski, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	31	12	16	18	3	10

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Petell, 1b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Gleason, c	4	2	1	5	0	0
Litano, 3b	3	1	1	1	2	2
Danford, 1b	4	1	1	5	0	0
Mole, lf	4	2	1	2	0	1
Giftos, cf	2	2	0	0	0	0
Dripps, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ciliberti, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Nash, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kozack, ss	3	1	0	1	2	0
Meloveck, p	2	0	0	0	0	1
	30	10	4	15	4	4

Gull Oil & Coal 252 12 —12
Goyette Bros. 032 401—10

RBI—Phillips, Albano 2, Hermanski 2, Williams 3, Makes, Loomis, Litano 2, Ciliberti. 2B—Hermanski 2, Williams, Mole. SAC—Williams. LOB—Gull Oil & Coal 9, Goyette Bros. 7. BB—Hermanski 4, Meloveck 3. SO—Hermanski 13, Meloveck 2. HBP—Hermanski (Kozack). U—Kruger and Shaughnessey. T—1h, 30m.

Mexican Boy Hurls Fifth No-Hitter

Monterrey Pitcher Stars in LL World Series Contest

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa. (UPI) — A 12-year-old Mexican boy who learned to play baseball only a year ago was the proud owner today of the fifth no-hitter in the 15-year history of the Little League World Series.

Rafael Montemayor turned the trick Wednesday to lead Monterrey, Mex., to a 4-0 victory over Pirmasens, Germany.

The win powered the Monterrey Little Leaguers into today's semi-finals. They will meet El Campo, Tex., after Hilo, Hawaii, takes on El Cajon, Calif.

Montemayor dressed up his no-hit, no-run effort with 12 strikeouts and allowed only three men to reach base — all on walks.

The fireballer was also a giant at the plate, slamming a homer, a double and a single in three times at bat.

El Campo qualified for the semifinals by beating Terre Haute, Ind., 4-2, on Bill Shutt's two-run homer in the eighth inning.

Home Run By Barrington Decides Game

A home run by Mike Barrington, with Angelo Magri on base, in the fifth inning was the deciding factor in Besse-Clarke's 5-4 win over Moldmasters last night in an East Little League game at Allendale Field.

Tom Rilla had a bases-empty four-bagger for the losers in the fifth. He also had a double in the game.

The score:

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Forman, ss	2	1	0	1	2	0
Adamczyk, rf, 3b	2	0	1	0	1	0
Cook, 1b	4	0	0	4	0	0
Zaccarini, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
M. Barrington, c	2	1	1	1	0	0
Monteleone, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Dennison, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	2
Denno, rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ellis, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. Barrington, 3b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Magri, c	2	1	1	8	0	0
McManama, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
McHugh, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
	25	5	7	18	4	2

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Terry Doyle, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	0
Teal, c, 3b	4	0	1	3	0	0
Tom Doyle, 1b, p	4	1	1	6	2	0
Rilla, cf, 1b	2	1	2	1	0	0
Perrone, ss	3	0	0	2	1	0
Briggs, p, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Clark, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Morano, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Carmel, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Perkins, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, p, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Russo, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stone, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	4	5	18	4	1

Besse-Clarke 110 030—5
Moldmaster 200 110—4

RBI—Forman, Cook, Magri, M. Barrington 2, Rilla. 2B—Zaccarini, Rilla. HR—M. Barrington, Rilla. LOB—Moldmaster 5, Besse-Clarke 4. BB—Ellis 2, McHugh, Briggs 4. SO—McHugh 4, Briggs 1, Allen 3, Doyle 2. HO—Ellis, 2 in 2; McHugh, 3 in 4; Briggs, 2 in 3; Allen, 5 in 2; Doyle, 0 in 1. HBP—McHugh (Tom Rilla). W—McHugh. L—Allen. U—Giovanetti, Curley. T—1h, 25m.

Three LL Tourney Games Set For Pittsfield Tonight at 6

7/22/61

Three District 1 Little League all-star tournament baseball games are scheduled for Pittsfield tonight at 6. The West League All-Stars will meet the Pittsfield All-Stars at West's home field located behind Clapp Park off Hollister Street.

Lee will play Pittsfield South at Deming Field and North Adams North will face Pittsfield East at Allendale Field. North Adams North defeated Adams 4-2 in the only first round game Thursday. All other teams drew first round byes. North Adams South League will play Williamstown at Williamstown in a fourth second round game tonight.

West League all-star players are Tom Sinopoli and Larry Hunt of the Eagles, Chris Gallagher, Dick Lombard, Tony Gibson and Dick Parise of Civitan, Dan McDonald, Jim McDonough and Lou Massery of M&B Electric, Tom Russo, Tony DiMartino and Dave Dills of Union Federal, Jerry Kozack of Goyette Bros. and Bill Buckley of Gull Oil and Coal.

The West's starting line-up is as follows: Gallagher, ss; Sinopoli, C; Hunt, 1b; Gibson, p; DiMartino, 2b; McDonald, 3b; Dills rf; Buckley, cf; Russo, 1b.

East will start the following team: Connors-Wilk cf; Leslie, ss; Doyle-Reddington, 1b; Rilla-Cook, rf; Vacchina-Curley, c; Degnan-Teal, 2b; Borelli, 3b; Albano, lf; Duda, p.

Beavers Win 10-9 Over Interlaken In Tri-Town Play

WEST STOCKBRIDGE — The West Stockbridge Beavers squeaked out a 10-9 win over the Interlaken Indians in a Tri-Town Baseball League game last night.

The Beavers bounced to a 5-1 lead at the end of one inning, but couldn't hold the edge and fell into a 9-9 tie at the end of the fifth.

It was the 15th straight win for League leaders. Ed Desaulniers was the winning pitcher. He has yet to lose this season.

LL Directors To Meet Tomorrow

The board of directors of the Pittsfield Little Baseball leagues will hold a meeting at the Springside House tomorrow night at 8 president Harry MacWhinnie announced today.

The meeting will be to discuss plans for this year's city tournaments.

Elks Add Two Triumphs In South Loop

Civitan, Royal Club Also Victorious In Little Leagues

The Elks added two wins to their South Little League record last night at Deming Field by beating Optimist Club 8-1 in a regular game and 10-6 in the continuation of a game halted after eight innings by darkness June 12. Dale Stetson pitched a one-hitter in the complete contest.

The continued tilt went two more extra innings, which would be equivalent to the 10th, when a hit by Don Loveless drove in two runs and Bruce Robertson smacked a two-run homer.

In a West League game at Clapp Field Civitan Club defeated Union Federal 6-2. Chris Gallagher and Dave Dallmeyer had a single and double apiece for Civitan. Tony Gibson of Civitan and Tom Russo of Union Federal had two singles each.

In the North League game at Wahconah Field, Royal Discount smashed out four extra base hits and downed Pittsfield Co-op 10-3. John Wilk and Jeff Griffith hit triples and Dick Paris and Don Boland belted doubles for the winners. Dave Kane had a three bagger and Bob Stanger a double for Co-op.

The scores:

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barnini, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Loveless, c	4	0	0	9	0	0
Best, ss	3	1	1	0	1	0
Stetson, p	3	2	2	0	2	0
Robertson, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Rainka, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Dennis, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
MacDonald, 3b	1	1	0	0	2	1
Staples, 1b	2	0	0	8	0	1
McConnell, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	28	8	7	18	17	2

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Klemanski, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
R. DelGallo, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Harrington, p	3	1	1	0	0	0
Ricciarini, c	1	0	0	6	0	0
Bondi, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	0
B. DelGallo, ss	2	0	0	2	1	0
Barbalunga, lf	2	0	0	1	0	1
Villanova, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Andries, ss	0	0	0	0	0	1
Marshall, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massimiano, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	20	1	1	18	3	2

Elks	310	04	—8
Optimist	000	100	—1

RBI—Ricciarini, Barnini, Loveless, Stetson 2, Robertson, Rainka, Dennis, Staples. 2B—Stetson, Robertson. SAC—Robertson, Ricciarini. LOB—Elks 7, Optimist 2. BB—Harrington 6. SO—Harrington 6, Stetson 9. PB—Ricciarini 2, Loveless 3. U—Knappa and Kruger. T—1h, 30m.

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barnini, cf	3	3	1	1	1	0
Loveless, c	4	1	1	12	2	0
Best, ss	6	2	1	1	3	1
Stetson, p	5	2	1	1	5	0
Robertson, lf	4	1	1	1	0	1
Rainka, 2b	5	0	0	2	2	2
Dennis, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Staples, 1b	2	0	1	9	0	0
MacDonald, 3b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Lyons, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
McConnell, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
	37	10	5	30	13	4

OPTIMIST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	5	2	1	0	3	1
Klemanski, rf	6	1	1	3	0	0
Harrington, p	1	1	1	0	4	0
Ricciarini, c	6	1	2	16	0	0
R. DelGallo, cf	4	1	2	1	1	2
Bondi, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Bagdonas, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	0
B. DelGallo, ss	6	0	1	0	0	2
Marshall, lf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Villanova, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
zAndrias	1	0	0	0	0	0
Massimiano, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Barbalunga, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
	43	6	9	30	10	6

Elks	500	001	000	4—10
Optimist	103	002	000	0— 6

z— Batted for Bagdonas in 8th.

RBI—Ricciarini, R. DelGallo, Bondi, B. DelGallo, Barnini, Loveless, Best, Stetson 2, MacDonald. 2B—Ricciarini 2, B. DelGallo. HR—Dale Stetson. SB—R. DelGallo. SAC—Barnini, Robertson. LOB—Elks 12, Optimists 9. BB—Harrington 8, R. DelGolla 4, Stetson 5, Best 4. SO—Harrington 13, R. DelGallo 3, Stetson 8, Best 4. HO—Harrington, 3 in 6; R. DelGallo, 3 in 4; Stetson, 7 in 8; Best, 2 in 4. HBP—Stetson (Bagdonas). PB—Ricciarini 6, Loveless 4. W—Best. L—R. DelGallo. U—Knappe, Hart, Croce, Kruger. T—3h.

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, 2b	4	1	2	0	1	0
Parise, ss	3	1	0	5	0	0
Lombard, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gibson, cf	3	2	2	1	1	1
Ricchi, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Goyette, 2b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Soffile, 2b	0	1	0	2	0	0
Dayymyer, 1b	3	0	2	2	0	0
Simonelli, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Winters, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
D. Phillips, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Witfield, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	24	6	7	18	3	1

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Michaels, lf	2	0	1	2	0	1
Russo, p	3	0	2	0	0	0
DiMartino, ss	2	0	0	2	2	0
Maniatis, c	3	1	0	6	1	1
Clifford, cf	3	0	1	1	2	1
D. Williams, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Dills, 3b	2	0	1	2	1	0
B. Williams, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
R. Phillips, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1
xUtzig	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	2	6	18	7	4

Civitan	301	020	—6
Union Federal	000	020	—2

x—Struck out for R. Phillips in 6th.

RBI—D. Williams 2, Gibson, Dallmyer, Goyette. 2B—Gallagher, Dallmyer, Michaels. HR—D. Williams, Gibson. SAC—Goyette. LOB—Civitan 4, Union Federal 11. BB—Winters 7, Russo 3. SO—Winters 8, Russo 5. U—Stanton and Harris. T—1h, 20m.

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Baker, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
A. Florczyk, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paris, 3b	2	1	1	1	0	1
Furlano, 1b	3	2	1	6	1	0
Brown, p	2	2	0	0	5	0
Boland, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
D. Hebert, ss	3	1	1	2	0	0
Wilk, c	3	1	1	9	0	0
Kinnas, 2b, cf	2	1	0	0	2	0
Griffith, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
C. Hebert, 2b	1	1	0	0	1	0
	22	16	6	18	0	1

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powers, c	4	0	1	4	1	1
Andrews, ss	4	2	2	2	2	0
Kane, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Fetridge, rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chandler, p	3	1	1	2	3	0
Stanger, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Keegan, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Zifer, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Lander, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	3
D. Florczyk, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Kerwood, 1b	1	0	0	5	0	0
zB. Lander	1	0	0	0	0	0
Doulleft, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Marinaro, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	3	7	15	7	4

NRoyal Discount	005	14	—10
Pittsfield Co-Op.	101	010	— 3

z—Struck out for Kerwood in 6th.

2B—Paris, Boland, Stanger. 3B—Wilk, Griffith, Kane. SAC—Kinnas. DP—Andrews to Kerwood. LOB—Royal Discount 4, Co-Op. 7. BB—Chandler 2, Brown 3. SO—Chandler 3, Brown 8. HBP—Chandler (Baker, C. Hebert). W—Brown. L—Chandler. U—Gwinnell and Molkoski. T—1h, 25m.

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, lf	4	1	3	1	0	0
Terry Doyle, 2b	4	2	3	0	0	0
Tom Doyle, 3b	4	2	0	1	2	0
Rilla, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	1

Curletti's Scores in 6th For Victory

Optimists, Civitan, Colt Insurance Take LL Contests

A run in the sixth was the margin of victory for the Curletti's team of the East Little League last night at Allendale Field as it edged Western Mass. Supply 4-3. The winning score was made by Carl Albano who singled, went to third on Lou Chojnowsky's sacrifice and came in on John Duda's infield hit. Albano had three singles in three times at bat.

In a South League game at Deming Nando Del Molino and Joe Esposito teamed up to pitch a one-hitter but still lost as the Optimist Club nipped Crescent Creamery 3-1. Winning pitcher Paul Harrington had the hit.

Civitan shut-out M&B Electric in the West League at Clapp Field 5-0. Dick Lombard was the winning pitcher and helped himself with a home run and single.

In the North loop at Wahconah Field Colt Insurance blanked Pittsfield Co-op 6-0. Dave Kirchner held the Co-op team to two hits George Scanlon of Colt's and Paul Andrws of Co-op each hit a two-bagger.

The scores:

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, cf	2	0	2	0	0	0
Lucaroni, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Albano, c	3	1	3	13	0	0
Chojnowski, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Duda, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Archey, ss	2	1	0	2	1	0
Phelps, 1b	2	1	0	2	0	1
C. Mitchell, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morton, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
M. Mitchell, 3b	3	1	0	0	2	0
	24	4	5	18	4	1

WESTERN MASS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Schultz, lf, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Pete Vacchina, p	3	1	2	1	3	1
Borelli, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Sturma, 1b	2	0	1	4	0	1
White, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kennedy, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wagstaff, c	2	0	0	9	0	0
A. Sincere, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0
Paul Vacchina, ss	1	0	1	1	0	0
Schmoyer, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marchetto, 2b	2	1	0	0	0	0
	21	3	5	16	5	2

Curletti's	000	301	—4
Western Mass.	120	000	—3

RBI—Albano, Duda, Borelli, Kennedy. SB—A. Sincere. SAC—Chojnowski. LOB—Curletti's 9, Western Mass. 8. BB—Duda 6, Vacchina 7. SO—Duda 12, Vacchina 9. U—Knappe and Santolin. T—1h, 50m.

OPTIMIST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	0
R. DelGallo, cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Harrington, p	3	1	1	0	0	0
Ricciarini, c	2	0	0	13	0	0
Bondi, 1b	1	0	0	3	1	0
Klemanski, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Barbalunga, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
B. DelGallo, ss	2	0	0	0	0	1
Bagdonas, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Villanova, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	16	3	1	18	2	1

CRESCENT CREAMERY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jonas, 2b	3	0	2	3	1	1
Milukas, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
DelMolino, p	3	1	2	0	0	0
Esposito, c, p	1	0	1	4	1	0
Gall, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Augenstein, ss	3	0	1	0	0	1
Belfer, lf	2	0	0	1	0	1
McKim, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Skowronski, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Maynard, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Graves, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	1	7	15	2	3

Optimist	201	00x	—3
Crescent Creamery	000	010	—1

RBI—Augenstein, Klemanski, Barbalunga. 2B—DelMolino. SB—R. DelGallo. LOB—Optimist 7, Crescent Creamery 9. HO—DelMolino 1 in 4 innings, Esposito 0 in 1. PB—Ricciarini 4, Esposito 2. L—DelMolino. U—Cross and Schilling. T—1h, 45m.

FIELD EAST LITTLE LEAGUE
ht at 6 at Strople Memorial Field in
rst row, Craig Leslie, Billy Wilk, Bi
nnis Perrone, Pete Vacchina, Bud R
oach John (Bud) Doyle, League Pre

Three Hurlers Combine for 1-Hit LL Win

Three pitchers, Shaun Harrington, Steve Ricciarini, and Bruce Del Gallo, combined for the Optimist Club last night to throw a one-hitter and beat Berkshire Trust 3-1 in a South Little Baseball League game at Deming Field.

The Optimists made six hits.

Mark Kellogg pounded a three-run homer for Nichols' Brothers in a 10-4 in over Pittsfield Co-Op in a North League game at Wahconah Field.

In the East League, Curletti's Super Market, with Carl Albano making three hits, defeated Besse-Clarke 10-5 at Allendale Field.

Albano had a home run, a double and a signal, four RBIs and scored twice.

In the West League, Civitan defeated Gull Oil & Coal Co., 16-5. Lombard had a home run for the winners.

The scores:

OPTIMIST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	4	0	1	3	2	0
R. DelGallo, c, p	2	0	0	2	1	0
P. Ricciarini, 1b, p, c	3	0	1	10	0	0
Harrington, p, ss	3	1	2	1	2	0
B. DelGallo, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0
Villanova, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Klemanski, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Massimiano, rf	3	0	0	0	0	1
S. Ricciarini, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bondi, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	1
Marshall, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bagdonas, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0
	26	3	6	18	5	1

BERSHIRE TRUST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Adriance, 2b, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Tobin, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1
Virgilio, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	2
Hart, cf	2	0	0	2	1	0
Farr, c	3	0	1	9	0	1
Wyman, rf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Rohlfs, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Case, p	1	0	0	2	1	1
Lamont, 1b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Stracuzzi, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Hayes, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jobson, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Paris, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	20	0	1	18	4	5

Optimist	000	201	—3

*Also ran in third for Adriance.

NICHOLS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Trudeau, 1b	4	2	3	6	2	0
Ludbrook, c	3	2	2	4	1	0
Garstang, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	0
Reilly, 3b	3	1	1	0	3	0
M. Guilds, ss	2	1	0	3	0	0
Radke, cf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Ruel, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Kellogg, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
R. Guilds, p	3	0	2	1	0	1
Giguere, rf	1	1	1	1	0	1
Comelle, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
	25	10	12	18	7	3

PITTSFIELD CO-OPERATIVE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powers, c	3	0	0	6	1	0
Andruis, p, ss	4	0	2	0	0	0
Chandler, ss, p	3	2	0	2	1	0
Stanger, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Keegan, 2b	2	1	0	1	1	1
Marinaro, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
J. Lander, lf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Fetridge, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Doullette, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kerwood, 1b	2	0	2	4	0	0
Florczyk, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pero, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
*B. Lander	0	1	0	0	0	0
Kane	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	4	5	15	4	1

Nichols	430	03x	—10
Pittsfield Co-operative	301	000	— 4

*Walked for Powers in 1st.

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, p	3	2	1	1	2	0
Chojnowski, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Lucaroni, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, 3b, c	4	2	3	5	1	0
Duda, 1b	4	0	3	4	1	0
Phelps, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Archey, ss	2	1	0	0	1	0
C. Mitchell, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Guachione, c	2	0	0	3	0	0
B. DiNicola, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0
J. DiNicola, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hickey, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Horn, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
M. Mitchell	2	2	0	3	1	0
	28	10	9	18	8	0

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McHugh, rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
M. Barrington, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cavanaugh, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adamczyk, ss	2	2	2	2	0	1
Monteleone, 1b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Zaccarini, p, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Magri, c	3	0	1	13	0	1
Cook, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Forman, 2b, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
McManama, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
B. Barrington, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bonito, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dennison, 2b, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
	21	3	5	18	2	3

Curletti's	041	140	—10
Besse-Clarke	000	102	— 3

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss, p	2	3	0	2	2	0
Parise, 3b, ss	3	2	2	0	1	0
Lombard, cf, 3b	4	2	2	0	0	0
Gibson, lf	4	2	2	0	1	1
Goyette, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Wiffield, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Simonelli, c	4	2	1	11	1	0
Dallmeyer, 1b	3	2	1	4	0	0
Winters, p, lf	3	1	0	0	3	0
*Soffile	1	0	1	0	0	0
Gariepy, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ricchi, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
	30	16	11	18	9	1

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Phillips, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	1
Buckley, ss, p	1	1	0	1	2	0
Albano, 1b, ss	3	0	1	4	1	1
Hermanski, p, c	3	0	1	1	0	0
Makes, 2b, 1b	3	1	1	5	0	1
Williams, 2b	3	1	2	1	0	0
Benham, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Loomis, lf	1	0	0	0	0	1
West, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
W. Bandurski, cf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Coty, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Martin, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
†R. Bandurski	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	5	5	15	4	5

CIVITAN	310	1 11x	—16
GULL OIL & COAL	050	0 00	— 5

*Doubles for Winters in the 5th.
†Struck out for Martin in the 6th.

Scores in All LL Games Attain Double Figures

High scores were prevalent in four Little League baseball games last night with all games going into double figures. In the South League Elks topped City Savings 15-12 at Deming Field. In the East League at Allendale Field Moldmasters trounced McDonald's 13-1.

Royal Discount defeated Zayre 12-5 in a North League contest at Wahconah Field and the Eagles rapped Goyette Bros. 11-3 in West League action at Clapp Field.

In the South League game Dale Stetson, Ken Staples, Bruce Robertson and Gary McConnell collaborated on a one-hitter, City Savings got its runs on 22 walks and three Elks' errors. The bank team pitchers issued 15 bases on balls.

Tom Rilla led the Moldmasters in their win over McDonald's with a grand slam home run, two singles and five RBIs. Jay Allen had three singles for the winners. Tom Morano went all the way for the victory and gave up only four hits.

Doug Hebert of Royal Discount and Howie Jones of Zayre each pitched seven-hitters in the Discount victory. Billy Brown of the winners was the only player with more than one hit.

Tom Barry, with a home run, a double, two singles and five RBIs led the Eagles in their West League triumph over Goyette Bros. Tom Sinopoli had four singles in four times at bat for the winners.

The scores:

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Meany, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, lf	3	2	3	0	0	0
Carmel, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Terry Dole, 2b	4	3	1	2	6	0
Tom Doyle, 3b	4	1	1	2	0	0
Rilla, 1b	5	2	3	6	0	0
Perrone, ss	5	1	2	1	2	1
Briggs, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Teal, c	5	0	1	0	0	0
Morano, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
Stone, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Perkins, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Russo, rf	1	1	1	1	0	0
	38	13	14	18	9	1

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wilk, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
St. John, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Angello, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hardy, 1b	3	0	1	4	0	0
Degnan, p, 3b	2	0	1	2	2	0
St. Peter, 2b	2	0	0	2	1	1
Olds, c	3	0	0	7	0	0
Broderick, ss, p	2	1	1	1	1	2
Freadman, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pasit, 3b	1	0	1	1	0	1
Perkins, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Herman, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	1	4	15	4	4

Moldmasters	030	424	—13
McDonald's	010	000	— 1

RBI—Hardy, Tom Doyle, Rilla 5, Perrone zBarzouski 1 0 0 0 0 0
Moldmasters 10, McDonald's 8. BB—Degnan 4, Broderick 1, Mrano 4. SO—Degnan 6, Broderick 1, Morano 6. HO—Degnan, 9 in 4 1-3; Broderick, 5 in 1 1-3; Morano, 4 in 6. HBP—Morano (St. John, St. Pefer). W—Morano. L—Degnan. U—Harris and Stanton. T—1h, 45m.

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
C. Hebert, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Paris, 3b	3	1	0	2	4	0
Kinnas, ss	3	3	1	1	0	1
Wilk, c	3	2	0	7	0	0
Boland, cf	3	2	1	1	0	0
D. Hebert, p	3	1	1	0	1	1
Furlano, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Brown, 1b	4	2	2	6	0	0
Baker, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Naughton, fl	0	0	0	0	0	0
Griffith, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Florczyk, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mulleft, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Reed, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pleau, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	31	12	7	18	7	2

ZAYRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McKeever, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
zBarouski	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pettijohn, cf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Lacy, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carley, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Scagliarini, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Sherman, ss	3	0	1	3	0	3
Jones, p	3	0	1	1	0	1
Rivers, c	3	0	1	10	0	0
Downey, 1b	2	1	1	4	0	3
Murray, 2b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Vandergrift, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Eksuzian, rf, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zzStanger	0	0	0	0	0	0
	25	5	7	18	5	7

Royal Discount	005	151	—12
Zayre	001	400	— 5

z—Grounded out for McKeever in 6th.
zz—Hit by pitch for Eksuzian in 6th.
RBI—

Ploutte

PITTSFIELD EAST LITTLE LEAGUE ALL-STARS, champions of District 1, meet the Longmeadow All-Stars tomorrow night at 6 at Strople Memorial Field in Longmeadow for the Western Massachusetts crown. East personnel is, left to right: first row, Craig Leslie, Billy Wilk, Bill Adamczyk, Jeff Connor and Steve Teal; second row, Carl Albano, Phil Degnan, Dennis Perrone, Pete Vacchina, Bud Reddington, Al Borelli and Tom Doyle; third row, Mike Curley, Tom Rilla, Coach John (Bud) Doyle, League President Fran Schultz, Coach Jim McManama, John Duda and Mike Cook.

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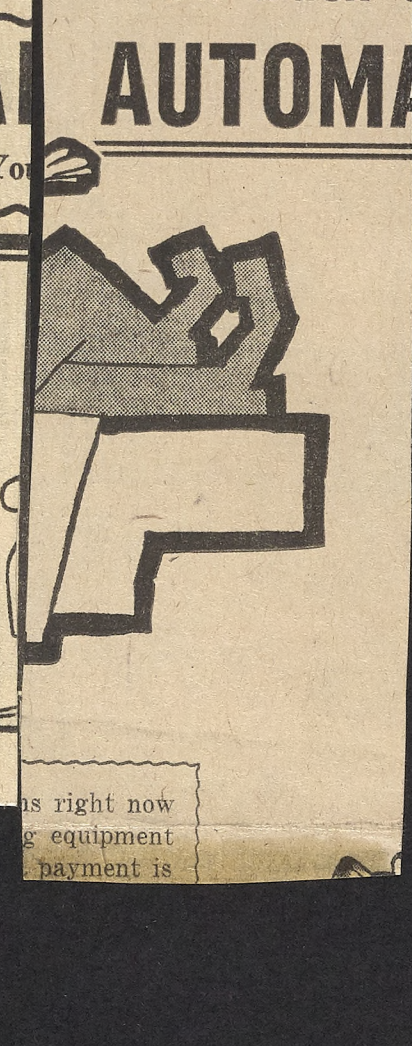

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Gattaso Hurls One-Hitter, Fans 15

6/15/61

Fire Department Defeats Colt Club 3-0 in North Loop

NORTH LEAGUE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Royal Discount Store	6	0	1.000
Zayre's	3	1	.750
Pittsfield Fire Dept.	2	2	.500
Pittsfield Co-op Bank	2	3	.400
Nichols Bros.	1	4	.200
Colt Insurance Agency	0	4	.000

Backing up the sparkling one-hit pitching performance of 12-year-old Don Gattaso, the Pittsfield Fire Department baseball team evened its season record at two and two by beating the Colt Insurance Agency 3-0 last night in a North Little League game at Wahconah Field. Gattaso did not allow a hit until the fifth inning when George Scanlon singled to center.

Gattaso walked only one man and accounted for 15 of the 18 outs with strikeouts. Jerry DiCicco and Al Koldys had two hits apiece for the winners and Gary Rembish drove in two scores with a triple.

In a West League contest at Clapp Field, the Eagles turned back Civitan 9-3. Larry Hunt, with two doubles and two RBIs led the Eagles' attack. Mike O'Donnell and Al Dowling had two singles apiece for the winners. Corky Cross belted a triple.

Chris Gallagher had a big night for Civitan with a home run and three singles. Tony Gibson had a double for the losers.

NORTH

PITTSFIELD FIRE DEPART.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Fiegal, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Carpenter, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enright, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Holby, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gattaso, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Watroba, c	3	0	1	15	0	0
DiCicco, ss	3	1	2	1	0	0
Koldys, 3b	2	1	2	0	0	0
Rembish, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	1
Ziemba, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
LeBlanc, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
D. LaRochelle, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denno, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
P. LaRochelle, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	3	9	18	3	1

COLT'S INSURANCE AGENCY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vincent, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Brockway, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wowk, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	0
McCumiskey, cf	3	0	0	3	1	0
Kirchner, ss	2	0	0	5	1	0
Parise, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Komuniecki, c	2	0	0	3	0	0
Scanlon, 1b	2	0	1	2	0	0
R. Tenney, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
O'Hara, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
J. Tenney, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	20	0	1	15	6	0

Fire Dept.	100	20 —3

RBI—DiCicco, Rembish 2. 3B—Rembish. LOB—Fire Dept. 5, Colt's 3. BB—Gattaso 1. SO—Gattaso 15, R. Tenney 1. HBP—Tenney (Denno).. U—Janas and Croce. T—41m.

WEST

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Soldato, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
T. Barry, ss	4	0	1	0	0	0
Sinopoli, c	4	0	0	15	2	0
Hunt, p	4	1	2	0	0	0
O'Donnell, 1b	4	1	2	1	0	3
Cross, 2b	2	3	1	1	0	0
Schermerhorn, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pivero, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Allegrone, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dowling, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
	28	9	9	18	2	3

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, 3b, p	4	2	4	1	3	1
Parise, ss	3	0	0	0	0	2
Lombard, cf, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Witfield, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Gibson, p, cf	2	0	1	2	1	0
Goyette, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Dripps, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, c	3	0	0	9	0	1
Dallmyer, 1b	3	1	1	5	0	1
Winters, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sottile, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ricchi, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	25	3	6	18	4	6

Eagles	220	032—9
Civitan	001	011—3

RBI—T. Barry, Hunt 2, Cross, Gallagher, Gibson. 2B—Gibson, Hunt 2. 3B—Cross 2. HR—Gallagher. LOB—Eagles 9, Civitan 9. BB—Hunt 4, Gibson 5, Gallagher 4. SO—Hunt 13, Gibson 4, Gallagher 5. HO—Gibson, 2 in 2; Gallagher, 7 in 4. HBP—Hunt (Witfield), Gallagher (Pivero). L—Gibson. U—Jordan and Schilling. T—1h, 35m.

Little League Box Scores

6/19/61

ED JOHNSON'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boyer, 2b	4	1	3	2	0	0
Ireland, lf	4	1	3	0	0	0
M. Connolly, 1b	3	2	0	2	0	0
L'Hote, p	3	2	1	2	2	0
Trapani, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Codding, fc	3	1	0	0	0	0
Cassidy, ss	4	1	2	1	1	0
Carmody, c	4	1	0	10	1	0
McDonald, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
C. Connolly, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nagelschmidt, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Congdon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hayn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Anderson, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	32	9	11	18	4	0

BERKSHIRE TRUST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Johnson, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
Adriance, 2b	3	0	0	2	0	1
Virgilio, 3b	3	1	2	2	1	1
Hart, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Wyman, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Lamount, 1b	0	1	0	2	0	1
Farr, lf	3	1	1	4	1	1
Case, p	2	0	0	0	0	1
McLaughlin, c	0	0	0	4	0	0
Paris, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tobin, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
zCella	1	0	1	0	0	0
Rohlfs, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stracuzzi, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	4	5	18	3	5

Ed Johnson's	300	312—9
Berkshire Trust	011	002—4

z—Singled in 6th for Case.

RBI—Wyman, Farr, Cella 2, M. Connolly, Cassidy 2. 2B—Cassidy, Virgilio, Wyman, Farr. 3B—L'Hote. LOB—Ed Johnson's 9, Berkshire Trust 7. BB—Case 3, L'Hote 5. SO—Case 7, L'Hote 10. HO—Case, 11 in 6; L'Hote, 5 in 6. HBP—L'Hote (Lamount), Case (Codding). PB—Carmody 4, Farr 5. U—Knappe and Kruger. T—1h, 50m.

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Enright, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Rembish, lf	2	2	2	0	0	0
Holby, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denno, 2b	3	2	2	4	1	1
Gattaso, 1b	3	2	0	2	0	0
Fiegal, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Koldys, p	4	2	2	2	2	0
DiCicco, ss	2	1	0	1	3	3
Watroba, c	3	1	0	9	0	0
LeBianc, 3b	4	2	3	0	0	2
D. LaRochelle, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
P. LaRochelle, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zunba, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	29	13	10	18	6	7

NICHOLS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Trudeau, 1b	2	1	2	6	0	0
Garstang, 2b, ss	1	0	0	1	1	0
Downey, ss, c	3	0	0	1	1	1
R. Guilds, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ludbrook,p	4	0	0	2	2	0
M. Guilds, c	3	0	0	2	0	0
Buel, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Reilly, cf, 3b	4	3	2	3	2	1
Kellogg, lf	3	1	0	1	1	0
Radke, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	1
Nichols, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Maloy, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Camalli, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	6	4	18	9	3

PFD	300	811—13
Nichols	041	001— 6

RBI—Trudeau, Reilly, Rembish, Denno 2, Koldys 3, LaBlanc. 2B—Denno, Koldys. HR—Reilly. SB—Koldys. LOB—PFD 10, Nichols 12. BB—Koldys 8, Ludbrook 9. SO—Koldys 9. 4HBP—Kellogg (Koldys). T—1h, 40m.

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
P. LaRochelle, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dunsmore, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Enright, lf	1	2	1	1	0	0
Holby, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ziemba, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. LaRochelle, fc	0	3	0	0	0	0
Carpenter, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Koldys, 3b	4	4	2	2	2	0
Watroba, c	3	2	1	4	1	0
DiCicco, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Denno, 2b	4	0	0	3	2	2
Rembish, 1b	2	0	1	2	0	0
Gattaso, 1b	1	1	1	3	0	0
LeBlanc, p	4	1	2	1	1	0
	30	16	10	12	7	3

COLT INSURANCE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vincent, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Brockway, 2b	2	0	1	1	0	0
Reynolds, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yon, 2b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Wowk, 3b	2	2	2	1	0	1
McCumiskey, ss	3	1	1	1	1	0
Kirchner, p	4	1	1	2	2	1
Parise, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Kominicki, c	3	0	1	8	0	2
Scanlon, cf, 1b	4	1	0	2	0	1
B. Tenney, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
O'Hara, 1b	1	1	0	1	0	0
J. Tenney, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	8	6	18	3	4

PFD	024	442—16
Colt Insurance	030	104— 8

RBI—LeBlanc, Denno, DiCicco, Watruba, Koldys 3, Fiegel 2, Kirchner, Wowk. 2B—Wowk, Kirchner, Koldys, Gattaso, LaBlanc. 3B—Fiegel, Koldys. SB—Fiegel, Koldys. LOB—PFD 4, Colt 7. BB—Kirchner 9, LeBlanc 9. SO—Kirchner 8, LeBlanc 3. HBP— D. LaRochelle (Kirchner). T—1h, 45m.

NICHOLS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Trudeau, 1b, ss	5	4	3	6	1	1
Garstang, 2b	4	2	2	3	1	0
Downey, 2b	4	1	1	1	0	1
Comalli, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ludbrook, c	2	2	2	3	0	0
M. Guilds, c	2	0	1	2	0	0
Rielly, cf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Kellogg, lf, 1b	3	0	1	1	0	1
R. Guilds, p	4	1	1	2	1	0
Radke, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	1
Giguere, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
DeMaruco,rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maloy, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Ruel, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
	35	13	15	18	3	6

ZAYRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McKeever, lf, p, ss	2	0	0	2	1	0
Pettijohn, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, ss, p	3	2	2	1	1	2
Sherman, 3b, 1b	4	3	2	3	0	0
Downey, 1b, c	3	3	2	8	1	0
Scalarini, p, 2b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Barzolski, c	0	0	0	3	1	0
Murray, 2b	2	0	1	1	1	0
Lacy, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vandergrift, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eksuzian, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cartier, lf	3	0	1	0	0	1
	28	9	9	18	5	4

Nichols	813	100—13
Zayre	012	032— 9

RBI—Sherman, Downey 3, Trudeau, Garstrang 2, Ludbrook, Kellogg, R. Guilds 2. 2B—Trudeau, Garstang, Ludbrook 2. HR—Downey 2, Sherman. SB—Garstang, Jones. DP—Ludbrook (unassisted). LOB—Zayre 6, Nichols 6. BB—Jones, McKeever, Guilds. SO—Jones, Scalarini 3, McKeever, Guild. HO—Jones, 1 in 2; McKeever, 5 in 3; Scalarini, 9 in 1; Guilds, 9 in 6. W—Guilds. L—Mc-

CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Andrews, ss	3	1	1	1	1	0
Powers, c	5	1	1	10	1	2
Chandler, cf p	3	2	2	0	0	0
Kane, lf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Florczyk,lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keegan, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marinaro, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stanger, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	0
Doullett, p, cf	3	1	0	1	4	0
Lander, 2b	4	2	3	2	0	1
Kerwood, 1b	3	2	2	4	0	0
	29	10	12	18	6	3

ZAYRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cartier, rf	3	1	0	1	0	0
McKeever, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Jones, ss	3	2	0	1	0	0
Sherman, 1b	4	1	4	4	0	0
Downey, c	2	0	0	10	2	1
Scalarini, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Rivers, p	1	1	0	1	1	0
Murray, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lacy, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Vandergrift, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eksuzian, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	7	5	18	3	1

Co-Op.	121	150—10
Zayre's	201	310— 7

RBI—Andrews 2, Chandled, Stanger, Sherman 3. 2B—Sherman 3, Andrews, Powers, Stanger. SB—Chandler, Kane, Sherman. LOB—Co-Op. 9, Zayre 7. BB—Rivers 7, Doulett 7. SO—Rivers 9, Chandler 2, Doullett 8. HO—Chandler, 2 in 2; Doullett, 5 in 3. W—Doullett. L—Rivers. T—1h, 27m.

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sheran, c	1	2	0	11	1	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Caritey, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Salicy, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Bates, 1b	1	1	0	1	0	1
Grogan, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Wheelock, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Massetti, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0
Salamone, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kamienski, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	0
T. O'Donnell, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Meehan, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	0
K. Connolly, p	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ricci, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
Redlin, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	21	7	3	18	3	1

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabocker, 2b	4	1	2	2	0	1
R. DelGallo, p	3	2	1	1	2	0
Harrington, ss	4	1	1	1	0	0
Ricciarinic c	3	1	2	4	2	1
Klemanski, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Bondi, 1b		40	2	5	0	2
Bagdonas, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	1
B. DelGallo, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Massimiano, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Villanova, lf	0	0	0	1	0	0
	27	6	9	15	5	5

City Savings	123	10 —7
Optimist Club	410	100—6

RBI—R. DelGallo, Harrington 2, Ricciarini, Bondi 2, Sheran, Meehan, Masselli 3. 2B—Caritey, R. DelGallo, Klemanski, Bondi. HR—Ricciarini. SB—Lonabacker. SAC—Sheran. LOB—Optimist Club 10, City Savings 4. BB—Caritey 3, K. Connolly 2, R. DelGallo 3. SO—Caritey 9, K. Connolly 1, R. DelGallo 4. HO—Caritey, 8 in 5; Connolly, 1 in 1; DelGallo, 3 in 4. HBP—DelGallo (K. O'Donnell), DelGallo (T. O'Donnell), Caritey (DelGollo,Massimiano 2). PB—Ricciarini, Sheran. W—Caritey. L—DelGallo. U—Gnappe and Kruger. T—1h, 30m.

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss	4	2	2	0	2	0
Parise, 3b	4	2	2	1	0	0
Lombard, p	4	1	1	0	3	0
Gibson, cf	4	2	2	1	1	0
Goyette, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Sottile, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, c	3	1	2	7	0	0
Winters, lf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Ricchi, lf	1	0	1	0	0	1
Dallmyer, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
	32	10	13	18	6	1

M. & B. ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pictrowski, 2b, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hill, rf	2	0	0	1	0	2
Scalvini, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McDonough, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Massery, c	2	0	0	5	0	0
McDonald, ss	2	0	1	1	2	0
Kraay, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Sarmuk, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carlo, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beraldi, p	2	0	1	1	2	0
O'Connell, 1b	2	0	0	7	0	0
	20	0	2	18	5	3

Civitan	002	062—10

RBI—Gallagher, Gibson 4, Winters, McDonald, Dallmeyer. 2B—Gallagher, Paris, Gibson, Winters. HR—Gallagher, Gibson. SB—McMahon. DP—Sepcilka to Massery. LOB—Civitan 8, M. & B. Electric 2. SO—Lombard 5, Beraldi 4. HO—Lombard, 2 in 6; Beraldi, 13 in 6. HBP—Beraldi (Winters, Phillips. W—Lombard. L—Beraldi. U—Harris, Stanton. T—1h, 20m.

WEST

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pembrick, ss, 3b	4	2	0	0	1	1
Soldato, c	3	2	0	8	0	0
T. Barry, 2b, ss	4	3	2	2	1	0
Sinopoli, p	3	2	3	2	0	0
Hunt, 1b	3	2	2	5	1	0
Pivero, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Allegrone, lf, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Schermerhorn, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Corseri, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Loveless, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
O'Donnell, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Mendocha, rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Dowling, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1
W. Barry, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
	29	14	8	18	4	2

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Meloveck, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nash, rf, cf	2	0	2	1	0	0
Petell, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Litano, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	3
Gleason, c	3	0	0	6	0	3
Latimere, ss	2	1	0	0	0	3
Mole, lf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Ciliberti, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pinsoneault, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dripps, cf	1	0	1	1	0	1
Giffos, 1b	3	1	1	5	0	1
Kozack, p	1	2	1	0	2	0
Harrison, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
	24	5	6	15	5	9

Eagles	511	70x—14
Goyette Brothers	000	---3— 5

RBI—Hunt 5, Sinopoli 3, Pembrick, O'Donnell, Litano, Giffos. 2B—Sinopoli 2, T. Barry. HR—Hunt. LOB—Eagles 6, Goyette Brothers 6. BB—Sinopoli 4, Kozack 4. SO—Sinopoli 8, Kozack 5. HO—Sinopoli 6 in 6, Kozack 8 in 5. HBP—Kozack (Sinopoi-Pivero), Sinopoli (Latimere). WP—Sinopoli. LP—Kozack. U—Harris and Stanton. T—1h, 30m.

EAST

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	2	1	2	1	3	0
Killeen, 2b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Curley, c	4	1	3	10	0	1
Reddington, 1b	4	0	1	5	0	0
Kopychak, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Wilk, 3b	4	1	0	1	2	1
Miller, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Gasson, rf	1	3	1	0	0	1
Ryan, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lusignan, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Flaherty, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hall, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	27	9	10	18	6	3

WESTERN MASS. SUPPLY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
White, cf	3	1	2	3	0	0
J. Kennedy, lf	4	1	2	1	0	1
Borelli, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Schmoyer, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Sincere, p	3	1	0	0	1	0
Pete Vacchina, 3b	4	1	0	0	2	0
Schultz, c	4	1	1	7	0	0
Sturma, 1b	2	2	1	4	0	0
Paul Vacchina, ss	3	1	1	2	1	0
D. Kennedy, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
A. Sincere, 2b	1	0	0	1	3	0
	29	8	8	18	7	1

Pittsfield Electric	411	130—10
Western Massachusetts	005	110— 7

RBI—Leslie 2, Curley, Kopychak 2, Gasson, Lusignan 2, White, Sturma 2, Paul Vacchina 2. 2B—Curley. 3B—White. HR—Lusignan. Sac.—Pete Vacchina. DP—White, unassisted. LOB—Pittsfield Electri 16, West. Mass. 8. HO—Borelli 4 in 3⅓, Schmoyer 2 in 1⅓, Sincere 4 in 4, Flaherty 4 in 2⅓, Hall 3 in 3⅔. HBP—Schmoyer (Gasson). WP—Hall. LP—J. Sincere. U—Strizzi and Molkowski. T—1h, 40m.

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, p	3	3	2	0	1	0
Chojnowski, cf	1	1	0	3	0	0
Horn, cf	0	2	0	0	0	0
M. Mitchell, c	3	1	0	2	0	0
Hickey, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phelps, rf	3	3	2	0	0	2
Aibano, 3b, c	4	2	1	1	0	0
Duda, 1b	4	2	1	8	0	0
Archey, ss	2	1	0	1	1	0
C. Mitchell, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morton, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, 2b	1	2	0	1	0	0
J. DiNicola, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
B. DiNicola, 2b	0	1	0	1	1	0
	27	17	6	18	3	2

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barbarotta, ss, 2b	3	1	0	0	1	1
Angello, ss	1	0	1	0	0	0
Degnan, c	3	2	2	12	0	0
Hardy, 1b, ss, p	3	2	2	2	0	3
Daligian, p, 1b	3	1	1	2	0	2
St. John, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Olds, 3b	2	0	1	2	0	0
Pazsit, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Freadman, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Herman, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Papailo, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
St. Peter, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	23	6	8	18	2	6

Curletti's	031	634—17
McDonald's	200	040— 6

2B—Hardy. HR—Degnan, Daligian. SB—Duda, Hardy. DP—Duda, Lucaroni. LOB—Curletti's 11, McDonald's 6. BB—Daligian, Papallo, Hardy, Connor. SO—Daligian 8, Papallo 0, Hardy 2, Connor 2. HO—Daligian 4 in 4, Papallo 1 in 1, Hardy 1 in 1, Connor 8 in 6. HBP—Daligian (Phelps,

L'Hote Hurls, Bats Team To South League Victory

7/19

Dick (Smokey) L'Hote was a one-man gang for Ed Johnson's South Little League team last night as he pitched a two-hitter, struck out 10, hit a home run and double and drove in three runs as Johnson's topped Optimist Club 4-2 at Deming Field. Johnson's got only five hits off Dick DelGallo and Shaun Harrington. Harrington had a double for the losers. The game was called because of rain in the sixth.

In a North League game at Wahconah Field, also halted after five innings by rain, the Pittsfield Fire Department beat Pittsfield Co-op 10-5. Pete LeBlanc threw a five-hitter for the win. Gary Rembish had a home run and two singles for the winners.

Ed Chandler had three singles for the Optimists and losing pitcher Dan Powers belted a home run.

In the West League game at Clapp Field, also shortened to five innings by rain, Union Federal combined six hits, five walks and three opposition errors for a 10-3 win over Civitan. Dave Dills scattered six hits for the win and had a double and two RBIs to help his cause. Tony Gibson of Civitan had a double and single and Bill Michaels of the bank team and Fran Ricchi of the losers hit two singles apiece.

The scores:

ED JOHNSON'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ireland, lf	3	0	1	1	0	1
M. Connolly, 1b	3	2	1	4	0	1
Cassidy, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hote, p	3	2	2	0	3	0
Trapani, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Codding, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Carmody, cf	1	0	0	10	0	0
C. Connolly, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hayn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
DeVirgilio, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boyer, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Congdon, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nagelschmidt, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	21	4	5	15	3	2

OPTIMIST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	3	0	1	0	1	1
R. DelGallo, p	2	0	0	8	0	0
Torrington, p, ss	2	1	1	0	0	1
P. Ricciarini, rf, c	2	0	0	2	0	0
Bondi, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
Klemanski, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Barbalunga, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Bagdonas, ss	2	0	0	0	1	1
B. DelGallo, ss, rf	2	0	0	1	1	0
Villanova, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	17	2	2	15	3	3

Ed Johnson's 200 02—4
Optimist 001 10—2

RBI—Klemanski, L'Hote 3. 2B—L'Hote, Harrington. HR—L'Hote. SB—L'Hote, Lonabacker. SAC—Klemanski, DeVirgilio. LOB—Optimist 2, Ed Johnson's 5. BB—L'Hote 2, Harrington 1. SO—L'Hote 10, Harrington 7, R. DelGallo 2. H—Harrington, 2 in 3; R. DelGallo, 3 in 3 1-3. L—R. DelGallo. U—Stanton and Harris. T—1h.

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Michaels, lf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Russo, 3b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Dills, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Maniatis, c	3	1	0	3	0	0
DiMartino, ss	4	1	1	3	2	0
D. Williams, rf	1	2	0	2	2	0
Clifford, cf	3	1	1	1	1	0
R. Williams, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
Cimini, 2b	2	1	0	2	0	1
	25	10	6	15	6	1

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss, p,c	3	0	0	4	1	2
Parise, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Witfield, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lombard, p, lf	1	0	1	1	0	0
McMahon, lf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Sottile, lf	0	0	0	0	1	0
Gibson, cf, ss	3	2	2	2	0	0
Dallmeyer, 1b	2	1	0	2	0	0
Ricchi, rf	2	0	2	0	0	0
Winters, p, lf, cf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Gariepy, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Dripps, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
xGoyette	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, c, p	3	0	1	5	0	1
	22	3	6	15	2	3

Union Federal 170 20 —10
Civitan 000 201— 3

x—Ran for Dripps in 5th.

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Carpenter, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Denno, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enright, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fiegal, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Rembish, cf	3	2	3	0	0	0
Koldys, 3b	3	2	1	3	1	2
Watroba, c	3	2	2	4	0	0
LeBlanc, p	2	1	1	1	3	0
Gatasso, 1b	3	0	0	5	1	1
DeCicco, ss	3	1	1	2	0	1
Ziemba, 2b	3	1	0	0	0	0
	29	10	10	15	5	4

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powers, p, c	3	1	1	1	1	0
Chandler, 2b	3	0	3	1	2	0
Andrews, ss	3	0	1	1	0	0
Keegan, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Fetridge, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Stanger, 3b	2	2	0	2	0	1
J. Lander, cf	3	1	1	1	1	0
B. Lander, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kerwood, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	1
Doullett, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	0
Kane, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Mariano, c	1	0	0	3	1	0
Florczyk, p	2	0	1	1	2	0
	25	5	9	15	10	3

PFD 107 02—10
CO-Op. 100 31— 5

RBI—Fiegal, Rembish, Watroba, LeBlanc. 2B—Fiegal 2, Watroba 2, Koldys. HR—Powers, Rembish. SAC—LeBlanc. DP—Florczyk, Andrews, Doullett, Lander, Stanger. LOB—PFD 3, Co-Op. 7. BB—LeBlanc 2, Powers 3. SO—LeBlanc 4, Powers 3. HO—Florczyk, 2 in 2; Powers, 8 in 3. Balk—Powers. L—Powers. U—Florczyk and Knappe. T—1h, 30m.

Royal Club Whips Colt By 6-3 Score

7/31/61

A five-run sixth inning proved to be the margin of victory for Royal Discount in its 6-3 North Little League win over Colt Insurance at Wahconah Field yesterday afternoon. Dick Paris had a double and single for Royal and George Scanlon had the same for Colt's.

Doug Hebert drove in two runs for the winners. Billy Brown went all the way for the victory.

The score:

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	3	1	2	0	1	0
D. Hebert, ss	4	0	1	2	1	1
Boland, 2b, c	3	0	0	1	2	1
Brown, p	3	1	1	1	3	0
Wilk, c	2	1	0	5	0	0
Mullett, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, cf, 1b	3	2	1	4	0	0
Naughton, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Furlano, 1b, cf	3	1	0	5	0	0
Baker, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Reed, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
C. Hebert, rf, 2b	1	0	0	0	3	0
	26	6	5	18	10	2

COLT INSURANCE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Yon, 2b	2	1	1	2	0	0
Scanlon, cf, 1b	4	0	2	1	0	0
Wowk, 3b, ss	4	0	1	1	0	3
Kirchner, p, ss	3	0	1	1	5	0
McCumiskey, 3b, p	3	1	0	1	0	1
Komuniecki, c	3	0	1	8	0	2
Parisi, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
O'Hara, 1b, cf	3	0	1	3	1	3
Jakacky, rf	1	1	0	1	0	1
	26	3	8	18	6	10

ROYAL 000 105—6
COLT 100 002—3

Best Has 2-Hitter To Top Creamery 3-1 in LL Contest

The Elks, behind the two-hit pitching of Greg Best, topped Crescent Creamery 3-1 in a South Little Baseball League game last night at Deming Field.

Dale Stetson led the winners at the plate with three for four.

Buddy Gall and Bill Condron had their team's only hits.

7/28/61

The score:

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barnini, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Best, p	4	1	1	1	3	1
Dale Stetson, ss	4	0	3	1	1	0
Robertson, lf	2	0	0	1	1	1
Rainka, c	2	0	1	7	1	0
McDonald, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Lyons, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Dennis, 1b	3	1	1	4	0	0
McConnell, rf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Murphy, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Donegan, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Loveless, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Dave Stetson, rf, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Plankey	0	0	0	0	0	0
	27	3	7	18	7	2

CRESCENT CREAMERY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Milukas, cf	1	1	0	2	0	0
Gall, ss, p	3	0	1	1	1	0
DelMolino, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	1
Esposito, c	2	0	0	7	0	1
Chase, 3b	1	0	0	1	1	2
Belfer, p, lf	2	0	0	0	2	0
Maynard, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Elser, 2b	1	0	0	1	2	0
McKim, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, 3b, ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
Augenstein, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Condron, 2b	2	0	1	0	0	1
	19	1	2	18	7	5

ELKS 030 000—3
CRESCENT CREAMERY 100 000—1

*Ran for Murphy in sixth.

Pittsfield People Attend Star Game

Included among Pittsfield residents at the major league all-star baseball game in Boston's Fenway Park this afternoon are Clement M. Farrell, William F. Retallick, Michael D. Hashim, Charles C. Kelley, Christo E. Maniatis, Bernard W. Lincoln, Vincent J. Hebert, Douglas Hebert, John C. Marchesi, Joseph J. Harrison, Harry J. Farris, Philip A. Palano and Paul C. Aronstein.

Big John Duda Pitches East LL to 10-0 Win

8/7/61

By ROGER O'GARA

A name that was reminiscent of the 1930s figured prominently in an impressive 10-0 victory for Pittsfield's East Little Baseball League All-Stars over Fitchburg before a good-sized assembly of 400 Saturday afternoon at Clapp Park. It was Duda, John Duda, a five-foot, 10-inch, 130-pound right-handed pitcher, who celebrated his 13th birthday two days ahead of time by throwing a four-hitter and hitting the only home run in the game.

Son of Ex-City Leaguer

Does the name of Duda have a familiar ring to the many City League fans of the tense thirties? It should. For at one span during that storied decade, the famed Polish-Americans had an outfield composed exclusively of Duda brothers. John is the son of Matt, the youngest of the three.

The Dudas were residents of the Wahconah Street section in those days. Matt and his family now live on upper Tyler Street. John will be an eighth-grader at North Junior High in the fall.

Pittsfield earned the right to compete in the state finals at Haverhill next weekend. It will be a four-team field. The champion there will move the following week to Eastern region play at Haddon Heights, N.J.

This East team now has gone as far as any other Pittsfield representative except the East group of 952. That club incidentally wasn't from the same area as this one despite the identical names. It was drawn from the Elm Street sector, which now is home base for the South League. Anyway, this team, with Boston Red Sox bonus pitcher Eddie Connolly on it, was only a few hits away from the Little World Series at Williamsport, Pa.

It was eliminated by Norwalk, Conn., 4-2 at Naugatuck, Conn. A week later, Norwalk won the Little World Series.

For two innings Saturday, it looked like quite a battle. In fact, Fitchburg, a little but determined team, staged the first threat when it made two hits off Duda in the opening inning. Fitchburg batters were swinging when they arrived at the plate.

Kevin Starkey, a medium-sized right-hander with a big curve, bothered Pittsfield until the third. He had to face only three batters in the first, and worked out of a one-out situation with men on second and third bases in the second.

Two 4-Run Turns

However, Duda's homer over the left field fence as leadoff batter in the third was a blow that unsettled Starkey and his mates. Three hits, two errors and a pass produced three more runs in the inning, and Pittsfield knocked out Starkey with no one out in the fourth. This too was a four-run splurge, with Duda again the pacemaker. He opened the inning with a line single to left.

Wildness plagued husky John Monahan, Fitchburg's second pitcher, who essayed the role after enjoying the soft life of a catcher. He passed four and hit two in his three-inning stint, but was baffling when he was on range. He fanned seven. Duda had only three strikeouts, but his control was good. He walked but one. Starkey passed three, whiffed three.

Bud Reddington impressed as a batter for Pittsfield. A well-built left-hander, he takes a nice level swing. He had two for two, including a line double to right, walked once and was hit once.

Connor Stars

Little Jeff Connor, the home lead-off man, was credited with two infield hits, and played a fine defensive game in center field. He had four putouts, and made a superb throw to second base to cut down a man who had singled to the fence.

Dick Gates, Fitchburg's second catcher, had to leave the game with a mouth injury. He was struck by a ball as he tried to warm up Monahan following the change of pitchers.

Fitchburg couldn't solve Duda, but its coaches were slick sleuths. In the fifth inning, they detected

Mike Salvatore Pitches, Hits For LL Champs

Young Hurler Has Three-Run Homer For El Cajon, Calif.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa. (UPI) — Mike Salvatore, one of those rare pitchers who can also hit, was the hero of the 15th annual Little League World Series championship won by his El Cajon, Calif., team.

Salvatore hit a three-run homer in the sixth inning to give the Californians a 4-2, no-hit triumph over El Campo, Texas, in the series final Saturday.

By swatting the decisive homer, Salvatore deprived himself of the pitching triumph. He had been forced to leave the mound in the fifth while trailing 2-1 because of a league ruling prohibiting a pitcher from hurling more than 12 innings in series play.

Mickey Alasantro came on to throttle the Texans in the sixth to preserve the no-hitter and receive credit for the victory.

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Gattaso Hurls One-Hitter, Fans 15

6/15/61

Fire Department Defeats Colt Club 3-0 in North Loop

NORTH LEAGUE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Royal Discount Store	6	0	1.000
Zayre's	3	1	.750
Pittsfield Fire Dept.	2	2	.500
Pittsfield Co-op Bank	2	3	.400
Nichols Bros.	1	4	.200
Colt Insurance Agency	0	4	.000

Backing up the sparkling one-hit pitching performance of 12-year-old Don Gattaso, the Pittsfield Fire Department baseball team evened its season record at two and two by beating the Colt Insurance Agency 3-0 last night in a North Little League game at Wahconah Field. Gattaso did not allow a hit until the fifth inning when George Scanlon singled to center.

Gattaso walked only one man and accounted for 15 of the 18 outs with strikeouts. Jerry DiCicco and Al Koldys had two hits apiece for the winners and Gary Rembish drove in two scores with a triple.

In a West League contest at Clapp Field, the Eagles turned back Civitan 9-3. Larry Hunt, with two doubles and two RBIs led the Eagles' attack. Mike O'Donnell and Al Dowling had two singles apiece for the winners. Corky Cross belted a triple.

Chris Gallagher had a big night for Civitan with a home run and three singles. Tony Gibson had a double for the losers.

NORTH

PITTSFIELD FIRE DEPART.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Fiegal, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Carpenter, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enright, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Holby, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gattaso, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Watroba, c	3	0	1	15	0	0
DiCicco, ss	3	1	2	1	0	0
Koldys, 3b	2	1	2	0	0	0
Rembish, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	1
Ziemba, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
LeBlanc, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
D. LaRochelle, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denno, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
P. LaRochelle, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	3	9	18	3	1

COLT'S INSURANCE AGENCY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vincent, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Brockway, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wowk, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	0
McCumiskey, cf	3	0	0	3	1	0
Kirchner, ss	2	0	0	5	1	0
Parise, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Komuniecki, c	2	0	0	3	0	0
Scanlon, 1b	2	0	1	2	0	0
R. Tenney, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
O'Hara, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
J. Tenney, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	20	0	1	15	6	0

Fire Dept. 100 20 —3

RBI—DiCicco, Rembish 2. 3B—Rembish. LOB—Fire Dept. 5, Colt's 3. BB—Gattaso 1. SO—Gattaso 15, R. Tenney 1. HBP—Tenney (Denno). U—Janas and Croce. T—41m.

WEST

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Soldato, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
T. Barry, ss	4	0	1	0	0	0
Sinopoli, c	4	0	0	15	2	0
Hunt, p	4	1	2	0	0	0
O'Donnell, 1b	4	1	2	1	0	3
Cross, 2b	2	3	1	1	0	0
Schermerhorn, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pivero, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Allegrone, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dowling, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
	28	9	9	18	2	3

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, 3b, p	4	2	4	1	3	1
Parise, ss	3	0	0	0	0	2
Lombard, cf, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Witfield, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Gibson, p, cf	2	0	1	2	1	0
Goyette, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Dripps, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, c	3	0	0	9	0	1
Dallmyer, 1b	3	1	1	5	0	1
Winters, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sottile, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ricchi, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	25	3	6	18	4	6

Eagles 220 032—9
Civitan 001 011—3

RBI—T. Barry, Hunt 2, Cross, Gallagher, Gibson. 2B—Gibson, Hunt 2. 3B—Cross 2. HR—Gallagher. LOB—Eagles 9, Civitan 9. BB—Hunt 4, Gibson 5, Gallagher 4. SO—Hunt 13, Gibson 4, Gallagher 3. HO—Gibson, 2 in 2; Gallagher, 7 in 4. HBP—Hunt (Witfield), Gallagher (Pivero). L—Gibson. U—Jordan and Schilling. T—1h, 35m.

Union-Federal Wins LL Game On Late Rally

Optimist Club, Western Mass. Team In Easy Triumphs

6/20/61

Union-Federal scored twice in the last inning to eke out a 7-6 victory over Gull Oil and Coal in a West Little League Baseball game last night at Clapp Park. Tony DiMartino of Union-Federal had four of his teams six hits, including two doubles.

In a South League game at Deming Field, the Optimist Club trounced Ed Johnson's 11-2. Shaun Harrington pitched a two-hitter for the Optimists, and aided his own cause with a home run and a single. He drove in two runs. Dick DelGallo had three singles in three trips to the plate for the winners.

In a West League contest at Allendale Field, Western Mass. Supply walloped McDonald's Drive-In 14-4. Pete Vacchina led the winning attack with four singles in five times at bat. Alex Borelli had a double and single for the Supply team, and Mark Hardy had two hits for the losers.

The scores:

WEST

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
R. Phillips, 2b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Yon, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
DiMartino, ss	4	2	4	1	2	0
Maniatis, 3b	2	2	0	1	2	0
Russo, lf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Dills, c	4	0	0	11	0	0
Michaels, p	3	0	0	0	1	1
D. Williams, rf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Clifford, cf	2	0	1	1	0	0
B. Williams, 1b	3	0	0	2	0	0
	26	7	6	18	5	1

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connors, p, 3b	4	1	1	2	0	0
Hermanski, c	3	1	2	10	1	1
Makes, 3b, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Buckley, ss	3	1	1	1	2	2
Albano, 1b	4	2	2	3	0	0
Benham, cf, p	3	0	1	1	0	0
T. Williams, 2b, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Martin, lf, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0
West, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Phillips, 2b	1	1	0	1	1	2
Coty, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	29	6	9	18	4	5

Union Federal	102	112—7
Gull Oil & Coal	202	200—6

RBI—Russo, B. Williams, Buckley, Albano, J. Williams. 2B—DiMartino 2, Russo. SB—Clifford 2, Russo, Maniatis. DP—Buckley and J. Phillips. LOB—Union Federal 9, Gull Oil & Coal 10. BB—Michaels 5, Connors 4, Benham 2. SO—Michaels 7, Connors 5, Benham 4. HO—Connors, 3 in 2 1-3; Benham, 3 in 3 2-3. HBP—Benham (Maniatis). L—Benham. U—Molkoski, Flossic. T—1h, 45m.

WESTERN MASS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pete Vacchina, c	5	2	4	3	0	0
Wagstaff, cf	5	0	1	1	1	0
Borelli, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	0
Schmoyer, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
J. Kennedy, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Marchetto, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Sherman, 1b	3	3	1	9	1	0
Schultz, 2b	3	3	1	0	0	0
Masaconi, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Kennedy, rf	2	2	1	0	0	0
J. Sincere, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Difomasso, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paul Vacchina, ss	3	1	0	2	2	0
A. Sincere, p	3	2	1	0	1	0
	35	14	11	18	8	0

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wilk, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Olds, cf, c	4	1	1	3	1	0
St. John, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Degnan, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hardy, ss, 1b	3	0	2	4	2	2
Pazsit, 2b, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
St. Peter, rf, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Freadman, 1b	1	1	1	2	0	0
Barbarotta, ss	2	0	0	1	0	2
Papallo, 2b	1	1	1	4	0	1
Perkins, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Herman, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
	26	4	7	18	5	5

Western Mass.	404	600—14
McDonald's	003	100— 4

RBI—Pete Vacchina 2, Wagstaff, Borelli 4, Schultz, D. Kennedy, Paul Vacchina, Sincere, Hardy 2. 2B—Borelli, Schultz, D. Kennedy, Olds. SB—Pete Vacchina 2. LOB—Western Mass. 6, McDonald's 7. BB—Sincere 4, Degnan 3. SO—Sincere 3, Degnan 5. HBP—Sincere (Degnan), Degnan (D. Kennedy). Balk—Degnan. W—Sincere. L—Degnan. U—Hart, Santolin. T—1h, 30m.

SOUTH

ED. JOHNSON'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boyer, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Connolly, 2b	3	0	1	0	3	0
Ireland, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
M. Connolly, p	4	0	0	0	3	1
L'Hote, 1b	2	1	0	8	1	0
Trapani, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	1
Cassidy, ss	1	0	0	1	0	0
Codding, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Carmody, c	1	0	0	5	0	0
McDonald, rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Nageischmidt, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hayn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	21	2	2	15	8	2

OPTIMIST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	3	2	1	3	0	0
R. DelGallo, cf	3	1	3	0	0	0
Hynes, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harrington, p	4	2	2	0	1	1
P. Ricciarini, c	4	0	0	11	0	0
Klemanski, rf	3	1	0	1	0	0
S. Ricciarini, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bondi, 1b	3	3	2	2	1	0
Bagdanas, 3b	1	1	0	0	0	0
Villanova, 3b	1	0	1	0	1	0
R. DelGallo, ss	2	1	1	0	1	0
Andreas, ss	0	0	0	1	1	1
Massimiano, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	11	10	18	5	2

Optimist Club	508	12 —11
Ed. Johnson's	000	020— 2

RBI—Trapani 2, Harrington 2, R. DelGallo, Klemanski, Bondi, Villanova, Bagdonas, Massimiano. 2B—Trapani, Bondi, Lonabacker. HR—Harrington. SB—Lonabacker 2. LOB—Optimists 5, Ed. Johnson's 10. BB—Harrington 8, Connolly 3. SO—Connolly 3, Harrington 11. HBP—Harrington (Boyer). W—Harrington. L—Connolly. U—Villanova and Croce. T—1h, 45m.

Pittsfield Youth Killed By Falling Scaffolding

LITTLE LEAGUE

A 16-year-old Pittsfield High School student died last night after he was crushed beneath 600 pounds of steel scaffolding in front of the Capitol Theater at 328 North St., where he was at work changing the front section of the marquee.

Edward M. Moyer Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Moyer of 70 Stratford Ave., was pronounced dead on arrival at Pittsfield General Hospital where he was taken by police ambulance. He had been employed for six weeks as an usher at the theater.

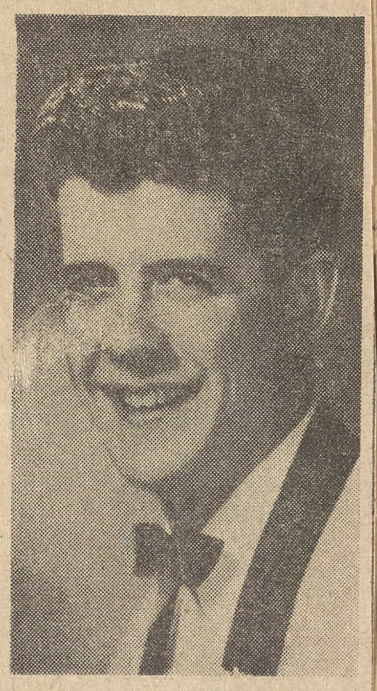
Given Last Rites

Dr. Antonio P. Desautels, medical examiner, said official cause of death was a punctured lung due to fractured ribs, and a massive pulmonary hemorrhage. The Rev. John J. Foley, pastor of St. Charles' Church, administered the last rites of the Catholic church to the boy in the hospital's emergency room.

Moyer, Joseph Sloane, 17, of 78 Northumberland Road, a Capitol employe, and James O. Brown, 53, of 28 Memmiam St., maintenance man at the theater, were in the process of putting up a new marquee for today's show when the accident occurred about 8:30 p.m.

Brown Injured

According to police, Moyer was standing directly under the front side of the marquee when the heavy steel crashed down on his neck and back. Sloane was halfway up the ladder and Brown



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Edward M. Moyer Jr.

was standing on the scaffold about 12 feet above the sidewalk.

Brown was thrown from the staging, landing in the North Street gutter. Trooper Arthur Quinlan of the Pittsfield state police took the injured man to Pittsfield General Hospital where he was admitted for treatment of a possible heel fracture. Sloane ap-

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in 1 2-3; Hermanski, 4 in 6. W—T. Barry. —Hermanski. U—Janis and Schilling. T—h, 30m.

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Baker, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Wilk, c, rf	4	0	2	5	0	0
Brown, p, 1b	3	1	0	3	1	0
Furiano, 1b	3	1	2	4	0	0
Reed, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Griffith, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Hebert, ss	3	2	2	1	2	1
Kinnas, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
J. Hebert, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Boland, 2b	3	0	2	2	0	0
Florcyzk, cf, c	3	0	0	2	0	1
Mullett, rf, p	0	0	0	0	1	1
	29	8	12	18	7	3

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powers, c	3	0	1	4	0	2
Chandler, ss, p	3	0	0	3	2	0
Andrews, p, ss	2	1	0	1	2	0
Stanger, 3b	2	1	0	1	1	2
Keegan, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pero, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Florcyzff, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marinaro, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Kane, rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Lander, 2b	3	1	0	1	1	1
Kerwood, 1b	2	1	0	6	0	0
Doullett, cf	3	2	2	2	1	0
	25	6	5	18	7	6

Royal	500	111—8
Co-Op.	000	501—6

RBI—Kinnas 2, Griffith, Wilk, Doullett 2, Lander. 2B—Knnas Doullett, Powers, Wilk, D. Hebert. SB—Andrews, Doullett. SAC—Griffith. LOB—Co-Op. 8, Royal 8. BB—Reid 4, Mullett 4, Andrews 1. SO—Brown 4, Ried, Andrews 4. HO—Brown, 2 in 3; Ried, 1 in 2-3; Mullett, 2 in 2 1-3; Andrews, 12 in 5. HBP—Brown, (D. Hebert Andrews). WP—Ried 2. W—Mullett. L—Andrews. T—1h, 52m.

City Savings Nips Elks 3-2 In LL Contest

Goyette, Royal, McDonald's Triumph In Other Games

6/16/61

City Savings Bank, paced by Mike Meehan's bat, grabbed the advantage in the fourth inning last night at Deming Field and held on to defeat the Elks 3-2 in a South Little Baseball League game.

Meehan had two for three, including a double, and scored one of his team's runs.

Donald Loveless led the losers with two for three, one a double, and two RBIs.

Goyette Brothers, holding a two-run lead for most of the game, added four more in the fifth to trounce Gull Oil and Coal Co. 7-1 in a West League game at Clapp Park.

Goyette's John Petell turned in a perfect day at bat with three for three and three runs scored. One of his hits was double. Steve Gleson backed him up with two for three and one runs scored.

Jim Latimer was the winning pitcher, and Bill Buckley was the loser.

Royal Discount had an easy time of it in the third game crushing Zayre's 13-2 in a North League contest at Wahconah Field.

Dick Paris was the winners' big man at the plate with three for four.

Bill Brown was the winning hurler.

McDonald's Drive-In, trailing 4-2 for most of the game, came up with three runs in the fifth to beat Moldmasters 5-4 in the East loop game at Allendale.

Despite the loss, Moldmasters dominated the statistics with Tom Rilla and Dennis Perrone hitting a double apiece and losing pitcher Terry Doyle striking out eight.

The scores:

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ricci, ss	3	0	1	2	2	0
T. O'Donnell, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	2	1	0	1	1	1
Kamienski, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Sheran, c	2	1	0	9	0	1
Meehan, 1b	3	1	2	3	0	0
Connolly, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Caritey, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Salley, 2b	1	0	0	1	2	1
xSalamone	1	0	0	0	0	0
Grogan, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxBates	1	0	0	0	0	0
Redlin, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	3	3	18	6	3

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barnini, cf	2	1	1	0	0	1
Loveless, c	3	0	2	5	0	1
Best, p	2	0	0	2	0	0
Stetson, ss	3	0	0	2	1	0
Robertson, lf	3	0	1	1	0	1
Rainka, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Dennis, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Staples, 1b	2	0	0	7	1	0
MacDonald, 3b		21	0	0	0	0
McConnell	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	2	4	18	5	3

City Savings	100	200—3
Elks	110	000—2

x—Pinch hit for Salley in 4th.
xx—Pinch hit for Grogan in 6th.
z—Pinch hit for MacDonald in 6th.

RBI—Loveless 2, Salley. 2B—Meehan, Barnini, Loveless. LOB—City Savings 4, Elks 7. BB—T. O'Donnell 2, Best 3, Staples 1. SO—T. O'Donnell 4, Best 2, Staples 2. HO—T. O'Donnell, 4 in 6; Best, 3 in 4; Staples, 1 in 2. HBP—T. O'Donnell (Dennis), Best (Sheran). PB—Loveless, Sheran. L—Best. U—Janis, Shilling. T—1h, 20m.

ROYAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	4	1	3	0	1	0
xPierce	1	0	0	0	0	0
Baker, lf, p	2	2	1	0	0	0
Wilk, c	3	1	1	10	0	0
D. Hebert, p, ss	3	0	1	2	3	0
Furiano, ss, 1b, lf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Kinnas, 2b, lf	2	2	1	0	0	1
Brown, 1b, p	3	1	0	3	1	0
Boland, cf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Reid, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mullett	1	1	0	0	0	0
xxFlorczyk	0	1	0	0	0	0
C. Hebert, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	26	13	11	18	5	1

ZAYRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vandergriff, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Petitjohn, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, c	2	1	0	7	1	0
Sherman, p	3	1	2	1	2	0
Barzowski, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	1
Kelly, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murray, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	1
Downey, ss, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Scalarini, 3b	3	0	0	1	0	1
McKeever, lf	3	0	1	0	1	0
	21	2	3	15	5	3

Royal	042	15 —13
Zayre	200	000— 2

x—Struck out for Paris in 1st.
xx—Walked for Mullett in 5th.
2B—Paris, Boland. SB—Sherman 2, Barzowski, Paris, Baker, Wilk. DP—Paris to Hebert to Downey. LOB—Royal 7, Zayre 7. BB—Hebert 4, Brown 1, Sherman 9. SO—Hebert 3, Brown 7, Sherman 4. HO—Hobert, 1 in 1 2-3; Brown, 2 in 3 1-3; Sherman, 11 in 6; Baker, 0 in 1. W—Brown. L—Sherman. T—1h, 35m.

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Miecoueck, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Giffos, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ciliberti, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Petell, 2b	3	3	3	2	2	0
Litano, 3b	3	2	1	0	2	1
Danford, 1b	3	1	1	5	1	1
Gleason, c	3	1	2	9	0	0
Latimer, p	3	0	0	0	0	2
Mole, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Dripps, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Nash, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Kozack, ss	2	0	0	1	2	0
	27	7	10	18	7	4

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
R. Bandurski, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Coty, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Knappe, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Buckley, p	2	0	1	1	0	0
Hermanski, c	3	1	0	8	0	0
Albano, 1b	2	0	1	4	0	1
Makes, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Connors, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Benham, cf	2	0	0	0	2	0
Williams, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Martin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	21	1	2	15	4	3

Goyette Brothers	201	04 —7
Gull Oil & Coal	010	000—1

RBI—Litano, Ranford 4, Gleason, Latimer. 2B—Petell, Litano, Gleason 2. HR—Danford. SB—Litano. LOB—Goyette Brothers 6, Gull Oil & Coal 3. BB—Latimer 1, Buckley 1. SO—Latimer 9, Buckley 7. W—Latimer. L—Buckley. U—Jordan and Croce. T—1h, 10m.

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barbarotta, 2b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Herman, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Broderick, 2b, ss	1	0	1	0	0	0
Wilk, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
St. John, rf, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Daligian, 1b	2	1	0	2	0	0
Hardy, ss, p	3	1	1	1	2	2
Degnan, p, 3b	3	1	2	1	1	0
Olds, 3b, c	2	0	0	6	0	0
St. Peter, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pazsit, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Papallo, c	1	0	0	6	0	0
Freadman, 3b, ss	2	0	1	0	0	0
Perkins		160	0	0	0	0
	25	3	8	18	3	2

MOLDMASTER$

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carmel, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Teal, 3b	3	2	1	1	1	1
Tom Doyle, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Rilla, 1b	4	1	1	4	0	0
Perrone, ss	4	1	1	0	1	0
Briggs, c	2	0	0	10	0	0
Clark, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Russo, rf	0	0	0	0	1	0
Meaney, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stone, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morano, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Terry Doyle, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
	29	4	5	18	5	1

McDonald's	200	030—5
Moldmaster	003	100—4

RBI—S. Wilk 2, Degnan, Olds, Freadman, Rilla, Meaney. 2B—Rilla, Perrone. LOB—McDonald's 10, Moldmasters 10. BB—Degnan 2, Doyle 8. SO—Degnan 5, Hardy 4, Doyle 8. HO—Degnan, 7 in 3 1-3; Hardy, 1 in 2 2-3. HBP—Degnan (Fusso), Hardy (Briggs). W—Hardy. L—Doyle. U—Strizzi and Santolin. T—1h, 45m.

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Pittsfield Youth Killed By Falling Scaffolding

LITTLE LEAGUE

A 16-year-old Pittsfield High School student died last night after he was crushed beneath 600 pounds of steel scaffolding in front of the Capitol Theater at 328 North St., where he was at work changing the front section of the marquee.

Edward M. Moyer Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Moyer of 70 Stratford Ave., was pronounced dead on arrival at Pittsfield General Hospital where he was taken by police ambulance. He had been employed for six weeks as an usher at the theater.

Given Last Rites

Dr. Antonio P. Desautels, medical examiner, said official cause of death was a punctured lung due to fractured ribs, and a massive pulmonary hemorrhage. The Rev. John J. Foley, pastor of St. Charles' Church, administered the last rites of the Catholic church to the boy in the hospital's emergency room.

Moyer, Joseph Sloane, 17, of 78 Northumberland Road, a Capitol employe, and James O. Brown, 53, of 28 Memmiam St., maintenance man at the theater, were in the process of putting up a new marquee for today's show when the accident occurred about 8:30 p.m.

Brown Injured

According to police, Moyer was standing directly under the front side of the marquee when the heavy steel crashed down on his neck and back. Sloane was halfway up the ladder and Brown

Kanter

Edward M. Moyer Jr.

was standing on the scaffold about 12 feet above the sidewalk.

Brown was thrown from the staging, landing in the North Street gutter. Trooper Arthur Quinlan of the Pittsfield state police took the injured man to Pittsfield General Hospital where he was admitted for treatment of a possible heel fracture. Sloane ap-

Youth Dies
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City Savings Nips Elks 3-2 In LL Contest

Goyette, Royal, McDonald's Triumph In Other Games

City Savings Bank, paced by Mike Meehan's bat, grabbed the advantage in the fourth inning last night at Deming Field and held on to defeat the Elks 3-2 in a South Little Baseball League game.

Meehan had two for three, including a double, and scored one of his team's runs.

Donald Loveless led the losers with two for three, one a double, and two RBIs.

Goyette Brothers, holding a two-run lead for most of the game, added four more in the fifth to trounce Gull Oil and Coal Co. 7-1 in a West League game at Clapp Park.

Goyette's John Petell turned in a perfect day at bat with three for three and three runs scored. One of his hits was double. Steve Gleson backed him up with two for three and one runs scored.

Jim Latimer was the winning pitcher, and Bill Buckley was the loser.

Royal Discount had an easy time of it in the third game crushing Zayre's 13-2 in a North League contest at Wahconah Field.

Dick Paris was the winners' big man at the plate with three for four.

Bill Brown was the winning hurler.

McDonald's Drive-In, trailing 4-2 for most of the game, came up with three runs in the fifth to beat Moldmasters 5-4 in the East loop game at Allendale.

Despite the loss, Moldmasters dominated the statistics with Tom Rilla and Dennis Perrone hitting a double apiece and losing pitcher Terry Doyle striking out eight.

The scores:

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ricci, ss	3	0	1	2	2	0
T. O'Donnell, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	2	1	0	1	1	1
Kamienski, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Sheran, c	2	1	0	9	0	1
Meehan, 1b	3	1	2	3	0	0
Connolly, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Caritey, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Salley, 2b	1	0	0	1	2	1
xSalamone	1	0	0	0	0	0
Grogan, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxBates	1	0	0	0	0	0
Redlin, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	3	3	18	6	3

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barnini, cf	2	1	1	0	0	1
Loveless, c	3	0	2	5	0	1
Best, p	2	0	0	2	0	0
Stetson, ss	3	0	0	2	1	0
Robertson, lf	3	0	1	1	0	1
Rainka, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Dennis, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Staples, 1b	2	0	0	7	1	0
MacDonald, 3b		21	0	0	0	0
McConnell	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	2	4	18	5	3

City Savings 100 200—3
Elks 110 000—2

x—Pinch hit for Salley in 4th.
xx—Pinch hit for Grogan in 6th.
z—Pinch hit for MacDonald in 6th.

RBI—Loveless 2, Salley. 2B—Meehan, Barnini, Loveless. LOB—City Savings 4, Elks 7. BB—T. O'Donnell 2, Best 3, Staples 1. SO—T. O'Donnell 4, Best 2, Staples 2. HO—T. O'Donnell, 4 in 6; Best, 3 in 4; Staples, 1 in 2. HBP—T. O'Donnell (Dennis), Best (Sheran). PB—Loveless, Sheran. L—Best. U—Janis, Shilling. T—1h, 20m.

ROYAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	4	1	3	0	1	0
xPierce	1	0	0	0	0	0
Baker, lf, p	2	2	1	0	0	0
Wilk, c	3	1	1	10	0	0
D. Hebert, p, ss	3	0	1	2	3	0
Furiano, ss, 1b, lf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Kinnas, 2b, lf	2	2	1	0	0	1
Brown, 1b, p	3	1	0	3	1	0
Boland, cf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Reid, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mullett	1	1	0	0	0	0
xxFlorczyk	0	1	0	0	0	0
C. Hebert, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	26	13	11	18	5	1

ZAYRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vandergriff, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Pettijohn, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, c	2	1	0	7	1	0
Sherman, p	3	1	2	1	2	0
Barzowski, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	1
Kelly, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murray, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	1
Downey, ss, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Scalarini, 3b	3	0	0	1	0	1
McKeever, lf	3	0	1	0	1	0
	21	2	3	15	5	3

Royal 042 15 —13
Zayre 200 000— 2

x—Struck out for Paris in 1st.
xx—Walked for Mullett in 5th.
2B—Paris, Boland. SB—Sherman 2, Barzowski, Paris, Baker, Wilk. DP—Paris to Hebert to Downey. LOB—Royal 7, Zayre 7. BB—Hebert 4, Brown 1, Sherman 9. SO—Hebert 3, Brown 7, Sherman 4. HO—Hobert, 1 in 1 2-3; Brown, 2 in 3 1-3; Sherman, 11 in 6; Baker, 0 in 1. W—Brown. L—Sherman. T—1h, 35m.

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Mieoueck, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Giffos, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ciliberti, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Petell, 2b	3	3	2	2	2	0
Lifano, 3b	3	2	1	0	2	1
Danford, 1b	3	1	1	5	1	1
Gleason, c	3	1	2	9	0	0
Latimer, p	3	0	0	0	0	2
Mole, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Dripps, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Nash, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Kozack, ss	2	0	0	1	2	0
	27	7	10	18	7	4

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
R. Bandurski, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Coty, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Knappe, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Buckley, p	2	0	1	1	0	0
Hermanski, c	3	1	0	8	0	0
Albano, 1b	2	0	1	4	0	1
Makes, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Connors, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Benham, cf	2	0	0	0	2	0
Williams, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Martin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	21	1	2	15	4	3

Goyette Brothers 201 04 —7
Gull Oil & Coal 010 000—1

RBI—Lifano, Ranford 4, Gleason, Latimer. 2B—Petell, Lifano, Gleason 2. HR—Danford. SB—Lifano. LOB—Goyette Brothers 6, Gull Oil & Coal 3. BB—Latimer 1, Buckley 1. SO—Latimer 9, Buckley 7. W—Latimer. L—Buckley. U—Jordan and Croce. T—1h, 10m.

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barbarotta, 2b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Herman, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Broderick, 2b, ss	1	0	1	0	0	0
Wilk, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
St. John, rf, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Daligian, 1b	2	1	0	2	0	0
Hardy, ss, p	3	1	1	1	2	2
Degnan, p, 3b	3	1	2	1	1	0
Olds, 3b, c	2	0	0	6	0	0
St. Peter, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pazsit, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Papallo, c	1	0	0	4	0	0
Freadman, 3b, ss	2	0	1	0	0	0
Perkins	160		0	0	0	0
	25	3	8	16	3	2

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carmel, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Teal, 3b	3	2	1	1	1	1
Tom Doyle, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Rilla, 1b	4	1	1	4	0	0
Perrone, ss	4	1	1	0	1	0
Briggs, c	2	0	0	10	0	0
Clark, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Russo, rf	0	0	0	0	1	0
Meaney, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stone, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morano, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Terry Doyle, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
	28	4	4	18	5	1

McDonald's 200 030—5
Moldmaster 003 100—4

RBI—S. Wilk 2, Degnan, Olds, Freadman, Rilla, Meaney. 2B—Rilla, Perrone. LOB—McDonald's 10, Moldmasters 10. BB—Degnan 2, Doyle 8. SO—Degnan 5, Hardy 4, Doyle 8. HO—Degnan, 7 in 3 1-3; Hardy, 1 in 2 2-3. HBP—Degnan (Fusso), Hardy (Briggs). W—Hardy. L—Doyle. U—Strizzi and Santolin. T—1h, 45m.

Eagles, Royal Take Tight LL Contests

6/13/61

Teams Defeat Gull, Co-op 9-8, 8-6 In Evening Games

The Eagles added a run in the last inning to beat Gull Oil & Coal 9-8 in a West Little Baseball League game last night at the Clapp Park Field.

Tom Barry, the winning pitcher, struck out three and gave up only two hits. Bill Hermanski was the loser.

Royal Discount outlasted Pittsfield Co-op 8-6 in a North League game last night.

Doug Hebert paced the winners with two for three and two runs scored. Dennis Furlano also had two hits.

Larry Mullett was the winner and Paul Andrew was the loser.

A third game, between the Elks and the Optimist Club of the South League, was called after the eighth inning because of darkness. The score was tied at 6-6.

The scores:

WEST

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, 3b	4	2	0	1	4	1
Schermerhorn, cf	1	1	0	1	0	0
Mendocha, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
T. Barry, ss, p	4	1	1	1	1	0
Sinopoli, c	2	1	0	8	1	1
Hunt, 1b	1	2	0	6	0	0
Pivero, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loveless, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Crosieri, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
O'Donnell, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Allegrone, rf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Cross, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
W. Barry, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Dowling, p	3	1	2	0	1	0
	22	9	4	18	9	2

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connors, 3b	4	1	0	1	2	1
Buckley, ss	3	1	2	1	1	1
Hermanski, p	3	2	2	0	1	0
Albano, 1b	2	1	1	4	0	1
Makes, c	3	0	0	8	1	0
Williams, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
W. Bandurski, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	1
R. Bandurski, 2b	0	2	0	0	0	1
Coty, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Knappe, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Martin, cf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Loomis, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
West, cf	2	0	1	1	0	1
	24	8	6	17	6	7

Eagles 601 101—9
Gull Oil & Coal 000 152—8

RBI—Hunt, Pivero, Cross, Hermanski 2, West. 2B—Buckley, Knappe, Hermanski. SB—Buckley, Hunt, O'Donnell. SAC—Pivero. DP—Buckley to Phillips; T. Barry, Pemrick and W. Barry. LOB—Eagles 4, Gull Oil & Coal 2. BB—Dowling 2, T. Barry 2, Hermanski 7. SO—Dowling 5, T. Barry 3, Hermanski 8. HO—Dowling, 6 in 4 2-3; T. Barry, 2 in 1 2-3; Hermanski, 4 in 6. W—T. Barry. L—Hermanski. U—Janis and Schilling. T—1h, 30m.

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Baker, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Wilk, c, rf	4	0	2	5	0	0
Brown, p, 1b	3	1	0	3	1	0
Furiano, 1b	3	1	2	4	0	0
Reed, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Griffith, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Hebert, ss	3	2	2	1	2	1
Kinnas, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
C. Hebert, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Boland, 2b	3	0	2	2	0	0
Florcyzk, cf, c	3	0	0	2	0	1
Mullett, rf, p	0	0	0	0	1	1
	29	8	12	18	7	3

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powers, c	3	0	1	4	0	2
Chandler, ss, p	3	0	0	3	2	0
Andrews, p, ss	2	1	0	1	2	0
Stanger, 3b	2	1	0	1	1	2
Keegan, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pero, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Florcyzff, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marinaro, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Kane, rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Lander, 2b	3	1	0	1	1	1
Kerwood, 1b	2	1	0	6	0	0
Doullett, cf	3	2	2	2	1	0
	25	6	5	18	7	6

Royal 500 111—8
Co-Op. 000 501—6

RBI—Kinnas 2, Griffith, Wilk, Doullett 2, Lander. 2B—Knnas Doullett, Powers, Wilk, D. Hebert. SB—Andrews, Doullett. SAC—Griffith. LOB—Co-Op. 8, Royal 8. BB—Reid 4, Mullett 4, Andrews 1. SO—Brown 4, Ried, Andrews 4. HO—Brown, 2 in 3; Ried, 1 in 2-3; Mullett, 2 in 2 1-3; Andrews, 12 in 5. HBP—Brown, (D. Hebert Andrews). WP—Ried 2. W—Mullett. L—Andrews. T—1h, 52m.

Class Night

Classnight for Adams Memorial High School seniors will be held tonight at 8. Graduation exercises will be tomorrow night at 8.

CD Signal

Civil Defense Director Paul W. Deame is notifying the townspeople that the Civil Defense red alert signal is a three-minute steady blast on the fire whistle. The all-clear signal, three one-minute blasts punctuated by two minutes of silence.

Newport, R.I.

The bride is employed in the accounts receivable department at the Adams Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co. The bridegroom is currently assigned to the USS Lester at Newport, R.I.

St., Adams.

Plouffe

PITTSFIELD EAST LITTLE LEAGUE ALL-STARS, champions of District 1, meet the Longmeadow All-Stars tomorrow night at 6 at Strople Memorial Field in Longmeadow for the Western Massachusetts crown. East personnel is, left to right: first row, Craig Leslie, Billy Wilk, Bill Adamczyk, Jeff Connor and Steve Teal; second row, Carl Albano, Phil Degnan, Dennis Perrone, Pete Vacchina, Bud Reddington, Al Borelli and Tom Doyle; third row, Mike Curley, Tom Rilla, Coach John (Bud) Doyle, League President Fran Schultz, Coach Jim McManama, John Duda and Mike Cook. 6/16/61

Tragedy at 12 6/15/61

Wild Pitch Makes LL Catcher Fourth Fatality in a Month

COCOA, Fla. (UPI) — Brumit Estes had the instincts of a good catcher, even at the age of 12. So it seemed almost automatic Wednesday when the husky youngster picked up and tossed back to his pitcher the baseball that had struck him.

Seconds later, the boy collapsed across home plate. He died before he could reach a hospital, the fourth youngster to die within a month in a U.S. Little League baseball game.

The death of young Estes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester T. Estes of Rockledge, Fla., was a tragic combination of fractions of inches and split seconds that meant the difference between a fatal injury and only a bad bruise.

Best-Protected Player

As the catcher for the Moose Lodge Club in the Cocoa Little League, Estes was probably the best-protected player on the field. Shin guards covered his knees, a chest protector shielded his chest and the familiar mask guarded his face.

But for all catchers there is a common "Achilles heel," the small space between the top of the chest protector and the bottom of the mask.

It was the third inning in a game with "Rae's" of Cocoa. Pitcher Gary Painter wound up and delivered the ball. It was low and struck the hard rubber of home plate, bounced wildly upward and crashed through that little area between mask and chest protector into Estes' throat. The ball dropped to the ground and rolled a few inches. Instinct seemed to take over. The catcher pounced on the ball and threw it quickly back to Painter.

Gasps for Breath

Then Estes' knees buckled. Manager Charlie Williams, teammates and adult spectators rushed onto the diamond. The boy's face turned purple and he gasped for breath.

Fire Department rescuers gave him artificial respiration. But before the ambulance arrived at Wiestoff Memorial Hospital here the boy was dead.

A doctor said his preliminary examination indicated the youth died from a ruptured artery in his throat. No autopsy was planned.

Nichols Bros. Beats Zayre's On 3 Hits in North League

Nichols Bros. made three hits go a long way to beat Zayre's last night in a North Liitle League game at Wahconah Field. Nichols was helped by eight walks by losing pitcher Tommy Sherman.

Mike Trudeau went the route for Zayre's to get the win on a five-hitter. He fanned seven. Sherman was the big offensive gun for the losers with a single, double and home run in three times at bat. John Reilly had a double for Nichols.

In the East League last night at Allendale Field McDonald's downed Besse-Clarke 11-5. Mark Hardy was the winning pitcher on a five hitter. Hardy and Al Zaccarini of Besse's had a double and single apiece. Phil Degnan and Alan Olds hit two singles each for the winners.

Joe Kamienski paced his South League City Savings club to an 9-4 win over Berkshire Trust at Deming Field with four singles in four times at bat. Kevin O'Donnell and Steve Ricci had two each for City Savings.

Tom Sinopoli of the Eagles had a big night in the West League game at Clapp Field with a home run, double and two singles and five RBIs as his team trounced Gull Oil and Coal 18-3. Keith Pemrick had three singles and Larry Hunt belted a home run and single for the Eagles.

The scores:

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, 3b, p	4	3	3	1	0	0
Dowling, cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Mendocha, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
T. Barry, p, c	4	2	0	1	2	0
Sinopoli, c, 3b	5	3	4	9	1	1
Hunt, ss	3	3	2	3	1	0
O'Donnell, 1b	4	2	1	4	1	0
Cross, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
W. Barry, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pivero, lf	1	2	0	0	0	0
Croser, lf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Schermerhorn, rf	2	1	1	0	0	1
Loveless, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
	32	1	12	18	5	3

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Buckley, ss	3	1	1	3	1	0
Makes, c	3	1	1	9	0	1
Albano, 1b	2	1	1	1	0	2
Hermanski, p	3	0	1	0	1	1
Williams, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Phillips, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0
R. Bandurski, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Benham, 3b	3	0	0	3	1	1
West, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Martin, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Coty, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
W. Bandurski, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
	23	3	5	18	4	7

Eagles	322	254—18
Gull Oil & Coal	201	000— 3

RBI—Makes, Sinopoli 5, Pemrick, Dowling, Hunt 2, Cross. 2B—Sinopoli, Makes, Williams, Schermerhorn. HR—Hunt, Sinopoli. SB—O'Donnell, T. Barry. SAC—Hunt, Cross, Buckley. DP—Benham and Buckley; Sinopoli, unassisted. LOB—Eagles 9, Gull Oil & Coal 5. BB—T. Barry 2, Hermanski 9. SO—T. Barry 7, Hermanski 8. HO—T. Barry, 3 in 4; Pemrick, 2 in 2; Hermanski, 12 in 6. W—T. Barry. L—Hermanski. U—Stanton and Harris. T—1h, 30m.

NICHOLS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Trudeau, p	1	0	0	0	4	0
Garstang, 2b	1	1	0	0	4	0
Reilly, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Ludbrook, c	2	1	1	8	0	0
R. Guilds, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Downey, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
M. Guilds, ss	2	1	1	0	1	0
Kellogg, 1b	2	0	0	8	1	1
Ruel, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	15	3	3	18	10	1

ZAYRE'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McKeever, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Carter, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Scaglarini, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	1
Sherman, p, 1b	3	2	3	3	1	0
Jones, ss	3	0	1	2	2	0
Downey, 1b, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Murray, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
Vandergrift, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Rivers, c, p	2	0	0	3	3	1
	23	2	5	15	8	2

Nichols	111	00 —3
Zayre's	010	100—2

RBI—Sherman, M. Guilds, Reilly. 2B—Reilly, Sherman. HR—Sherman. SB—Garstang. SAC—Murray. LOB—Zayre's 4, Nichols 6. BB—Sherman 8. SO—Trudeau 7, Sherman 3, Rivers 1. HO—Rivers, 0 in 1; Sherman, 3 in 3. HBP—Sherman (Reilly). L—Sherman. U—Cross and Molkoski. T—1h, 15m.

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wilk, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
St. John, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Barbarotta, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Daligian, 1b	4	1	0	5	0	0
Degnan, c, ss	3	3	2	8	1	0
Hardy, p	4	1	2	0	2	1
St. Peter, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Papallo, c	1	1	1	2	0	0
Olds, 3b	3	1	2	0	2	1
Broderick, ss	2	1	0	2	0	0
Freadman, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	2
Herman, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pazsit, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Perkins, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	29	11	9	18	5	4

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
B. Barrington, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	1
Denno, cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
M. Barrington, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Monteleone, 1b	4	2	0	4	0	0
Zaccarini, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Magri, c	3	0	1	11	0	0
Cook, lf, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Forman, 2b, lf	3	0	0	1	1	1
Adamczyk, ss	3	0	0	1	0	1
Dennison, p, 2b	1	0	0	1	4	0
McManama, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
McHugh, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ellis, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	26	5	5	18	6	3

McDonald's	023	501—11
Besse-Clarke	200	030— 5

RBI—Wilk, Degnan, Hardy 4, Olds. 2B—Zaccarini, Hardy. LOB—Besse-Clarke 6, McDonald's 8. BB—Dennison 1, Cook 8, Hardy 5. SO—Dennison 4,Cook 7, Hardy 7. HO—Dennison, 4 in 2 2-3; Cook, 5 in 3 1-3; Hardy, 5 in 6. HBP—Cook (Perkins). W—Hardy. L—Cook. U—Knappe and Gwinnell. T—1h, 55m.

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ricci, ss	3	0	2	1	1	0
T. O'Donnell, p	4	1	0	0	1	1
K. O'Donnell, 3b	4	2	2	0	0	0
Sharen, c	4	2	1	10	0	0
Kamienski, lf	4	2	4	0	0	0
Caritey, cf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Meehan, 1b	3	1	1	6	0	0
Connelly, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Massetti, 2b	1	0	0	1	3	0
Redlin, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wheelock, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grogan, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xSalamone	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salley, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
	31	9	12	18	5	1

BERKSHIRE TRUST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Adriance, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Tobin, ss	2	1	0	0	4	1
Virgilio, p	3	1	1	1	1	0
Lamont, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Farr, c	2	1	1	7	1	0
Rohlfs, lf	2	0	1	0	0	3
Case, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	0
Hayes, 2b	0	0	0	2	0	1
Stracuzzi, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Hart, cf	3	1	1	3	0	0
	23	4	5	18	6	7

City Savings	300	051—9
Berkshire Trust	400	000—4

x—Batted in 4th for Massetti.

RBI—Hart 2, Rohlfs, Meehan, Caritey 3. 2B—Caritey, Farr, Rohlfs. SAC—Lamont. LOB—City Savings 9, Berkshire Trust 5. BB—T. O'Donnell 4, Virgilio 2. SO—O'Donnell 10, Virgilio 5. PB—Farr 3, Sheran 2. U—Kruger and Schilling. T—1h, 20m.

Eagles Tie Civitan Team In West Loop

6/21/61

Bill Brown Wins Pitchers' Battle In North League

WEST LEAGUE
FIRST HALF

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Civitan	5	2	.714
Eagles	5	2	.714
M&B Electric	4	3	.571
Goyette Bros.	4	3	.571
Union Federal	3	4	.429
Gull Coal & Oil	0	7	.000

The Eagles downed the M & B Electric team 7-3 last night at Clapp Field to tie for first place with Civitan and throw the first half of the West Little League into a deadlock. The Eagles and Civitan will play off Monday night at Clapp at 6:15.

Larry Hunt stopped M & B with four hits and walked only one while fanning six. Hunt also belted a home run and had two RBIs.

Bill Brown threw a one-hitter for Royal Discount in a North League game at Wahconah Field as his club shut out Pittsfield Fire Department 4-0. Alex Koldy's double was the only hit. Besides Koldys, the only other PFD base runner reached on an error. Brown struck out seven.

Don Gattaso was the hard luck loser. He allowed only three hits and struck out 10.

Pittsfield Electric pitcher Tom Flaherty limited the Moldmaster team to four hits as his club took a 6-3 East League victory at Allendale Field. John Gasson and Walter Kopychak paced the winners with two singles apiece.

The scores:

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	3	1	1	0	0	1
Gasson, rf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Wood, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Killeen, 2b	3	1	1	3	2	1
Reddington, 1b	2	1	1	5	0	0
Curley, c	3	1	1	9	0	0
Kopychak, lf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Wilk, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Hebler, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lusignan, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Flaherty, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
	25	6	10	18	4	2

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Meany, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carmel, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Teal, 3b	3	1	0	1	1	1
Tom Doyle, ss, cf	3	1	1	1	1	0
Rilla, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Perrone, p, ss	3	0	1	0	0	0
Briggs, c, p	3	0	1	4	0	0
Clark, cf, c	3	0	1	2	0	0
Russo, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Perkins, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morano, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Terry Doyle, 2b	1	0	0	1	2	0
	24	3	4	18	4	1

Pittsfield Electric	022	11x—6
Moldmasters	300	000—3

RBI—Tom Doyle, Rilla, Perrone, Leslie, Gasson, Reddington, Kopychak, Wilk, Lusignan. 2B—Reddington. SB—Clark, Flaherty. LOB—Pittsfield Electric 9, Moldmasters 4. SO—Flaherty 9, Perrone 4, Briggs 0. HO—Perrone 8 in 3, Briggs 2 in 2. HBP—Flaherty (Morano). LP—Perrone, U—Flossic. T—1h, 25m.

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, ss	3	2	2	1	0	2
Soldato, cf	3	0	2	0	0	0
T. Barry, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	1
Sinopoli, c	3	1	0	6	0	0
Hunt, p	3	2	1	0	2	0
Pivero, lf	1	1	0	1	0	0
O'Donnell, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Allegrone, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Schermerhorn, rf	1	0	0	1	1	0
Dowling, 3b	2	1	0	1	0	0
	25	7	5	18	7	4

M&B ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Beraldi, lf, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hill, rf	3	0	0	0	0	2
Carlo, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
McDonald, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Massery, c	3	0	0	8	1	0
McDonough, p	3	0	2	0	3	1
O'Connell, 1b	2	1	0	3	0	2
Sarmuk, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kraay, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Pictrowski, 3b	2	1	1	4	1	0
Sepcilka, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Scalvini, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	3	4	18	8	6

Eagles	100	222 —7
M&B Electric	000	030—3

RBI—Pemrick, Soldato, Hunt 2, Dowling, Pictrowski. 2B—McDonald, Pemrick, Soldato. HR—Hunt. SB—Pictrowski, Pivero. DP—McDonald to Massery and Pictrowski; Pictrowsi and Beraldi. LOB—Eagles 5, M&B Electric 3. BB—Hunt 1, McDonough 4. SO—Hunt 6, McDonough 7. U—Harris and Molkoski. T—1h, 25m.

ROYAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	4	0	0	2	0	1
Baker, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wilk, c	3	6	0	7	1	0
D. Hebert, ss	3	1	0	1	2	0
Furlano, 1b	2	1	1	7	0	0
Brown, p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Kinnas, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Boland, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Mulleft, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reid, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
C. Hebert, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	4	3	18	5	1

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Enright, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
LaRochelle, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Fugal, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Gattaso, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Koldys, 3b	2	0	1	1	0	0
DeCicco, ss	2	0	0	3	0	1
Watroba, c	2	0	0	10	0	0
Denno, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
LeBlanc, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Rembish, 1b	2	0	0	1	0	0
	17	0	1	18	2	2

Royal	300	001—4

RBI—Brown. 2B—Furlano, Koldys. SB—Kinnas 3, Furlano, Boland. Sac.—Brown. LOB—PFD 1, Royal 5. BB—Gattaso 5. SO—Brown 7, Gattaso 10. U—Gwinnel and Shaughnessy. T—1h, 2m.

Little League Weekend Results 6/26/61

Curletti's 14, Pittsfield Electric 4.
Moldmaster 10, Western Mass. Supply 2.
Pittsfield Fire Dept. 6, Pittsfield Co-op 3.
Colt Insurance 17, Royal Discount 12.
Optimist Club 9, Ed Johnson's 3.
Berkshire Trust 3, Elks Club 2.
Elks 5, Crescent Creamery 0.
City Savings 8, Crescent Creamery 3.
Civitan 22, Gull Oil & Coal 1.
Union Federal 12, Goyette Bros. 4.

Greg Best and Ken Staples teamed up to pitch a no-hit, no-run game for Elks Club of the South Little League over Crescent Creamery in the top performance on Little League play over the weekend. Each boy pitched three innings. The score was 5-0.

The scores:

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Dennis, 1b	3	1	1	1	0	1
Loveless, c	3	0	1	8	0	0
Best, p	2	1	0	3	0	0
Dale Stetson, ss	2	1	1	2	1	0
Robertson, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Rainka, 2b	2	0	0	2	3	1
Dave Stetson, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
McConnell, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
MacDonald, 3b	2	1	1	0	0	1
Murphy, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barnini, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Staples, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
	21	5	6	18	4	3

CRESCENT CREAMERY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jones, 2b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Milukas, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Delmolino, c	3	0	0	5	0	1
Esposito, p	1	0	0	2	0	0
Gall, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
Augenstein, ss	2	0	0	0	2	0
Skowronski, 3b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Belfer, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chase, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Maynard, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Elser, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
McKim, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Graves, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	18	0	0	15	5	1

Elks 200 21 —5

RBI—Loveless 2, Dale Stetson 2, Robertson. HR—Robertson. DP—Dale Stateson (unassisted). LOB—Crescent Creamery 5, Elks 4. BB—Best 1, Staples 2, Esposito 4. SO—Esposito 4, Staples 3, Best 5. W—Best. U—P. Vanis and Schilling. T—1h, 15m.

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss, c	2	3	1	2	0	0
Parise, 3b, ss	0	3	0	0	2	0
Lombard, cf, 3b	2	2	2	1	0	0
Gibson, p, cf	4	4	2	0	0	0
Simonelli,c , p	4	3	3	5	0	0
Dalimyer, 1b	2	2	2	4	0	0
Sottile, 2b	1	2	0	0	1	0
Gariepy, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Winters, lf	0	2	0	0	0	0
Witfield, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	19	22	10	12	2	0

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connors, p, ss	3	0	1	1	0	2
Hermanski, c	2	0	1	4	1	2
West, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, 1b	0	1	0	2	0	0
Makes, lf, 3b	2	0	1	2	0	0
Williams, ss, lf	2	0	0	0	1	1
W. Bandurski, cf, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Loomis, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	2	0	1	0	1	0
Benham, cf, p	1	0	0	0	0	2
	16	1	4	9	3	7

Civitan 895 —22
Gull Oil & Coal 000 1— 1

RBI—Gallagher 2, Parise 2, Lombard, Gibson 4, Simonelli 3. 2B—Gallagher, Lombard, Gibson 2, Simonelli 2, Dallmyer. SB—McMahon, Simonelli. LOB—Civitan 3, Gull Oil & Coal 6. BB—Connors 12, Benham 1, Gibson 1, Simonelli 1. SO—Gibson 5, Simonelli 1, Benham 4. HO—Gibson, 2 in 3; Simonelli, 2 in 1; Connors, 3 in 1 1-3; Benham, 7 in 1 2-3. HBP—Simonelli (Benham), Connors (Sottile). W—Gibson. L—Connors. U—Hart and Kruger. T—1h, 30m.

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Michaels, lf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Russo, 3b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Dimartino, ss	4	4	2	1	3	0
Maniatis, c	4	0	1	9	1	0
Clifford, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Dills, p	4	1	2	1	0	0
D. Williams, 2b, rf	3	3	1	1	1	1
B. Williams, 1b	3	0	1	6	0	0
Yon, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cimini, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	34	12	10	18	6	1

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Petell, 2b, ss	3	1	1	2	1	1
Litano, 3b	3	2	2	2	2	2
Gleason, c	3	1	2	6	0	3
Danford, 1b	2	0	1	4	0	2
Latimere, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Giffos, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Kozack, ss	1	0	0	1	1	1
D. Harrington, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	1
Nash, cf	1	0	0	0	1	2
Meloueck, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Harrison, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ciliberti, rf, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pinnoseault, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	4	6	18	5	12

Union Federal 512 310—12
Goyette Brothers 201 010— 4

RBI—Maniatis 2, Clifford, D. Williams 2, B. Williams, Danford 2, Latimere. 2B—Clifford, D. Williams. SB—Dills. SAC—B. Williams, Danford. LOB—Union Federal 7, Goyette Brothers 5. BB—Dills 3, Latimere 1. HBP—Latimere (D. Williams). U—Kruger and Hart. T—1h, 25m.

COLT INSURANCE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vincent, lf, 2b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Brockway, rf	2	2	2	0	0	0
Wowk, 2b, 3b	4	2	3	3	2	0
McCumskey, 3b, p	5	1	2	0	3	2
Kirchner, ss	3	2	2	2	0	0
Parise,r f	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Tenney, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Komunecki, c	5	2	1	3	1	0
Scanlon, cf	3	1	0	1	0	0
R. Tenney, p, lf	2	2	0	0	1	0
O'Hara, 1b	0	3	0	6	0	0
	29	17	11	18	8	2

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	1
Baker, p, lf	4	3	2	0	1	0
Wilk, c	4	3	3	6	0	0
Brown, 1b	4	1	1	4	0	0
D. Hebert, ss	4	2	4	2	1	0
Boland, rf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Furlano, lf, 2b	2	1	1	1	2	0
Kinnas, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
C. Heberi, 2b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Florczyk, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Griffith, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mullett, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	33	12	16	18	6	1

Colt 231 090—17
Royal 341 401—12

RBI—D. Hebert 5, Wilk 2, Wowk 4, Kirchner 2, Tenney, Brockway, Brown. 2B—Brown, Kirchner, Komunecki. 3B—Kirchner. HR—Wowk. LOB—Colt 8, Royal 4. BB—Baker 8, McCumskey 2, Mullett 6, Tenney 2. SO—Baker 4, McCumskey 1, Mullett 1, Tenney 3. HO—McCumskey, 5 in 3; Mullett, 7 in 1 2-3; Tenney, 11 in 3; Baker, 5 in 4 1-3. HBP—Tenney (Baker). W—McCumskey. L—Mullett. U—Molkoski and Shaughnessy. T—1h, 35m.

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Carpenter,lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dunsmore, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Enright, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
P. LaRochelle, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiegal, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Rembish, cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
D. LaRochelle, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Koldys, p	3	1	1	2	1	0
Gattaso, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	1
LeBlanc, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Watroba, c	2	0	0	8	1	1
DeCicco, ss	2	1	1	0	2	0
Denno, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
	20	6	4	18	5	2

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Stanger, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
zB. Lander	1	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, c	3	0	1	10	0	0
Andrews, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Chandler, ss	3	1	1	1	2	0
Kane, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
J. Lander, 2b	2	0	1	0	0	3
Kerwood, 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Marinaro, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pero, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ziter, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzKeegan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Doullett, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
	24	3	6	15	2	3

PFD 400 02 —6
Co-op. 003 000—3

z—Struck out for Stanger in 1st.
zz—Grounded out for Ziter in 6th.

RBI—Kane 2, J. Lander, Gattaso 2, Koldys. 2B—Kane. HR—Gattaso. LOB—PFD 2, Co-op. 6. BB—Doullett 3, Koldys 2. SO—Doullett 10, Koldys 7. Balk—Doullett. U—Molkoski and Shaughnessy. T—1h, 20m.

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connor, cf, 3b	4	2	3	0	0	0
M. Mitchell, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
J. DiNicola, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Phelps, 1b	2	2	0	6	0	0
Albano, c	3	2	1	10	0	0
Chojnowski, rf	4	2	1	1	0	0
Duda, p	4	2	0	1	2	0
Lucaroni, ss	1	2	1	0	0	0
Morton, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
C. Michell, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
B. DiNicola, 2b	1	1	0	0	2	0
Horn, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	14	8	18	4	0

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	3	0	0	3	2	0
Gasson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, p	1	2	1	0	1	0
Killeen, 2b	1	1	0	2	0	2
Ryan, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reddington, 1b	3	1	1	4	0	0
Curley, c	3	0	0	5	0	1
Kopychak, lf	3	0	3	1	0	1
Wilk, 3b	2	0	0	2	2	0
Pelletier, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lusignan, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hall, rf	1	0	0	1	1	0
Wood, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	4	5	18	6	4

Curletti's 050 540—14
Pittsfield Electric 000 202— 4

RBI—Reddington, Kopychak 3, Connors 3, Albano 2, Chojnowski, Lucaroni, Morton. 2B—Connor. 3B—Albano, Reddington. SAC—R. DiNicola. DP—Wilk to Killeen; Leslie to Reddington. LOB—Curletti's 8, Pittsfield Electric Shop 3. BB—Gasson 6, Miller ,6 Duda 2. SO—Gasson 2, Miller 2, Duda 10. HO—Gasson, 1 in 1 2-3; Miller, 7 in 4 1-3. HBP—Miller (Albano). WP—Gasson. W—Duda. L—Gasson. U—Flossic and Gwinnell. T—1h, 55m.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, lf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Teal, 3b	2	1	0	1	0	0
Tom Doyle, p	1	3	1	0	2	0
Rilla, 1b	3	1	2	4	0	1
Perrone, ss	3	1	1	0	0	0
Briggs, c	2	1	0	10	0	0
Carmel, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Russo, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stone, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Perkins, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Terry Doyle, 2b	3	0	0	2	1	0
	24	10	7	18	3	1

WESTERN MASS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Peter Vacchina, c, cf, 2b	1	0	1	2	0	0
J. Sincere, cf, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
White, p, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Borelli, 3b	2	1	1	0	2	0
Sturma, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	1
Schultz, cf, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Paul Vacchina, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Kennedy, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
A. Sincere, 2b, ss	2	0	0	0	0	1
Marchetto, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	4	15	6	2

Moldmaster 202 06 —10
Western Mass. 101 000— 2

3B—Tom Doyle, Rilla. SB—Barelli, Briggs. LOB—Moldmasters 3, Western Mass. Supply 2. BB—Doyle 2, White 4. SO—Doyle 9, White 5, Paul Vacchina 2. HO—Doyle, 4 in 6; White, 7 in 4 1-3. W—Tom Doyle. L—White. U—Gwinnell and Flossic. T—1h, 20m.

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sharon, c	3	1	3	10	0	0
Ricci, ss	3	1	1	0	1	1
K. O'Donnell, 3b	3	1	2	0	0	1
T. O'Donnell, 1b	1	1	0	7	0	0
Caritey, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kamienski, cf	2	1	0	0	1	0
Salley, 2b	2	1	0	0	2	0
Wheelock, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Redlin, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Masseti, 2b	1	0	1	1	0	0
Salamone, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Grogan, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	8	7	18	4	2

CRESCENT CREAMERY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jones, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Milukas, cf	3	1	0	0	1	2
Delmolino, p	3	1	0	0	1	1
Esposito, c	2	1	1	9	0	0
Gall, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Augenstein, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Beifer, 1b	2	0	0	6	0	0
Chase, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
McKim, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	21	3	1	15	6	3

City Savings 100 16 —8
Crescent Creamery 000 003—3

RBI—Esposito 2. HR—Sharan. SAC—T. O'Donnell. YOB—Crescent Creamery 2, City Savings 6. BB—Delmolino 8, Kamienski 2. SO—Delmolino 7, Caritey 6, Kamienski 4. HO—Delmolino, 5 in 7; Caritey , 3 in 0; Kamienski, 3 in 1. PB—Esposito, Sharon 2. W—Caritey. U—Gwinnell and Kruger. T—1h, 30m.

BERKSHIRE TRUST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, ss	4	1	1	0	0	1
Farr, c	3	0	0	6	0	0
Virgilio, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Hart, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Lamount, 1b	3	1	0	6	0	1
Adriance, 2b	3	0	0	4	2	1
Rohlfs, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hays, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tobin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	3	3	18	6	3

ELKS CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Dennis, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Loveless, c	2	1	0	14	0	0
Best, ss	3	0	0	1	0	1
Stetson, p	3	1	2	0	3	0
Robertson, lf	3	0	3	0	0	0
Lyons, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	2
MacDonald, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Staples, 1b	2	0	0	2	0	1
Murphy, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dave Stetson, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	2	5	18	3	4

Berkshire Trust 100 200—3
Elks 200 000—2

RBI—Virgilio, Dale Seteson, Robertson. 2B—Dale Stetson 2, Robertson. DP—Adriance, unassisted. LOB—Berkshire Trust7, Elks 6. BB—Case 1, Stetson 2. SO—Case 6, Stetson 14. MBP—Stetson (Case). PB—Farr 2, Loveless 4. U—Kruger and Gwinnell. T—1h, 20m.

Little League Box Scores

EAST LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Curletti's Market	6	3	.667
Pittsfield Electric	6	4	.600
Moldmasters	5	4	.555
Besse-Clarke	5	5	.500
McDonald's	4	7	.364
Western Mass. Supply	3	6	.333

WEEKEND RESULTS

Western Mass. Supply 4, Pittsfield Electric 2.
Colt Insurance 18, Zayre 7.
Pittsfield Fire Dept. 3, Pittsfield Co-op. 2.

WESTERN MASS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paul Vacchina, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Pete Vacchina, p	3	3	3	0	2	0
Borelli, 3b	3	0	3	0	0	0
Sturma, 1b	3	0	3	2	0	1
White, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
J. Sincere, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schultz, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Kennedy, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Marchetto, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schmoyer, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
A. Sincere, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wagstaff, c	2	0	0	0	0	0
	27	4	10	18	0	1

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	3	1	0	1	2	0
Gasson, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Killeen, 2b	2	0	0	2	2	0
Reddington, 1b	3	1	2	3	0	0
Curley, c	1	0	0	7	0	0
Kopychak, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wilk, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	1
Lusignan, cf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Hall, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
	22	2	3	18	6	1

Western Mass. 111 010—4
Pittsfield Electric 000 110—2

RBI—Reddington, Wilk, Borelli 2, Sturma. 2B—Reddington 2, Pete Vacchina 2, Borelli, Sturma, Kennedy. BB—Vacchina 5, Hall 2. SO—Vacchina 13, Hall 7. HBP—Vacchina (Curley). U—Krueger and Gwinnell. T—1h, 35m.

COLT INSURANCE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Yon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Scanlon, 1b	4	2	1	6	0	1
McCumiskey, cf	5	2	3	0	0	0
Kirchner, ss	5	4	3	1	1	0
Wowk, 3b	5	4	1	1	1	0
Komuniecki, c	5	1	3	7	0	0
Jakacky, 2b	1	1	0	0	1	0
Parise, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vincent, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Brockway, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Hara, lf	1	2	1	0	0	0
Reynolds, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Tenney, 1b, cf	2	1	0	1	1	0
R. Tenney, p	3	1	0	1	4	0
	37	18	12	18	9	1

ZAYRE'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Stanger, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cartier, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Kelly, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eksuzian, lf	3	2	1	3	0	1
Pettijohn, ss	4	1	1	2	1	1
Barzousky, c	0	0	0	2	1	0
Lacy, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
McKeever, p	3	0	2	0	0	0
Scagliarini, p, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Murray, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	1
Sherman, 3b	3	0	3	0	1	2
Downey, c, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	3
Jones, 1b	3	1	0	4	0	0
	28	7	9	18	5	8

Colt 280 026—18
Zayre 022 300— 7

RBI—Scanlon, Komuniecki 4, McCumiskey 2, Kirchner 2, Sherman 2, Eksuzian. 2B—Scanlon, KMcCumiskey, Kirchner 2, Wowk, Komuniecki, Sherman. SAC — Barousky. LOB—Zayre 8, Colt 4. BB—Tenney 3, Scagliarini 2, McKeever 1. SO—Tenney 7, Scagliarini 2, McKeever 3. HO—Scagliarini, 5 in 2; Tenney, 9 in 6; McKeever, 7 in 4. Balk—Scagliarini. W—Tenney. L—Scagliarini. U—Florszyk and Gwinnell. T—1h, 40m.

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Carpenter, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
P. LaRochelle, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ziemba, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Enright, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fiegal, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Koldys, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Rembish, 3b	3	1	1	2	0	1
Gattaso, p	2	1	0	0	0	1
Watroba, c	3	1	1	5	1	1
D. LaRochelle, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
LeBlanc, ss	2	0	1	0	1	2
Denno, 2b	3	0	1	1	0	0
	26	3	6	18	2	4

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powers, ss	2	0	0	3	0	0
Andrews, p	3	2	1	0	4	0
Keegan, 2b	3	0	0	0	3	1
Kane, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fetridge, rf	0	1	0	1	0	0
Stanger, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Marinaro, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Pero, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Florczyk, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Lander, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Kerwood, 1b	2	0	0	9	0	1
zB. Lander	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	2	18	10	3

PFD 000 003—3
Co-op. 000 101—2

6z—Struck out for Pero in 4th.

RBI—LeBlanc 2, Watroba. 2B—Carpenter, Rembish, Fetridge. BB—Andrews 1. SO—Andrews 4, Gattaso 15. HB—Gattaso (Kane). W—Gattaso. L—Andrews. U—Molkoski and Florczyk. T—1h, 15m.

M. & B. ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pictrowski, p	3	1	1	1	2	0
Beraldi, 2b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Sepcilka, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
McDonald, ss	3	1	0	0	1	0
Kraay, rf, 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Massery, c	2	0	0	9	0	0
Hill, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Scalvini, lf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Hollister, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
O'Connell, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Carlo, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	5	5	18	3	0

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Michaels, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Russo, 3b	2	1	0	0	4	0
Dimartino, ss	3	0	1	3	2	1
Maniatis, c	3	0	3	5	0	1
Dills, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Clifford, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
D. Williams, 2b, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Yon, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	1
xUtzig	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. Williams, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Philips, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Cimini, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
xxIngram	0	0	0	0	0	0
	26	1	7	18	7	4

M. & B. Electric 100 004—5
Union Federal 100 000—1

x—Struck out for Yon in 6th.
xx—Struck out for Cimini in 6th.

RBI—Massery, Scalvini, Clifford. 2B—Scalvini. SAC—Massery. LOB—M. & B. Electric 3, Union Federal 8. BB—Pictrowski 1. SO—Pictrowski 9, Dills 5. U—Shaughnessy and Kruger. T—1h, 15m.

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, ss	4	1	1	0	0	0
Parise, 3b	4	2	0	3	1	0
Lombard, cf, 1b	4	2	0	3	1	0
Gibson, p	2	4	1	0	0	0
Goyette, 2b, 1b	3	3	1	0	0	0
Sottile, 2b, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dripps, 2b	0	0	0

Delmolino Has 3-Hitter

Creamery Whips Optimists 9-2; Colt's Scores Win

A three-hit pitching performance by Nando Delmolino and a five-run second inning was the combination that gave Crescent Creamery a 9-2 victory over Optimist Club in the South Little League game at Deming Field last night. Base hits by Delmolino, Mike Milukas and Buddy Gall were the big blows in the rally.

In a North League game at Wahconah Field the Colt Insurance club scored its first triumph of the season by downing Pittsfield Co-op 10-5. Dave Kirchner had two doubles and Ricky Komuniecki had a double and single to lead the Colt attack. Brian Keegan had a double and single for the losers.

M & B Electric took a wild West League tilt from Union Federal 15-9 at Clapp Field. Lou Massery got the win in relief. He also led his club with four hits in four trips to the plate. Dave Dills had a double, and two singles in three times at bat and four RBIs for Union Federal.

The scores:

CRESCENT CREAMERY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Skowronski, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Milukas, lf	3	2	2	3	0	0
DelMolino, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Esposito, c	3	1	1	13	0	2
Gaul, 1b	3	0	1	5	0	0
Arronstein, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Butler, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Chase, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Jones, 2b	2	1	1	0	1	0
Graves, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maynard, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Elser, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKim, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	6	6	18	4	2

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	2	0	0	4	4	1
Klemanski, rf	2	1	0	1	0	1
Harrington, ss	3	1	1	1	1	0
Ricciarini, c	2	0	1	1	0	1
R. DelGallo, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Bond, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	1
Bagdonas, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
B. DelGallo, lf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Villanova, p	1	1	0	1	0	0
Massimiano, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	20	3	2	15	5	3

Optimist Club	200	010—3
Crescent Creamery	150	00 —6

RBI—Harrington, Miluka 2, Delmolino, Gall. LOB—Crescent Creamery 3, Optimist Club 7. BB—Villanova 1, Delmolino 6, Gaul 2. SO—Villanova, 2 Delmolino 10, Gaul 2. HBP—Villanova (Chase), Delmolino (Bagdonas). PB—Esposito 2, Ricciarini 2. U—Villanova and Schilling. T—1h, 30m.

COLT INS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vincent, 2b	3	1	0	1	0	1
Jakacky, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wowk, 3b	3	2	1	2	2	0
McCumiskey, p	4	0	1	0	1	1
Kirchner, ss	4	2	2	1	4	0
Parise, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
J. Tenney, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yon, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kominicki, c	3	1	2	7	2	0
Reynolds, c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Scanlon, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
B. Tenney, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
O'Hara, 1b	1	1	1	5	0	0
	25	10	9	18	9	2

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Marinaro, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Powers, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Andrews, ss	4	1	1	7	0	0
Fetridge, 2b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Zifer, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	2
Chandler, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kane, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Keegan, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Floczyk, p, 1b, 2b	2	1	0	1	0	0
B. Lander, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Lander, 2b	1	1	1	0	1	0
Kerwood, 1b, p	0	1	0	0	0	0
Stanger, 2b, 3b	3	0	1	5	2	0
	25	5	6	15	3	2

	523	00 —10
Co-Op.	020	012— 5

RBI—Stanger 2, Keegan, Kominicki, Kirchner, Parise. 2B—Andrews, Keegan, Stanger, Kominiecki, Kirchner 2. SB—Vincent, Parise, Scanlon, Andrews, Kane, Keegan, Kerwood 2. LOB—Colt 8, Co-Op. 8. BB—McCumiskey 6, Florczyk 3, Kerwood 4. SO—Kerwood 4, McCumiskey 8. HO—Kerwood, 5 in 5; Florczyk, 4 in 1. HBP—O'Hara (Kerwood). WP—McCumiskey. PB—Kominicki. W—McCumiskey. L—Florczyk. T—1h, 35m.

M. & B. ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pictrowski, p, 2b, cf	3	1	2	3	0	0
Hill, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Carlo, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
McDonough, 3b	5	2	2	0	0	0
Massery, c, p	4	3	4	0	3	1
Kraay, 2b, cf	4	3	1	0	0	1
Sarmuk, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sepcilka, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Beraldi, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Scalvini, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hollister, c, cf	4	3	2	9	0	0
O'Connell, 1b	4	0	1	4	0	1
	36	15	15	18	5	4

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Phillips, 2b	3	1	0	0	0	1
Cimini, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Williams, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Russo, p	2	3	1	0	0	0
Maniatis, c	3	2	1	7	0	0
Dills, ss	3	2	3	2	3	1
Michaels, 3b	2	0	1	1	0	2
Clifford, cf	2	0	0	3	0	0
B. Williams, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	0
Ingram, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Yon, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
	26	9	7	18	3	5

M. & B. Electric	047	220—15
Union Federal	420	201— 9

RBI—Pictrowski, McDonough, Massery, McDonald, Hollister, Sepcika, Bernaldi, Kraay, O'Connell 2, Maniatis, Dills 4, Michaels 2, B. Williams 2. 2B—Dills, Sepcilka. SAC—Dills, McDonald. LOB—M. & B. Electric 5, Union Federal 10. BB—Massery 9, Russo 2. SO—Massery 8, Russo 7. HO—Pictrowski, 3 in 1-3; Massery, 6 in 5 2-3; Russo, 15 in 6. W—Massery. L—Russo. U—Flossick and Jordan. T—1h, 45m.

One Run Decides Three Games in LL

Colts, Zayre's, Western Mass. Take Tight Contests

Three of four Little League ball games last night were decided by one run. In the East League Western Mass. Supply nipped McDonald's 9-8 at Allendale Field. Colt Insurance topped Zayre's 8-7 in the North League at Wahconah Field and the Eagles downed M&B Electric 5-4 in a West League contest at Clapp Field.

In the fourth game City Savings took a South League tilt at Deming Field 14-3 over Crescent Creamery.

Western Supply pitcher Paul Vacchina won his own game with a bases empty homer in the sixth inning to break a 8-8 tie. Dave Sturma had three for three for the winners.

Colt Insurance sent across the winning run in the last inning to break a 7-7 deadlock. Dave Kitchner had a double and single for the Colt team. Tom Sherman and Ray Murray had two hits each for Zayre's.

Eagles' catcher Tom Sinopoli had a home run and two RBIs to lead his team to victory. Winning pitcher Al Dowling threw a five-hitter and fanned five.

In the South League Mike Caritey pitched a four-hitter for City Savings. Caritey, Joe Kamienski and Steve Ricci had two hits apiece for the winners. Joe Esposito had two for Crescent Creamery.

The scores:

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, ss, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	2
O'Donnell, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
T. Barry, 2b, ss	2	1	1	1	2	1
Sinopoli, c	3	1	1	7	1	0
Hunt, 1b	3	1	1	7	1	1
Cross, cf, 3b, 2b	3	1	1	1	1	2
Allegrone, cf, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Pivero, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Mendocha, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
xCorseri	0	0	0	0	0	0
W. Barry, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dowling, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
	24	5	7	18	8	7

M. & B. ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sarmuk, 2b	2	1	1	0	1	0
Kraay, 1b, 2b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Carlo, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sepcilka, lf	2	0	0	1	1	0
O'Connell, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
Beraldi, 2b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Hill, c, rf, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
McDonald, ss	3	1	1	1	1	2
McDonough, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Massery, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
Pictrowski, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hollister, lf, c	2	1	1	4	2	1
	26	4	5	17	8	3

Eagles	022	001—5/
M. & B. Electric	002	002—4

x—Ran for Mendocha in 4th.

RBI—Sinopoli 2, Cross 2, Allegrone, Dowling, Sepcilka. 2B—O'Donnell, Cross, Allegrone, Hill 2. HR—Sinopoli. SB—McDonough 2, Hunt 2. LOB—Eagles 6, M. & B. Electric 5. BB—Massey 2. SO—Dowling 5, Massery 5. HBP—Massery (Mendocha). Balk—Massery. U—Kruger and Shaughnessy. T—1h, 25m.

ZAYRE'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McKeever, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Pettijohn, cf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Scaglarini, p, ss	4	1	1	1	2	0
Sherman, 3b	3	1	2	1	0	0
Jones, ss, p	4	2	0	1	3	2
Downey, 1b, c	3	0	1	7	0	0
Murray, 2b	3	1	2	3	0	1
Vandergrifth, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Rivers, c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Barzowski, 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
	31	7	8	18	5	3

COLT INSURANCE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vincent, 2b	3	2	1	1	4	1
McCumiskey, ss, p	3	3	1	2	1	1
Kirchner, p, ss	4	3	2	2	1	0
Komuniecki, c	2	0	1	11	3	0
Scanlon, cf, 1b	2	0	1	0	0	0
R. Tenney, 3b	3	0	1	2	0	0
O'Hara, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
zWowk	1	0	0	0	0	0
Parise, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chandler, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brockway, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
J. Tenney, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Reynolds, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	8	7	21	9	3

Colt Insurance	203	200 1—8
Zayre's	020	230 0—7

z—Grounded out for O'Hara in 3rd.

RBI—Scaglarini, Sherman, Vandergrifth, Kirchner, Komuniecki, Scanlon 2. 2B—McKeever, Kirchner. SB—Murray. SAC—O'Hara, Komuniecki. BB—Jones 3, Scaglarini 8, Kirchner 2. SO—Jones 4, Scaglarini 5, McCumiskey 4, Kirchner 7. HO—Jones, 2 3; Kirchner, 7 in 4 2-3; McCumiskey, 1 in 2 1-3; Scaglarini, 5 in 3. Balk—Jones. W—McCumiskey. L—Jones. T—1h, 30m.

WESTERN MASS. SUPPLY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pete Vacchina, ss	4	1	1	0	1	0
Paul Vacchina, p	4	2	2	0	0	0
Borelli, 3b	3	2	1	1	1	0
Sturma, 1b	3	3	3	6	0	1
White, cf	1	1	0	0	1	0
J. Sincere, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schultz, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Marchetto, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Kennedy, rf	2	0	2	0	0	0
Massaconi, rf	1	0	1	0	1	0
Waagstaff, c	3	0	0	10	0	1
Schmoyer, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
A. Sincere, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	27	9	11	18	5	2

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Herman, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Papalo, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wilk, cf	3	3	2	1	0	0
St. John, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Perkins, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Degnan, p	3	1	2	0	0	0
Hardy, 1b	1	1	1	6	0	0
St. Peter, rf, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Angello, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Pazil, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Barbarotta, 3b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Olds, c	3	1	1	5	0	0
Broderick, ss	3	1	1	1	0	0
Freadman, ss	0	0	0	0	1	0
	26	8	10	15	3	0

Western Mass.	014	301—9
McDonald's	103	301—8

2B—Pete Vacchina. HR—Paul Vacchina. SB—Borelli. DP—Schmoyer to Sturma. LOB—Western Mass. 4, McDonald's 7. BB—Paul Vacchina 5. SO—Paul Vacchina 7, Degnan 5. HBP—Paul Vacchina (Degnan), Degnan (White). Balk—Degnan. U—Harris and Schilling. T—1h, 35m.

Potpourri of City Business Filed for Action by Council

A rash of petitions, appointments, and appropriations were filed today with the city clerk for City Council consideration Tuesday.

Ward 5 Councilman Samuel J. Quadrozzi field three petitions asking for a Western Massachusetts Electric Co. study of street lighting on Lebanon Avenue and the Stearns School area. Councilman Quadrozzi also requested street light installations on Chapel Street and Clarkson Avenue, and asked for a blacktop sidewalk on the east side of Lebanon Avenue between Bryant and West Housatonic streets. He said the sidewalk would benefit Stearns school children and should be financed by betterment assessment of abuttors.

Mayor Haughey submitted appointments of special police officers for the Berkshire Hills Country Club and the Pittsfield Country Club. Appointed were Gordon Pettibone of Lanesboro, John Kellar of 92 Lenox Ave. and Homer Burdick of 114 Lyman St., for the BHCC. Stanley Boraski of 36 Woodside Ave. and William F. Fitzgerald of 109 West St. were named for the Pittsfield Country Club. The mayor also appointed Howard Winchell of 33 Maplewood Ave. as a special officer for the Maplewood Apartments.

Senior Citizen's Helper

Mayor Haughey appropriated $1,250 for an additional employe at the Senior Citizens Center. The mayor said the employe would be used to help with the summer recreation program and remain for the rest of the year.

The mayor also appropriated $80 to cover expenses for Capt. John T. Maher Jr., Fire Department drill master, when attending seminars on department business. Mayor Haughey said that Capt. Maher had been using his own money on these trips.

An incorporation certificate for the Order of United Commercial Travelers of America, Berkshire Council 682, was filed. The organization, with offices at 29 Wendell Ave., aims to "elevate the moral and social standing of commercial travelers, salesmen, businessmen, and professional men." A widow and orphan fund will be established.

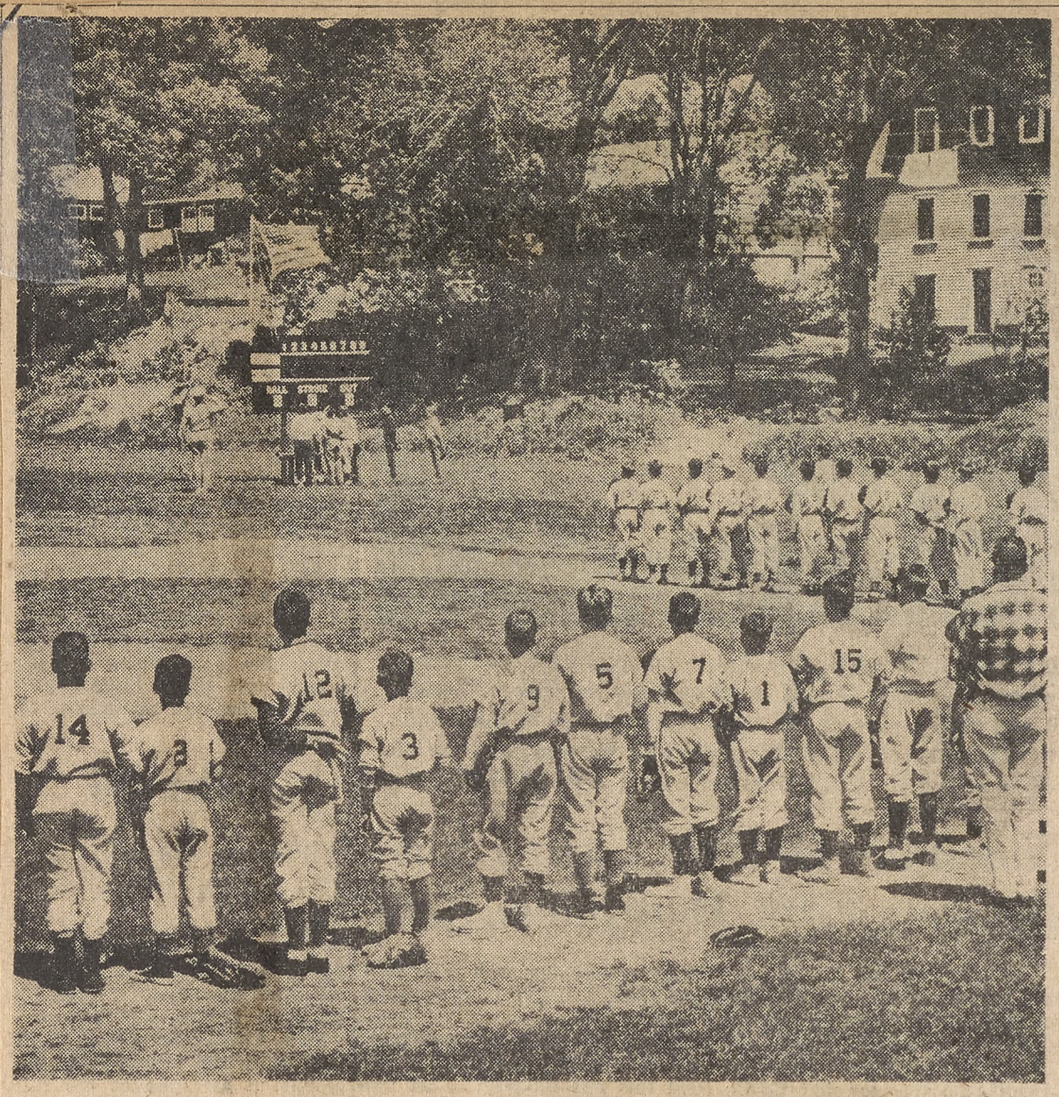
Filing for incorporation are Arthur F. Sturgis, 74 Livingston Ave.; James J. Nigrelli, 42 Sibley St.; John A. Simpson, 55 Revilla Ter.; Joseph A. Nigrelli, 14 Marcella Ave,; Howard C. Fiske, 2 South Onota St.; Maurice L. Callahan, 195 Springside Ave.; and Patsey P. Mazzeo, 27 Indian St.

Casey Requests Pension

Councilman Raymond Crow filed a petition asking that the Traffic Commission or the Police Department make a study of speeding on Burbank Street. He also suggested that a traffic light be placed at the intersection of Cherry and Burbank streets.

John W. Casey, forced to retire from the Public Works Department because of injuries, according to a petition he filed, requested a pension. He said he worked in the department from 1921 to 1928 and again from 1946 to 1956. He was forced to quit work, he said, because of the loss of two legs, adding that his social security payments amount to $73 monthly.

Albert J. and Mary E. Hebert of 31 Bryant St. filed a petition asking that the city fill a ditch in a vacant lot adjoining their home. They claim it constitutes a danger to their children.



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FLAG-RAISING CEREMONIES, conducted by the color guard of the 42nd Special Infantry Company of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve, opened the East Little League season yesterday afternoon at Brown Street field. The game was moved to Brown Street from Allendale because of wet grounds. North, South and West loops also opened their seasons yesterday with double-headers. East ceremonies included an appearance by the 1960 Pittsfield American Legion team, and the first pitch tradition by a battery of Councilmen Raymond Crow and Leo Nesbit.

Tommy Doyle Throws No-Hit, No-Run Game For Top Job in Little League Openers

5/29/61

Top performance of the opening of the four Pittsfield Little Leagues yesterday was Moldmaster southpaw Tommy Doyle's no-hit, no-run game against Curletti's Market in the opening contest of the East Little League yesterday at Brown Street field. Moldmasters won 10-0. The games were shifted from Allendale because of wet grounds.

Doyle fanned 14. Only three men reached. One was hit by a pitched ball, and two walked in the last inning. Doyle had two of his team's six hits. Rilla also had two including a home run.

In the second game Besse-Clark's edged McDonald's 7-6. Besse's went ahead in the sixth with a four-run rally. Angelo Magri drove in the winning run with a line single to center.

A good crowd was present. Opening ceremonies included an appearance by the 1960 American Legion team and Coach George (Red) Pleau, flag-raising by the color guard of the 42nd Special Infantry Company of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve, and the first pitch by Councilman Raymond Crow to Councilman Leo Nesbit.

In the second North League game at Wahconah Field Howard Jones pitched his Zayre's team to a two-hit 5-0 shutout over Nichols' Package Store. He fanned 12. In the first game Royal Discount beat Pittsfield Co-op 8-5.

In the South League at Deming Field Mike Carney of City Savings hurled a three-hitter against Berkshire Trust as his team triumphed 6-1. One of them was a home run by losing pitcher Frank Virgilio. In the other contests Elks' pitcher Dale Stetson threw a four-hit victory over the Optimist Club. Stetson blasted a home run as did losing pitcher Harrington.

In the West League at Clapp Field Civitan pitcher Lombard threw a three-hit 7-5 victory over the Eagles. One of the hits was a home run by Hunt. In the second game Billy Kozack struck out 11, walked 3, and gave up 7 hits as he hurled Goyette Brothers to a 6-4 win over Gull Oil and Coal. Litano had two hits for the winners, and Joe Albano made two for the Gull team.

The Scores:

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, cf	0	2	0	0	0	0
Carmel, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stone, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Teal, 2b	4	1	0	1	0	0
Tom Doyle, p	4	2	2	0	1	0
Rilla, 1b	3	2	2	2	0	0
Perrone, ss	2	1	1	0	0	0
Briggs, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Morano, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Clark, c	2	1	0	15	0	0
Russo, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Perkins, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Terry Doyle, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Meany, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	10	6	18	2	0

CURLETTI'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1
B. DiNicola, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chojnowski, rf, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Phelps, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
Hickey, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	0
M. Mitchell, 2b, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Connors, cf, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Albano, 3b, c	2	0	0	6	0	0
Duda, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. DiNicola, cf	0	0	0	0	0	1
C. Mitchell, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Morton, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Horn, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guachione, c	1	0	0	4	0	1
Lucaroni, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	17	0	0	15	3	3

Moldmasters 370 000 —10

HR—Rilla. SB—Doyle, Rilla, Perrone, Russo. LOB—Moldmasters 4, Curletti's 3. BB—Duda 2, Connorfs 2, Doyle 2. SO—Duda 1, Connors 8, Doyle 14. HO—Duda, 2 in 2-3; Connor, 8 in 4 1-3. HBP—Doyle (J. DiNicola). PB—Guachione. L—Duda. U—Dan Schilling, Mike Molkowski. T—1h, 35m.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
B. Barrington, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
M. Barrington, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Adamczyk, ss, 3b	4	1	0	1	0	0
Magri, c	4	0	2	8	0	0
Cook, 1b, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Forman, p, ss	3	1	0	1	0	1
Cavanaugh, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Dennison, 3b, 2b	3	1	1	2	0	0
Velika, p	1	1	0	0	1	0
Monteleone, 2b, 1b	1	2	0	2	0	0
Zaccarini, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
	27	7	5	18	1	1

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wilk, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Olds, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Degnan, p	2	2	2	0	2	0
Daligian, 1b	3	1	2	5	0	1
Hardy, ss	1	1	0	2	1	0
St. John, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Perkins, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pazsit, 2b	2	0	1	1	1	1
Barbarotta, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Freadman, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Broderick, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Angelo, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
St. Peter, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	6	7	17	4	4

Besse-Clarke 010 024—7
McDonald's 420 000—6

2B—Adamczyk, Zaccarini, Wilk, St. John. 3B—Cavanaugh, Degnan. SB—Cavanaugh, Hardy, Daligian. LOB—McDonald's 8, Besse-Clarke 5. BB—Degnan 1, Forman 2, Velika 2. SO—Degnan 8, Forman 1, Velika 6. HO—Forman, 4 in 1; Velika, 3 in 5. HBP—Degnan (Velika). W—Velika. U—Schilling and Molkowski. T—1h 40m.

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Baker, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mulleft, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, ss	3	0	0	0	2	0
Hebert, p	2	1	0	2	1	0
Brown, 1b	3	1	1	4	0	1
Wilks, c	3	2	1	9	0	0
Furlano, 2b	3	3	3	0	0	0
Boland, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Griffin, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hebert, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
A. Florczyk, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reed, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	8	6	18	3	1

CO-OP

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
B. Lander, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, c	1	1	1	6	0	3
Andrews, ss	2	1	1	1	1	0
D. Florczyk, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chandler, 2b	3	1	1	0	0	1
Fetridge, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Douillet, p	2	2	0	0	2	0
Stanger, 3b	1	0	1	1	0	0
Kane, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ziter, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pero, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Maringro, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
J. Lander, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Keegan, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kerwood, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
	23	5	6	15	3	4

Royal Discount 050 12 —8
Co-Op 000 140—5

RBI—Fetridge 2, Stanger 1, Bill Brown 2, D. Furlano 1. 2B—F. Chandler, B. Stanger. 3B—Bill Brown. DP—D. Kane to Kerwood. LOB—Royal Discount 6, Co-Op. 5. BB—Hebert 6, Douillet 4. SO—Goug Hebert 8, Douillett 3. HO—Hebert, 6 in 6; Douillet, 5 in 6. W—Hebert. L—Douillett. U—Harris and Janis. T—1h, 45m.

ZAYRE'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vandergrift, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Stanker, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cartier, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Eksuzian, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Sherman, 1b	3	2	1	4	0	0
Murray, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0
Scagliarini, 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Pettijohn, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Kelly, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	1
Lacy, 2b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Rivers, c	3	0	0	12	0	0
	26	5	5	18	3	1

NICHOLS BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Ludbrook, 2b	3	0	2	2	3	0
Trudeau, p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Kellogg, 1b	3	0	0	3	0	0
Radke, 3b	3	0	0	3	0	0
Garstang, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Downey, c	2	0	0	11	0	0
Priel, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Guilds, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guilds, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Comalli, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reilly, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Giguere, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	0	2	18	3	0

Zayre's 000 302—5

RBI—Pettijohn, Lacey. 2B—Ludbrook, Davis. LOB—Zayre's 4, Nicholas Bros 2. BB—Jones 2, Trudeau 2. SO—Jones 12, Trudeau 12. U—Janas and Harris. T—1h, 15m.

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Redlin, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
T. O'Donnell, 2b	3	1	2	0	0	0
Kamienski, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Connolly, rf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Meehan, 1b	3	0	0	1	0	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Carifey, p	1	2	1	0	0	0
Ricci, ss	2	0	1	0	0	0
Sheran, c	3	1	1	17	0	0
Wheelock, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Salley, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Salamone, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Grogan, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massetti, ss		10	0	0	0	0
	28	6	8	18	1	0

BERKSHIRE TRUST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jobson, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farr, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Virgilio, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Wyman, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hart, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tobins, 2b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Stracuzzi 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Casey, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
McLaughlin, c		10	0	10	0	0
Cella, c	1	0	0	3	0	0
Rohlfs, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Adriance, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	2	1	1	3	18	4	1

City Savings 222 000—6
Berkshire Trust 000 001—1

RBI—Connolly 2, Ricci 1. 3B—Connolly 1, O'Donnell 1. HR—Virgilio. SB—Salamone, Carifey 3, Ricci, Sheran. LOB— Berkshire Trust 3, City Savings 9. BB—Carifey 1, Virgilio 5. SO—Carifey 12, Virgilio 12. U—J. Hart and B. Villanova. T—2h, 45m.

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Best, ss	4	0	2	2	0	0
Barnini, cf	2	1	2	1	0	0
Stetson, p	4	1	2	1	0	0
Robinson, c	1	1	0	9	1	1
McConnell, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Rainka, 2b	1	2	0	0	1	0
Dennis, 1b	2	1	0	4	1	0
McDonald, 3b	2	1	0	0	2	0
Staples, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
xDonegan	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxLyons, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
xxxMurphy, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
	21	9	7	18	5	2

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
DelGallo, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Harrington, p	3	1	1	0	0	0
Ricciarini, c	2	0	0	10	0	0
Bondi, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	0
DelGallo, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Andreas, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Klemanski, lf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Massimiano, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Barbalunga, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	4	15	1	1

Elks 002 34 —9
Optimist Club 000 011—2

x—Ran for Best.
xx—Substituted in 5th for McConnell.
xxx—Substituted in 5th for Staples.

RBI—Best 3, Barnini 1, Stetson 1, Murphy 1. 2B—Best, Stetson, Klemanski. HR—Stetson, Harrington. SB—Robinson, Rainka 2, Dennis 2, Staples 2. LOB—Barnini 2, Stetson, Robinson, Lonabacker, Ricciarini, Bondi 2, Klemanski, Best, Donegan. BB—Barnini, Robinson 2, Rainka 2, Dennis, McDonald, Staples; Harrington, Lonabacker, DelGallo; Stetson. SO—Stetson 8, Harrington 10. HBP—Stetson (Bondi). WP—Harrington 2. U—J. Hart and B. Villanova.

CIVITAN

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gallagher, 3b	4	1	1	2	1	0
Parise, ss	4	2	3	1	0	1
Lombard, p	4	1	1	4	0	7	0
Gibson, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, rf, 1b	3	0	0	6	1	1
Goyette, 2b	3	1	2	0	0	0
Ricchi, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, c	3	2	1	8	0	0
Winters, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dallmeyer, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
McMahon, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
	29	7	11	18	9	2

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, ss, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Soldato, c	3	1	1	8	1	0
T. Barry, 2b, ss	2	0	0	2	1	2
Sinopoli, p	2	1	0	1	2	0
Hunt, 3b, 1b	3	1	1	1	1	1
Pivero, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Corseri, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
B. Barry, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
O'Donnell, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	1
Mendoncha, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dowling, cf, 2b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Cross, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Allegrone, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Lovelace, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	19	5	3	18	5	5

Civitan 022 210—7
Eagles 300 002—5

RBI—Parise, Phillips, Goyette, Hunt 3, 2B—Gallagher, Parise, Lombard, Goyette, Simonelli. HR—Hunt. SB—Simonelli. SAC—T. Barry. LOB—Civitan 6, Eagles 5. BB—Lombard 5, Sinopoli 1. SO—Lombard 7, Sinopoli 8. HO—Lombard, 3 in 6; Sinopoli, 11 in 6. HBP—Sinopoli (Gibson). U—Flossic and Jordan. T—1h, 30m.

GOYETTE BROS.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Meloueck, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Ciliberti, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Petel, 2b	4	0	1	0	2	0
Litano, 3b	3	2	2	2	0	1
Danforth, 1b	3	0	2	3	0	0
Latimer, ss	3	0	0	0	0	2
Gleason, c	3	0	0	11	1	0
Mole, lf	3	1	0	2	0	1
Nash, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dripps, cf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Kozack, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
	27	6	6	18	4	5

GULL COAL & OIL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Benham, cf	4	0	0	1	1	1
Connors, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	1
Buckley, p	3	1	1	1	1	3
Hermanski, c, ss	2	1	0	0	0	3
Albano, 1b	3	0	2	8	1	0
Martin, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Knappe, lf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Makes, c, ss	2	2	2	7	2	1
Cody, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
West, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0
Lunac, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
R. Bandurski, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	26	4	7	18	8	7

Goyette Brothers 103 002—6
Gull Oil & Coal 002 101—4

6RBI—Danforth 2, Litano 2, Kozack, Albano 2, Williams, Connors. 2B—Buckley, Litano. SB—Hermanski. LOB—Goyette Brothers 6, Gull Oil & Coal 6. BB—Kozack 3, Buckley 2. SO—Kozack 11, Buckley 6. HO—Kozack, 7 in 6; Buckley, 6 in 6. U—Flossic and Jordan. T—1h, 30m.

Pittsfield's Four Little Leagues Open Tomorrow With Double Headers Scheduled

5/27/61

Pittsfield's four Little Leagues will open their seasons tomorrow afternoon with four doubleheaders. The East League will play its first game at Allendale Field beginning at 1:30. The West League will start at 1:30 at its field at Clapp Park. The South League, which operates at Deming Field, will begin its first game at 1, and the North, at Wahconah Field, will start at 1.

Ceremonies preceding the East League opener, will include the appearance of the 1960 Pittsfield Legion Junior baseball champions of the state and the region; the first pitch by Councilman Ray Crow to Councilman Leo Nesbit; and flag raising ceremonies by the color guard and drill team of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve 42nd Rifle Company. Invited guests include the team sponsors and Bill Fraser, long-time supporter of baseball in Pittsfield.

Curletti's Market plays Moldmaster Engineering Co. in the first game and McDonald's Hamburgers meet Besse-Clarke in the second.

The first game in the West League will be between Civitan and Eagles. Civitan coaches are John Goswell and Carmen Simonelli and Eagles' mentors are Tom Barry and Eugene Teevens.

The second game will match Goyette Bros. and Gull Oil and Coal Co. Goyette is coached by Bill Kozack and Ed Bushey. Harry McGinnis and John Carmel handle Gull Oil.

The South League will have opening day ceremonies beginning at 12:45. Players of all six teams will be introduced. The Elks and Optimists clash in the opener and the City Savings Bank and Berkshire Trust Company battle in the second.

The North League's opener will be between Royal Discount and Pittsfield Co-operative Bank. Zayre's will oppose Nichols Brothers in the second game.

Starting line-ups for the contests are as follows:

EAST LEAGUE

CURLETTI'S—Archey, Chojnowski, Albane, Mitchell, Connor, Phelps, Duda, Morton, Gauchione.

MOLDMASTER—Allen, Teal, Tom Doyle, Rilla, Perrone, Briggs, Clark, Russo, Terry Doyle.

McDONALD'S—Wilk, Angelo, St. John, Hardy, Olds, Pazzit, Broderick, Friedman, Degnan.

BESSE-CLARKE—Velika, Forman, Magri, Cook, Cavanaugh, Monteleone, Dennison, Adamczyk, Barrington.

WEST LEAGUE

CIVITAN—Gallagher, 3b; Parise, ss; Lombard, p; Phillips, 1b; Gibson, cf; Winter, lf; Simonelli, c; Goyette, 2b; McMahon, rf.

EAGLES—Pemrick, ss; Soldato, c; Sinopoli, p; Hunt, 3b; Pivero, lf; O'Donnell, 1b; Dowling, cf; Cross, rf.

GOYETTE BROS.—Melovick, rf; Petell, 2b; Litano, 3b; Danforth, 1b; Latimer, ss; Gleason, c; Mole, lf; Nash, cf Kozack, p.

GULF OIL & COAL—Coty, lf Buckley, p; Hermanson, c; Makes, 3b; Martin, 2b; Benham, cf; Connors, ss; Albano, 1b; Williams, rf.

SOUTH LEAGUE

ELKS—Robertson, c; Barnini, ss; Stetson, p; Staples, lf; Best, 1b; Rainka, 2b; MacDonald, 3b; Dennis, cf; McConnell, rf.

OPTIMISTS—DelGallo, cf; Lonabacker, 3b; Bondi, 1b; Harrington, p; Klemansky, lf; DelGallo, ss; Ricciarini, c; Massimiano, rf; Andreas, 2b.

BERKSHIRE TRUST—Virgilio, p; Hart, cf; Case, 1b; Farr, lf; Wyman, rf; McLaughlin, c; Stracuzzi, 3b; Jobson, ss; Tobin, 2b.

CITY SAVINGS BANK—Sheran, c; Meehan, 1b; O'Donnell, p; Carity, 2b; Karmienski, cf; Ricci, ss; Connolly, rf; O'Donnell, 3b; Redlin, lf.

NORTH LEAGUE

FIRST GAME

ROYAL DISCOUNT	PITTSFIELD CO-OP
Paris, 3b	c, Powere
Kinnas, ss	ss, Andrew
Hebert, p	3b, Chandler
Brown, 1b	p, Douillet
Furlano, 2b	1b, Stanger
Wilk, c	lr, Pero
Baker, lf	rf, Kane
Griffith, cf	cf, Keegan
Boland, rf	2b, Lander

SECOND GAME

ZAYRE'S	NICHOLS BROS.
Vandergfift, rf	2b, Ludbrook
McKeever, lf	p, Trudeau
Jones, p	3b, Radke
Pete Downey, ss	1b, Kellogg
Sherman, 1b	ss, Garstang
Rivers, c	c, Downey
Murray, 2b	rf, Maloy
Scagliarini, 3b	cf, Ruel
Pettijohn, cf	lf, Reilly

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Five-Run 8th Gives Zayre's 5-0 Extra-Inning LL Victory

Zayre's took a 5-0 extra-inning victory over Pittsfield Fire Department with a five-run eighth inning in a North Little League game yesternoon at Wahconah Field. Howie Jones and Al Koldys, after pitching scoreless ball for the first six innings, had to be removed because of a Little League rule that allows only six innings for a pitcher.

In the East League game at Allendale, McDonald's came from behind with 10 runs in the fifth and one in the sixth to defeat Pittsfield Electric Shop 11-6. In the West League double-header at Clapp Field, both scores were 12-4. Eagles and M & B Electric won over Union Federal and Gull Oil and Coal, respectively.

Other scores were: North-Nichol's 7, Colt Insurance 3, East; Besse-Clarke 4, Western Mass. Supply 0; South — City Savings 10, Ed Johnson's 1, and Crescent Creamery 7, Berkshire Trust 1.

The scores:

ZAYRE'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cartier, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pettijohn, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
McKeever, lf, p	4	0	1	0	0	0
Jones, p, ss	4	1	1	2	0	0
Sherman, 3b, p, 1b	2	1	0	0	3	1
Downey, rf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Scagliarini, ss	4	0	1	0	2	1
Rivers, c	4	0	1	14	1	0
Murray, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Lacy, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Barzowski, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
Vandergrift, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
	31	5	5	24	4	2

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Carpenter, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ziemba, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rembish, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
P. LaRochelle, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
D. LaRochelle, cf, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gattaso, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Watroba, c	4	0	1	9	0	1
Fiegal, rf	4	0	0	3	1	0
Koldys, i, 3b	3	0	1	0	3	0
DeCicco, ss, p	3	0	2	0	2	2
Denno, 2b	3	0	1	2	3	0
LeBlanc, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Enright, cf	1	0	0	0	0	1
	31	0	6	24	9	4

Zayre	000	000	05 —5

RBI—Jones 2, Scagliarini 2. 2B—DeCicco 2, Rembish, Watroba. SB—Downey, D. LaRochelle, Gattasso, Watroba 2, Koldys 2, Denno. DP—Fiegal, Gattasso. LOB—PFD 8, Zayre 6. BB—Koldys 2, McKeever 1, DeCicco 2. SO—Jones 11, Koldys 6, McKeever 8, DeCicco 3. HO—Koldys, 6 in 2; Jones, 6 in 4; McKeever, 1 in 1; Sherman, 1 in 1; DeCicco, 2 in 3.. WP—DeCicco. W—Sherman. L—DeCicco. U—Janis and Knappe. T—1h, 40m.

McDONALD'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Olds, 3b	4	2	4	2	0	0
Wilk, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
St. John' lf	4	1	4	0	1	0
Degnan, c	4	1	2	8	0	0
Daligian, 1b	4	1	2	8	0	0
Hardy, p	3	1	2	1	0	0
Pazsit ss, 2b, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
St. Peter, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Angelio, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Freadman, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Barbarotta, 2b, ss	2	2	0	0	0	0
	31	11	14	18	3	0

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC SHOP

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss, p	2	2	1	3	1	0
Killeen, 2b	3	1	0	3	2	1
Ryan, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Curley, c	2	2	2	5	0	0
Reddington, 1b	4	1	2	3	0	0
Wilk, 3b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Pelletier, 3b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Kopychak, lf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Gasson, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hebler, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lusignan, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Flaherty, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hall, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Miller, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	6	8	18	5	1

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RBI—Reddington, Kopychak 3, Olds 3, St. John 3, Hardy 2, Pazit. 2B—Olds, Hardy, Wilk. SB—Curley, Reddington, Daligian, Barbarotta. SAC—Curley. DP—Killeen and Leslie; Leslie and Killeen. LOB—McDonald's 9, Pittsfield Electric 8. BB—Hardy 5, Hall 3, Leslie 2. SO—Hardy 7, Hall 2, Leslie 3. HO—Hardy, 6 in 8; Hall, 12 in 4 2-3; Leslie, 2 in 1 1-3. Balk—Leslie. W—Hardy. L—Hall. U—Santolin and Gwinnell. T—1h, 40m.

EAGLES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pemrick, 3b	4	2	1	2	0	1
Soldato, c	2	2	1	11	1	0
T. Barry, 2b, ss	3	2	1	1	0	0
Sinopoli, p	3	1	2	0	3	0
Hunt, ss, 1b	3	1	1	2	0	1
Pivero, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Cross, 1b	1	1	0	1	0	0
Mendocha, cf, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. Barry, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Donnell, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Allegrone, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dowling, cf	1	1	1	0	1	0
Corseri, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
	22	12	7	18	5	2

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Dills, c	4	1	0	7	1	1
Michaels, lf, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Russo, p	1	1	0	1	1	0
Maniatis, 3b	4	0	1	2	0	0
D. Williams, rf, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
DiMartino, ss	2	1	1	1	0	0
Clifford, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Yon, 2b, rf	1	0	0	0	2	0
xUfzig	0	0	0	0	0	0
White, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	1
B. Williams, 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
xxIngram	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	4	3	15	4	2

Eagles	800	04	—12
Union Federal	112	000	— 4

x—Walked for Yon in 6th.
xx—Struck out for Williams in 6th.

RBI—Dills, Soldato 2, T. Barry 2, Sinopoli 3, Hunt 2. 2B—T. Barry, Michaels, DiMartino. HR—Sinopoli. SB—Hunt, Michaels, Russo. LOB—Eagles 6, Union Federal 9. BB—Sinopoli 7, Russo 10. SO—Sinopoli 11, Russo 7. HO—Sinopoli, 3 in 6; Russo, 7 in 5. HBP—Sinopoli (DiMartino). Balk, Sonopoli. W—Sinopoli. L—Russo. U—Floosic, Jordan. T—1h, 30m.

M. & B. ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pictrowski, 2b, cf	4	2	1	0	1	1
Hill, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Carlo, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
McDonough, 3b	3	1	2	0	1	1
Massery, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
McDonald, ss	4	0	1	4	0	1
Sepcilka, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Scalvini, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hollister, c	4	2	2	11	0	0
Kraay, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	1
Beraldi, cf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Sarmuk, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0
	30	12	11	18	5	5

GULL OIL & COAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Connors, 3b, ss	4	0	0	1	2	1
Buckley, p, ss	2	1	0	3	2	0
Hermanski, 1b, lf	3	1	2	3	1	2
Albano, lf, 1b	3	1	0	0	0	0
Makes, c	3	1	0	6	0	0
T. Williams, lf, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
W. Bandurski, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Martin, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Knappe, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cody, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Loomis, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
West, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Phillips, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Bandurski, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	4	2	15	5	6

M. & B. Electric	046	02	—12
Gull Oil & Coal	000	202	— 4

RBI—Hill 2, McDonough 2, Massery, McDonald 1. 2B—McDonald, Sepcilka. SB—McDonough 3, Massery, Hollister. LOB—M. & B. Electric 7 Gull Oil & Coal 6. BB—Massery 4, Hermanski 3. SO—Massery 11, Buckley 1, Hermanski 4. HO—Massery, 2 in 6; Buckley, 10 in 2 2-3; Hermanski, 2 in 2 1-3. HBP—Hermanski (Scalvini), Massery (Phillips). W—Massery. L—Buckley. U—Jordan and Floosic. T—1h, 35m.

NICHOLS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Garstang, 2b	3	1	0	0	0	2
Trudeau, p	3	2	1	3	1	0
Downey, c	3	1	0	10	1	1
Ludbrook, ss	3	2	2	1	0	0
Radke, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	1
R. Guilds, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Giguere, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kellogg, 1b	3	1	-	3	1	0
M. Guilds, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ruel, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Comalli, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
	25	7	7	18	3	3

COLT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Vincent, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	1
Yon, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0
B. Tenney, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jakacky, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scanlon, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	0
J. Tenney, cf	1	0	0	2	1	0
Kirchner, p	3	1	0	1	1	1
McCumiskey, ss	3	1	1	2	0	0
Wowk, 3b	2	1	0	1	1	1
Parise, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, rf	0	0	0	0	1	0
Komuniecki, c	1	0	1	6	0	1
Brockway, c	1	0	1	1	0	0
O'Hara, cf, 1b	2	0	0	1	0	0
	24	3	3	18	5	4

Nichols	014	011	—7
Colt	000	112	—3

RBI—Radke, Ludbrook 3, Guilds, Comalli, McCumiskey. 2B—Ludbroow, Guilds. SB—Garstang, Wowk. SAC—R. Guilds. LOB—Nichols 5, Colt 3. BB—Kirchner 3, Trudeau 1. SO—Kirchner 6, Trudeau 10. PB—Komuniecki, Downey. W—Trudeau. L—Kirchner. U—Janis and Knappe. T—1h, 5m.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cook, 1b	4	2	1	7	0	0
Forman, ss	3	0	1	3	1	1
Adamczyk, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Magri, c	4	1	1	4	0	0
Cavanaugh, cf	2	0	0	1	1	0
M. Barrington, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Monteleone	2	1	0	0	0	0
Zaccarini, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
B. Barrington, rf, cf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Denison, p	3	0	1	1	2	1
	28	4	6	18	5	2

WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS SUPPLY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wagstaff, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
A. Sincere, ss	3	0	0	2	0	1
Borelli, 3b	3	0	1	1	3	1
Schultz, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Sturma, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	0
Vacchina, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
J. Sincere, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. White	1	0	0	2	0	0
Schmoyer, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	1
Marchetto, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	0	2	18	8	3

Besse-Clarke	101	110	—4

SB—Montelesone. LOB — Besse-Clarke 9, West. Mass. Supply 7. BB—Denison 2, Vacchina 9. SO—Denison 4, Vacchina 3. HP—Vacchina (Zaccarini). U—Gwinnell, Santalin. T—1h, 25m.

SOUTH

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Redlin, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
T. O'Donnell, 2b	2	1	0	1	2	0
V. O'Donnell, 3b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Komienski, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Caritey, p	4	1	2	1	0	0
Meehan, 1b	3	0	0	3	0	0
K. Connolly, rf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Sheran, c	3	1	2	8	1	0
Ricci, ss	4	1	2	2	1	0
Grogan, lf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Salley, 2b	1	0	1	0	1	0
Massetti, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wheelock, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, 1b	0	1	0	2	0	1
Salamone, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	30	10	11	18	5	1

ED JOHNSON'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
DeVirgilio, ss	3	0	0	0	2	0
M. Connolly, 3b	3	1	1	1	1	0
Trapani, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
L'Hote, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	0
Codding, cf	1	0	0	1	0	1
Cassidy, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Boyer, 2b	2	0	0	3	2	0
Carmody, c	0	0	0	5	0	0
Congdon, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
C. Connolly, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Heyn, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nagelschmidt, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	20	1	2	18	9	1

City Savings	103	321	—10
Ed Johnson's	001	000	— 1

RBI—L'Hote, Komienski, Caritey, K. Connolly, Sheran 2. 2B—Grogen, O'Donnell, Caritey, M. Connolly. LOB— Johnson's 7, City Savings 10. BB—M. Connolly 3, Trapani 2, Caritey 5. SO—M. Connolly 3, Trapani 2, Caritey 8. HBP—Caritey (Connolly). PB—Sheran 2, Carmody 3. L—Trapani. U—Villanova and Hart. T—1h, 38m.

CRESCENT CREAMERY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Gall, p	4	0	2	0	0	0
Milukas, cf	2	1	2	0	0	0
DelMolino, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Esposito, c	4	0	1	12	0	0
Skowronski, 3b	2	1	0	0	1	0
Augenstein, ss	2	0	0	2	2	0
Jones, 2b	2	1	1	0	0	0
Chase, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hardesty, 1b	2	1	2	1	0	1
Maynard, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Graves, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belfer, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	1
Elser, 2b	1	0	0	2	0	0
McKim, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	27	7	10	18	3	2

BERKSHIRE TRUST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Johnson, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
Farr, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Virgilio, p	30	1	0	1	5	0
Hart, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Wyman, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Stracuzzi, 3b	2	0	1	1	0	0
Tobin, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Case, 1b	3	0	1	5	0	2
McLaughlin, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adriance, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Paris, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	1	4	15	6	3

Crescent Creamery	040	21x	—7
Berkshire Trust	100	000	—1

RBI—Virgilio, Milukas, DelMolino 3, Jones, Hardesty. 2B—Stracuzzi. HR—DelMolino. SB—Milukas. DP—Ball to 2b Jones to 1b Hardesty. LOB—Berkshire Trust 6, Crescent Creamery 11. BB—Virgilio 3, Gall 2. SO—Gall 12, Virgilio 1. HP—Gall (Stracuzzi). U—Villanova and Hart. T—1h, 15m.

Earlier Start

7/27/61

Beginning Monday, the starting time for all softball games under the sponsorship of the Parks and Recreation Department will be advanced from 6:30 to 6:15. This includes the City League, the Municipal Slow Pitch League and the Morningside League.

Title Bout Referee

7/10/61

Little League Box Scores

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Allen, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Terry Doyle, 2b	2	1	0	0	3	0
Tom Doyle, p	4	1	3	0	4	0
Rilla, 1b	3	1	2	10	0	1
Perrone, ss	3	0	1	0	1	1
Briggs, c	3	0	2	7	0	0
Clark, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Teal, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Russo, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
	28	5	12	18	10	2

PITTSFIELD ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Leslie, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Curley, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Killeen, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	1
Reddington, 1b	2	1	1	2	1	0
Wilk, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Ryan, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lusignan, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Gasson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Flaherty, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hall, p	2	0	0	1	0	0
	21	1	1	15	5	2

ZAYRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
McKeever, lf, p	3	1	1	2	1	0
Pettijohn, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Jones, p, lf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Sherman, 1b	4	0	1	2	0	0
Scagliarini, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Murray, 2b	3	2	1	2	0	1
Barzouski, c	2	2	1	9	0	0
Vandergrift, c	1	2	1	0	0	0
Cartier, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stanger, rf	2	1	0	0	1	0
	24	8	7	18	3	2

PITTSFIELD CO-OP.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Powers, 3b, c	3	2	1	0	1	1
J. Lander, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Zifer, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Andrews, ss	4	0	0	2	2	0
Keegan, 2b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Kerwood, 1b	1	1	0	5	0	2
Marinaro, c	3	0	0	6	0	0
Mlorczyk, rf, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Fetridge, lf, rf	1	0	0	1	0	1
B. Lander, lf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Stanger, p	2	1	1	0	3	0
	24	4	5	18	5	5

Zayre	123	020	—8
Co-op.	101	101	—4

ROYAL DISCOUNT

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Paris, 3b	3	0	0	2	6	0
Wilk, c	3	0	2	8	1	0
Bryon, p	2	1	0	0	3	0
D. Hebert, ss	2	2	1	0	0	1
Kinnas, 1b	3	2	2	7	0	1
Boland, cf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Baker, lf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Furlano, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Florczyk, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Hebert, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Reid, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	6	9	18	11	3

PFD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Enright, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
P. LaRochelle, lf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Fiegal, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Koldys, ss	3	1	2	0	0	0
Watroba, c	3	1	2	6	0	0
LeBlanc, 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Rembish, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
DeCicco, p	2	0	1	0	5	1
Ziemba, 1b	3	0	0	4	1	0
Denno, 2b	3	0	0	3	1	0
	24	4	9	15	8	0

Royal	000	33	—6
PFD	300	001	—4

OPTIMIST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lonabacker, 2b	3	2	3	1	1	0
R. DelGallo, p	2	1	1	0	1	1
Harrington, ss	3	0	1	1	1	0
Ricciarini, c	2	0	1	10	0	0
Bondi, 1b	2	0	1	3	0	2
Barbalunga, lf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Klemanski, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Bagdonas, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. DelGallo, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Massimiano, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	20	3	7	18	2	4

CITY SAVINGS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Radlin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
T. O'Donnell, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
K. O'Donnell, 3b	3	2	1	1	0	0
Sharen, c	2	0	0	13	1	0
Kamienski, ss	3	0	1	0	1	0
Meehan, 1b	2	0	1	1	0	0
Caritey, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Grogen, cf, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Connolly, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
xSalamon	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wheelock, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	4	15	2	0

Optimist	200	01	—3
City Savings	000	101	—2

ELKS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Murphy, rf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Loveless, c, cf	4	0	1	9	0	0
Best, ss, p	5	1	2	1	1	0
Dale Stetson, p, ss	4	2	2	0	1	0
Robertson, lf	4	2	3	0	0	0
Rainka, cf, c	3	2	2	1	0	0
Dennis, 1b	2	3	1	5	0	1
McDonald, 2b	2	2	0	1	1	0
Lyons, 2b	2	2	0	0	0	0
McConnell, 2b	1	1	0	0	0	0
Dave Stetson, rf	3	0	3	0	0	0
	30	5	5	18	3	1

ED JOHNSON'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nagelschmidt, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Cassidy, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
M. Connolly, ss, p	2	1	2	0	4	0
L'Hole, 1b	1	0	0	7	0	2
Trapani, 2b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Boyer, p, cf	2	0	1	1	3	0
Carmody, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Anderson, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
C. Connelly, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Condon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hayn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	20	3	5	15	8	2

CRESCENT CREAMERY

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jones,2 b	2	1	0	1	2	0
Milukas, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
DelMolino, c	3	0	0	10	0	1
Esposito, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Gall, p, 1b	1	1	0	3	1	0
Augenstein, ss	2	1	1	1	1	1
Belfer, lf, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
McKim, lf, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Skowronski, 2b	3	1	1	1	1	1
Elser, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	21	4	5	18	5	3

BERKSHIRE TRUST.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Farr, ss	3	0	0	5	0	1
Tobin, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Virgilio, 3b	2	0	2	2	0	1
Rohlfs, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hart, cf	3	1	1	3	0	0
Lamont, 1b	1	1	0	5	0	0
Case, p	3	0	1	1	4	0
Adriance, 2b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Hayes, lf, ss	2	0	0	1	0	1
Cella, lf

Pittsfield Is Special Stop for Feigner

Famed 4-Man Softball Team Is Booked for Game July 29

Night Contest Set for Wahconah Park Under Lights—King and His Court Have Won 2,035, Lost 199 in 16 Years

By ROGER O'GARA

Pittsfield will be a special stop for Eddie Feigner's four-man softball team this summer. That's because the Pittsfield City League All-Stars defeated the famed King and His Court 4-1 here last summer. So Feigner will be putting something on every pitch when he faces the City League club under lights Saturday night, July 29, at 8 at Wahconah Park.

Five Local Visits

Feigner's team boasts a record of 2,035 victories, 199 losses and 34 ties. He doesn't mind fooling when he's ahead, but he can't abide a defeat.

Feigner called the 1960 Pittsfield club the best he had seen in five visits here. It's likely that most of the players from that team will face him again.

Ollie Cohen's three-run homer to deep center field in the sixth inning decided the contest last July. It broke a 1-1 tie. Any ball hit into the outfield off Feigner is good for extra bases, because he just doesn't have any support there. The four-man outfit has Feigner on the mound, a catcher, a first baseman and an infielder who is a combination shortstop-third baseman.

Bob George, the last of three pitchers to face the traveling stars, received credit for the 1960 win. He held them scoreless, yielding only one hit in two innings. Hitting stars, in addition to Cohen, were John Enright with two hits and Frank DeAngelis, who had a triple.

Feigner's men made only four hits. Pittsfield had seven safeties. Feigner fanned 12, and walked three.

The attendance a year ago was 1,576. The highest crowd Feigner has drawn here was 3,300 in 1953.

This is the 17th consecutive year of play for the King and His Court. In that time, the team has played before more than six million fans in 59 states and Canada. It has made 16 foreign tours.

At the start of the present season, Feigner had struck out 38,249 batters. He often pitches blindfolded. He has fanned 3,154 this way. He has had 125 perfect games, 428 no-hit, no-run games and 751 shutouts. His longest game was 34 innings. He won that one 7-6, striking out 73 and walking 19.

Tickets will go on sale shortly.

BEHIND-THE-BACK-PITCH is one of the favorite stunts of Eddie Feigner, star of the four-man softball team that will oppose the City League All-Stars under lights at Wahconah Park Saturday night, July 29, at 8. This will be the sixth visit to Pittsfield by the King and His Court.

KING AND HIS COURT, the famed four-man softball team that will oppose the Pittsfield City League All-Stars under lights Saturday night at 8 at Wahconah Park, includes, left to right, shortstop Jerry Jones, catcher Mike Meilecke, pitcher Eddie Feigner and first baseman Al Jackson. All except Jackson are charter members. The team is in its 17th consecutive year as a traveling attraction. Feigner estimates that his club has played before more than 6,000,000 fans in 49 states and Canada and on 16 foreign tours. This will be Feigner's sixth visit here. He pitched to victory in the first four games, but was upset 4-1 last summer. There will be no advance sale of tickets. The gates will open at 7 p.m.

Tonight At Wahconah

Feigner Seeks Big Crowd, Revenge for 1960 Defeat

On his sixth visit to this city, strong-armed Eddie Feigner, the monarch in the famed four-man softball traveling group known as the King and His Court, tonight will be shooting for two objectives. As he faces the Pittsfield City League All-Stars at Wahconah Park at 8, he will be trying to attract a record crowd. Then he will be striving just as eagerly to re-establish mastery over the local team, one of the few that defeated him last summer.

Feigner drew more than 3,300 paid here in 1953. That's his all-time Pittsfield mark. He usually pulls a respectable crowd. There were more than 1,500 a year ago.

Pittsfield upset the four-man team 4-1 on Ollie Cohen's three-run homer late last July. Cohen now is in the service, but the Pittsfield management feels it has as strong a combine as it ever sent against Feigner. Eddie himself last year rated conquerors as the best team he had met in Pittsfield.

He'll Pitch Carefully

Feigner will pitch with extreme care. He doesn't mind an occasional loss, but insists no team ever has beaten him twice in a row.

If he makes the slighest mistake, a home run usually is the result. For a ball hit into the outfield automatically is a round-tripper. There's no one to chase it. Feigner's fielders are catcher Mike Meilecke, first baseman Al Jackson and shortstop Jerry Jones.

Pittsfield pitchers will be Bruce Mendel of Boulevard Cafe, Bob George of Eagle Cafe and Tom Potter of Berkshire Auto. Of these, only George has faced Feigner's team. He was the winner last year.

Home starters will be Doug Hugabone, Eagle Cafe, first base; Bud Turner, Eagle Cafe, second base; Terry MacCartney, Boulevard Cafe, shortstop; Dick MacCartney, Boulevard Cafe, third base; Bob Hunt, Berkshire Auto, left field; Eddie O'Hearn, Boulevard Cafe, center field; Frank DeAngelis, Eagle Cafe, right field; and Bill Perkins, American Mold & Tool, catcher.

Ticket booths will open at 7. Seating will be on a first come, first served basis.

Eddie Feigner Is Expected To Use 'Raise Ball' Often

Eddie Feigner, the originator, manager, narrator and complete pitching staff for the four-man softball team known as the King and His Court, is expected to use his "raise ball" often against the Pittsfield City League All-Stars tomorrow night at Wahconah Park. Starting time will be 8.

Feigner's "raise" is his pet pitch. The ball climbs shortly before arriving at the plate. Feigner plans to employ this weapon often because he wants to square accounts with the Pittsfield team for the 4-1 loss he suffered here last year.

Feigner uses from eight to 10 different wind-ups a game. He also makes some pitches from behind his back. He always pitches to several batters blindfolded. Another of his stunts is delivery of the ball to the plate from second base.

Eight Games a Week

After the seven-inning game, Feigner will give a demonstration on pitching. He is a highly articulate narrator.

Feigner pitches on the average of eight games a week. He usually has two on Sundays and one on each of the other days.

He started with the Kings 16 years ago in Walla Walla, Wash. He averages 18 strikeouts per nine-inning game, and once fanned 76 in a 34-inning duel.

Feigner is 33. It is estimated he makes between $25,000 and $30,000 a year.

Feigner is supported by catcher Mike Meilecke, first baseman Al Jackson and shortstop Jerry Jones. Jackson is the only newcomer. He succeeded Mead Kinzer, who resigned two years ago. Feigner, Meilecke and Jones all started together.

There has been no advance sale. The ticket booths will open at 7 p.m.

Steiner Tops CSPL Batters

Berkshire Mutual Star's .619 Mark Leads by Two Points

Bob Steiner of Berkshire Mutual won the batting crown of the City Slow Pitch Softball League this summer, hitting for a respectable .619 average.

Steiner had 26 hits in 42 tries to nose out Eddie O'Brien of Bernie's, who had three more hits in five more trips to the plate for a .617 mark. The batting leader also starred in left field for the Mutual team, which finished second in the regular season but won the post season tournament by defeating the league champion Water Department team in the final contest.

Bill Delphia of Bernie's led league in RBIs with 22. Ro Bowlby of Water Department lowed with 20, while two mo Bernie's players, Charlie Mont so and Don King, were tied apiece.

King led in home runs with followed by Ray Charland of Department and Gene Eksuzi Berkshire Mutual with four ap ce.

The leading hitters:

(over 30 official times at bat)

	AB	H	Ave.
Steiner, Mutual	42	26	.619
O'Brien, Bernie's	47	29	.617
Marchesi, Water	33	20	.606
Bowlby, Water	34	19	.559
Zarn, Bernie's	38	21	.553
Cooper, Highway	39	21	.538
Caribo, Bernie's	48	25	.521
King, Bernie's	48	25	.521
Doyle, Water	39	20	.513
Munn, Bernie's	45	23	.511
Monterosso, Bernie's	46	23	.500
Eksuzian, Mutual	36	18	.500

Rainbows Face Old Timers Sunday at 3

The third annual softball game between the Rainbow Restaurant team and the Rainbow Old Timers has been scheduled for Sunday afternoon at 3 at the General Electric Athletic Association field.

The Rainbow varsity won the Morningside League championship with a record of 16 wins and 4 losses. Its overall mark is 25 and 7.

Joe Harrison will be umpire-in-chief.

Eagles Move Next Door To CSL Title

Four-Run Splurge In Fifth Beats Boulevard 10-7

With big Joe DeAngelis pitching a five-hitter and surviving early shaky fielding lapses, Eagle Cafe moved close to the City Softball League championship by rallying to defeat runner-up Boulevard Cafe 10-7 last night at Deming Field. The result meant a two-game lead for the Eagles who can clinch the title by winning one of their remaining two games.

A four-run outburst in the fifth inning put the Eagles ahead to stay after they had trailed 4-2 and 6-5.

Frank DeAngelis made three errors in right field to put his brother in several troublesome spots, but was forgiven because of his hitting. He had three hits, including a triple and double, and drove in four runs.

Mike Mancivalano also had three hits for the winners. Pitcher Bruce Mendel was the only loser with a pair of safeties. Mendel was relieved by Doug Hugabone at the height of the fifth inning uprising, but returned from right field to pitch the seventh.

The Boulevards are slated to face American Mold & Tool Monday night at 6:15.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	202	141	10	13	4
Boulevard Cafe	040	200	1— 7	5	3

J. DeAngelis and DeAngelo, F. DeAngelis; Mendel, Hugabone, Mendel and Gagne.

Farley Paces MSL With .489

LaRouche, Navin And Davis Rank Next In List of Averages

Tom Farley of Mastercraft was the leading batter in the Morningside Softball League with an average of .489 for the season that closed recently, it was announced today.

Dick LaRouche and Jack Navin, both of LeBlanc's, and Bill Davis of the Rainbow Restaurant ranked next. LaRouche was .480, Navin .451 and Davis .431.

Davis led the league in hits with 25. LaRouche had 24, Navin 23. Ed Sherman of the Yellow Coachmen was the home-run king with four. Joe Wrzesinski was runner-up with three. Joe Knappe had the most triples, six. Davis followed with four.

Wrzesinski hit the most doubles, seven. Farley and LaRouche were next with six apiece.

Teddy Burzimati of Rainbow Restaurant hit in the most consecutive games, 11.

The leading batsmen, based on 40 or more times at bat, follow:

	AB	H	Pct.
Farley, Mastercraft	45	22	.489
LaRouche, LeBlanc's	50	24	.480
Navin, LeBlanc's	51	23	.451
Davis, Rainbow	58	25	.431
Chapman, Rainbow	51	21	.412
Wrzesinski, Mastercraft	51	21	.412
Devanney, Eaton's	42	17	.405
Roche, Eaton's	52	20	.385
Rote, Rainbow	47	17	.362
Sherman, Coachmen	58	21	.362
Burzimati, Rainbow	53	19	.358
Munger, Coachmen	57	20	.351
Kelly, LeBlanc's	43	15	.349
Faye, Mastercraft	46	16	.348
Jacobs, LeBlanc's	46	16	.348
Gans, Emily's	55	19	.345
Devanney, Rainbow	41	14	.341
Kahn, Coachmen	47	16	.340
Ostrikis, Mastercraft	54	18	.333
Pierson, Rainbow	51	17	.333
Crennan, Emily's	49	16	.327
Goyette, Mastercraft	55	18	.327
Newman, Rainbow	56	18	.321

Bernie's Team Scores 17-6 Over Highway

After being held without a run through two innings, Bernie's team scored in the next five turns at bat in overwhelming the Highway Department 17-6 in a City Slow Pitch League game Thursday night at Clapp Park. A seven-run third highlighted the production.

Dick Laureyns was the leading hitter for the winners with a long home run and a double. Norm Caribo and Jim King had three hits each for Bernie's.

Ike Bradley and Bob Cooper hit safely twice for the losers.

			R.	H.	E.
Bernie's	007	133	3—17	17	2
Highway Dept.	004	000	2— 6	8	3

Delphia and Laureyne; Groat and Abbett.

Coachmen Win In MSL 14-4

Munger, Sherman And Doucette Are Hitting Standouts

Scoring six runs in the first inning, the Yellow Coachmen went on to a 14-4 conquest of the Eaton Paper Corporation in a Morningside Softball League game last night on the Brown Street Field.

Batting stars for the victors were Ray Munger with two doubles and a single, Ed Sherman with a double and two singles and Ray Doucette with a home run and a single. Ron Tooley was best for the losers with three singles.

The league will resume play Monday night when the Coachmen will oppose LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Yellow Coachmen	601	203	2—14	15	1
Eaton's	002	002	0— 4	9	3

Lacy and Pires; Miller, Lee and Perachi.

T. MacCartney Leads CSL In Batting

Frank DeAngelis, Eddie O'Hearn Have Next Best Marks

Terry MacCartney, manager and shortstop of the runner-up Boulevard Cafe team, led the City Softball League in batting the past season with an average of .456. Frank DeAngelis of the championship Eagle Cafe was runner-up with .429, and Eddie O'Hearn of Boulevard was third with .406.

O'Hearn topped the league in RBIs with 22, and also shared the home run leadership with Joe DeAngelis of the Eagle Cafe. Each had three.

George (Bud) Turner of the Eagles and John Enright of Berkshire Auto completed the first five in hitting with marks of .359 and .349, respectively.

Joe DeAngelis, Enright and Dave Frank of Boulevard were tied for second in runs batted in with nine apiece. Frank DeAngelis and Eddie DeAngelo, also of the Eagles, had two home runs each.

Bruce Mendel of Boulevard, Doug Hugabone of Boulevard and Bill Perkins of American Mold & Tool were tied for fifth in RBIs with 15 each.

The 12 leading batters, based on a minimum of 40 times at bat, follows:

	ab	h	Ave.
T. MacCartney, Boulevard	48	31	.456
F. DeAngelis, Eagles	77	33	.429
O'Hearn, Boulevard	64	26	.406
Turner, Eagles	56	20	.357
Enright, Berkshire Auto	63	22	.349
DeAngelo, Eagles	50	17	.340
D. MacCartney, Boulevard	50	16	.320
Hugabone, Eagles-Boulevard	66	21	.319
Gable, Berkshire Auto	48	15	.313
Potter, Berkshire Auto	63	19	.302
Mancivalano, Eagles	63	19	.302
Frank, Boulevard	43	13	.302

Emily's Bows To LeBlanc's In MSL 8-2

MORINGSIDE SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rainbow Restaurant	4	1	.800
Yellow Coachmen	4	1	.800
Mastercraft Tile	3	1	.750
LeBlanc's Window Co.	4	2	.667
Eaton Paper Co.	1	6	.143
Emily's Snack Bar	0	5	.100

WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tonight—Coachmen vs. Mastercraft.
Tomorrow—Emily's vs. Rainbow.
Wednesday—Mastercraft vs. Eaton's.
Thursday—LeBlanc's vs. Coachmen.

Packing all of its scoring into two innings, LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. defeated Emily's Snack Bar 8-2 Friday night in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field. The winners made three runs in the second and five in the fifth.

The contest was unusual in that there wasn't an extra base hit.

Dick Chapman of LeBlanc's and Mario Trapani of Emily's were the batting stars with a pair of singles apiece.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
LeBlanc's	030	050	—8	6	0
Emily's	000	020	0—2	6	1

Cullen and Manship; Gaudette and Ditello.

Four Teams In Contention In Morningside

STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Mastercraft Tile Co.	5	1	.833
Rainbow Restaurant	5	1	.833
Yellow Coachmen	5	2	.714
LeBlanc's Windows	4	3	.571
Eaton Paper Co.	1	7	.125
Emily's Snack Bar	0	6	.000

SCHEDULE

Monday—Rainbow vs. Eaton's.
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Thursday—Rainbow vs. LeBlanc's.
Friday—Mastercraft vs. Coachmen.

The Morningsde Softball League will enter the final week of play today with four teams still in contention for the title. The big games will be Wednesday and Friday when league-leading Mastercraft Tile will meet second-place Rainbow Restaurant, and third-place Yellow Coachmen respectively.

After tomorrow, only games having a bearing on the championship will be played.

Mutual, Water Meet Tonight

Game Will Decide City Slow Pitch Tourney Champion

Berkshire Mutual Insurance Co. and the Water Department teams will meet tonight at 6:15 at Clapp Park in the championship game of the City Slow Pitch Softball League tournament. Berkshire Mutual eliminated Bernie's Sporting Goods by a 9-6 score last night at Clapp Park and the Water boys nipped the Highway Department 4-3 in another first round contest at Deming.

Willie Rocca was the offensive star for Berkshire Mutual with two hits and the winning RBI in the fifth inning. Mike Mole also had two safeties for the winners.

Don King hit a home run for Bernie's.

Ed Poulin's line single to left in the sixth inning drove in the deciding run for the Water team.

Highway came back with two scores in the seventh, but the rally fell short.

Johnny Marchesi and Roger Bowlby starred in the field for the winners. Tommy Budney and Poulin each drove in a run for the Water Department. Mel Morehead of Highway was the only player with two hits.

The line scores:

			R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Mutual	220	131	—9	15	1
Bernie's Sporting	010	230	0—6	12	1

Batteries: Delphia and Laureyns; Clark and Ezsuzian.

			R.	H.	E.
Water	000	211	—4	6	1
Highway	000	100	2—3	5	1

Pravia and Budney; Rheume and Furcinjti.

Water Dept. Wins 4-1 Contest From Berkshire Life

The Water Dept. defeated Berkshire Life 4-1 in a Municipal Slow Pitch League softball contest at Clapp Park last night. Johnny Marchesi led the winners with three hits, while Jerry Doyle, Jim Pierce, Ralph Decker and Chet Pettijohn had two apiece. Rudy LaPorte had three hits for Berkshire Life.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Water Department	101	101	0—4	15	2
Berkshire Life	000	010	0—1	8	2

Pravia and Pettijohn; Welch and Heiss.

Pitcher Fans 13 Batters In CSL Debut

George Wilson Throws 3-Hitter For Mold & Tool

Making his City Softball League debut, pitcher George Wilson of the lowly American Mold & Tool Co., set a seasonal record by striking out 13 batters in a 15-3 victory over Berkshire Auto Co. last night at Deming Field. Wilson, who starred in the sport for some seasons in North Carolina, showed an excellent curve as he limited the losers to three scratch hits. All of the runs off him were unearned.

It was only the second win of the season for the last-place outfit.

American Mold & Tool gave Wilson a working margin by splurging for 11 runs in the fifth inning. Chuck Sanders and Bill Wiren led the winners at bat with three hits apiece.

Boulevard Cafe will meet Berkshire Auto tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Mold & Tool	211	0110	—15	11	1
Berkshire Auto	000	3 00	0— 3	3	6

Wilson and Pickard; Enright and Gable.

Mutual Beats Water Team in Tourney Final

Berkshire Mutual scored six runs in the last two innings to win the City Slow Pitch League tournament final going away on a 9-2 triumph over the Water Department last night at Clapp Park. Berkshire Mutual, leading by a slim 3-2 going into the sixth inning, put over four runs in the sixth and two in the seventh.

The Water boys took a 2-0 lead in the second inning, but the insurance team grabbed the advantage with three in the top of the third. Bob Blake led the Mutual attack with three hits. Ray Charland had two for the Water Department.

Great defensive play by the winners' outfielders was a big factor in the victory.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Mutual	003	004	2— 9	13	1
Water Department	020	000	0— 2	7	1

Batteries: Clark and Eksuzian; Pravia and Budney.

Water Dept. Is Champion In Slow Pitch

The Water Department has won the City Slow Pitch Sofeball League championship with a season record of 12-2. The Watermen led throughout the early part of the season only to be tied in the final stages by Berkshire Mutual. Highway Department upset the Insurance men last Thursday to give the title to the Water Department.

The standings:

	Won	Lost	P
Water Dept.	12	2	.8
Berkshire Mutual	11	3	.7
Highway Dept.	10	4	.7
Bernie's	10	4	.7
Berkshire Life	5	9	.3
School Dept.	5	9	.3
Pittsfield National	2	12	.1
Fire Dept.	1	13	.0

Slow Pitch Softball Event Set for Sept.

SPRINGFIELD—The Open Slow Pitch Softball tournament, to be held here Sept. 16, 23, 24, will be a double elimination event. Trophies will be awarded to the winner, runner-up and most valuable player. There will be a $30 entry fee.

Interested teams are requested to communicate with Jack Lanzillo, at 81 James Street, Springfield, or Tom Danford, at 55 South Park Terrace, Agawam. Deadline will be Tuesday, Sept. 12.

Rainbow Team Wins 2nd Half Softball Title

The Rainbow Restaurant scored a run in the last half of the seventh yesterday on a single by Red Fiorentino which drove in Paul Rote to beat the Yellow Coachmen 3-2 and clinch the second half title of the Morningside Softball League.

The Rainbows scored its first two runs in the second and third innings on sharp base-running. The Coachmen tied it up in the third on a walk and doubles by Moose Delphia and Joe Doucette.

Winning pitcher Milt Gardner allowed only three hits, and struck out 17 to set a league record.

			R.	H.	E.
Rainbow	011	000	1—3	9	0
Coachmen	000	200	0—2	3	1

Gardner and Chapman; Lacy and Doucette.

MSL Title Is at Stake

Mastercraft Tile, Rainbow To Settle Honors Tonight

The chamionship of the Morningside Softball League will be settled tonight at 6 at the Brown Street Feild, where Mastercraft Tile Co. will oppose the Rainbow Restaurant. Mastercraft won the first half title, the Rainbows the second.

Mastercraft will be led offensively by Tom Farley, Buddy Pellerin and Joe Wrzesinski. The big guns for the Rainbows are Al Newman Jr., Ray Pierson and Fran Devanney. Both teams have strong defenses.

The pitchers will be Bing Miller for Mastercraft and Milt Gardner for Rainbow.

A good-sized crowd is expected.

Highway Triumphs On 4-Run Rally In Last Inning

The Highway Department rallied for four runs in the seventh inning to defeat Berkshire Mutual 5-4 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Field. Ed Fitzgerald paced the winners with three hits and drove in the winning run.

Randy Hamilton drove across three runs on two safeties. Mike Mole had three hits for Mutual.

			R.	H.	E.
Highway	000	001	4— 5	9	2
Mutual	011	200	0— 4	10	2

Batteries: Rheume and Pettijohn; Clark and Eksuzian.

Highway Team Tops Bank 16-3 In Slow Pitch

The Highway Department needed only four and one-half innings last night to roll up a 16-3 score and defeat the Pittsfield National Bank in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park. The game was called because of rain.

Mel Morehead led the winners with a home run and five RBI. Randy Hamilton also homered for the Highway Department.

Wiggie Shantz paced the bank team with two singles.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Highway	790	0	—16		
Bank	210	00	— 3		

Rheume and Pettyjohn; Izzo and Case.

Madison Cafe Is 26-1 Winner

Softball Team Tops Brodie Young Squad In Watervliet Play

WATERVLIET, N.Y. — The Madison Cafe softball team of Pittsfield, Mass. will play Acme Company of Rome in the second round of the sixth annual Watervliet softball tournament late this week at Congress Park. The game, originally scheduled for tomorrow, was postponed because of a rainout in the first round.

Madison, the defending champion won its first game 26-1 over the Brodie Young All-Stars of Amsterdam behind the pitching of Ted Kagnowski. Kagnowski struck out 24 men and blasted a home run. His homer was matched by Joe DeAngelis, the next man up.

Earl Hatch, and Bill Zimbouski with two triples and a single apiece also paced the winners at the plate.

Acme is highlighted by Joe E. Lewis, one of the top softball pitchers in New York.

School Dept. Tops Fire Team In Softball 7-3

The School Department scored four times in the last inning last night to break a 3-3 tie and defeat the Fire Department 7-3 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

Gene Connelly and Jack Carroll headed the seventh-inning attack with home runs. Joe Norton added a triple.

George Wich and Charlie Kruger stood out for the losers with two hits.

SCHOOL	100	020	4—7
FIRE	000	003	0—3

McGill and Dwyer; Wich and Armstrong.

Highway Dept. Tops Fire 15-10

The Highway Department outsloshed the Fire Department last night in the City Slow Pitch Softball League at Clapp Park 15-10. The game was called after five innings because of rain.

Bob Cooper had three hits for Highway Department and Bill Rheaume had two hits and three RBIs.

Emil Marquis had a home run for the losers.

The Water Department will meet Bernie's Sporting Goods tonight at Clapp.

The line score:

Highway	832	02—	15
Fire	006	31—	10

Rheaume and Pettijohn; Wich and Coty.

Rainbow Topples Yellow Coachmen In Softball 17-2

The Rainbow Restaurant handed the Yellow Coachmen their first defeat of the season 17-2 in a Morningside Softball League game last night at the Brown Street Field.

Bob Davis, with two doubles; Paul Rote, with a double and a single; and Al Chapman, with two singles, led the winners. The team erupted for 11 runs in the fourth inning to put the game out of reach.

Winning pitcher Milt Gardner gave up only two hits, to Joe Doucette and Bobby Kahn.

The lines score:

Rainbow	050	11 10	X—17
Coachmen	000	002	0— 2

Gardner and Chapman; Lacy, Barzottini and Doucette.

Handy Store Nips Pittsfield In Softball

The Handy Package Store softball team of Lee defeated the Pittsfield All-Stars last night 7-3 at the Pitt playground. Eddie Herlihy managed to hold Pittsfield scoreless after the second inning. Doug Hugabone was the loser.

Dick DiGrigoli paced Handy at the plate with two hits, and John Briggs stood out defensively.

Sunday afternoon at 2 Handy Package Store will play Pease Brothers at Chester. Members of the Package Store team are requested to gather in front of the Sons of Italy home at 1.

Coachmen Rally To Top Rainbow

Although held to three hits by Milt Gardner, the Yellow Coachmen rallied for six runs in the fifth inning last night to defeat the Rainbow Restaurant 6-3 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Gardner gave up a walk, a triple and two more walks to load the bases with the score at 3-1. He retired the next two men but followed them with two more walks to tie the score. Al Newman Jr. relieved Gardner and was reached for a triple by Manny Harrington to end the scoring.

Clem Lacy was the winning pitcher.

Tonight Mastercraft Tile will play LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co.

COACHMEN	000	060—6
RAINBOW	011	010—3

Lacy and Doucette; Gardner, Newman and Chapman.

Errors Help Boulevards In CSL Win

Three-Run Rally Is Carried Off Without a Hit

Rallying for three runs without making a hit in the sixth inning, the Boulevard Cafe edged Berkshire Auto 4-3 in a City Softball League contest last night at Deming Field. The win put the runners-up only one-half game behind the pace-setting Eagle Cafe.

Scoring ingredients in the big inning were two errors, two bases on balls and a sacrifice fly. A miscue let in what proved to be the deciding run.

Losing pitcher Butch Potter allowed only three hits. His mates made five off Bruce Mendel.

Eddie O'Hearn of the Boulevards and Bobby Hunt of Berkshire Auto were the offensive stars with two safeties apiece.

Berkshire Auto will meet American Mold & Tool in a league game Monday night at 6:30 at Deming.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	100	003	X—	4	3	3
Berkshire Auto	001	100	1—	3	5	2

Mendel and Robarge; Potter and Enright.

Boulevard Leads CSL

Cafe Club Rallies To Defeat Mold & Tool 10-6

Boulevard Cafe again is in first place in the City Softball League as the result of its 10-6 comeback victory over American Mold & Tool last night at Deming Field.

The Boulevards, with a 6-1 record, hold a one-half game advantage over runner-up Eagle Cafe. The Eagles can regain a share in the lead by beating Berkshire Auto tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

A four-run rally by Boulevard Cafe in the fourth inning tied the score at 6-all. It was highlighted by Eddie O'Hearn's homer with a mate aboard. Bruce Mendel relieved starting pitcher Don Daly at the top of the fifth inning, and threw shutout ball the remainder of the way. He limited the losers to two hits, didn't walk a man in his three-inning stint, and received credit for the win.

The winners' 13-hit attack was led by Dick and Terry MacCartney and Tommy Gagne, each of whom had three. Newcomer Butch O'Lari paced the losers with three safeties.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	200	431		—10	13	8
Mold & Tool	032	100	0—	6	11	4

Daly, Mendel and Robarge; Kolodziej, Garner and Mayer.

Eagle Cafe Wins Tourney Behind Iron Man DeAngelis

With husky Joe DeAngelis pulling the iron man stunt, Eagle Cafe's City League champions took the city softball tournament title by scoring a pair of 4-3 victories yesterday afternoon at Deming Field. The Eagles defeated Berkshire Auto in the opener of the three-game program, then won from American Mold & Tool in the finals. Mold and Tool beat LeBlanc's Siding & Windows 5-1 in the other first round contest.

DeAngelis limited Berkshire Auto to four hits, and permitted Mold & Tool six. He had six strikeouts in each game. Gene Wilson of Mold & Tool also did double pitching duty. He effectively scattered eight hits in his win, but lost on a six-hitter. Four of the Eagle safeties went for extra bases. Wilson had a total of nine strikeouts, six in the first game.

A three-run third decided the championship contest after Mold & Tool had taken a 1-0 lead in the first. In the fruitful turn, the Eagles had doubles by Ed Kelly and Frank DeAngelis, a single by Dick Powers, a sacrifice fly by Earl Hatch and a base on balls.

Perkins Homers

Bill Perkins hit an inside-the-park homer for Mold & Tool in the fourth.

Kelly, who was added to the Eagles' roster for the tournament, was their leading batter with two hits in each game. Mike Mancivalano had a perfect two for two for the Eagles in the opener, but wasn't used in the championship tilt.

Marty Kelly starred for LeBlanc's with a pair of hits, one a triple.

The line scores:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	002	011	0—	4	8	2
Berkshire Auto	010	000	2—	3	4	0

J. DeAngelis and DeAngelo; Mendel and Gable.

				R.	H.	E.
Mold & Tool	300	011	—	5	5	3
LeBlanc's	001	000	0—	1	8	3

Wilson and Robinson; Wrezinski, Lacy and Manship, Wrezinski.

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	003	100	0—	4	6	1
Mold & Tool	100	101	0—	3	6	2

J. DeAngeles and DeAngelo; Wilson and Robinson.

Boulevard Wins, Ties For CSL Lead

Cafe Team Edges Berkshire Auto 5-4 On Late Rally

Boulevard Cafe is tied with Eagle Cafe for the City Softball League lead today following its uphill 5-4 win over Berkshire Auto last night at Deming Field. The cafe clubs have two-one records. Berkshire Auto fell to third place with a two-two mark.

Eagle Cafe seeks to take exclusive possession of first place as it meets American Mold & Tool tonight at 6:30 at Deming.

The American Mold & Tool-Boulevard Cafe game, which was rained out June 8, has been rescheduled for tomorrow night at 6:30.

Boulevard scored two runs in the first inning, and Berkshire Auto tied the count in the third.

Berkshire Auto went ahead with a two-run, two-out splurge in the top of the seventh. The drive was featured by Jim Farry's triple and a double by Bob Hunt.

Boulevard came right back with a three-run victory outburst in the bottom of the seventh. Singles by Eddie O'Hearn and Paul Robarge plus two infield errors were the ingredients.

Both sides had good pitching. Bruce Mendel let Berkshire Auto down with five hits. The winners made only six off Farry.

Farry and O'Hearn were the offensive stars with three hits apiece.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	200	000	3—	5	6	1
Berkshire Auto	002	000	2—	4	5	3

Mendel and Robarge; Farry and Gable.

Water Dept. Wins 7-5 Contest In Slow Pitch

Al Goerlach, with three hits and two RBIs, led the Water Department to a close 7-5 victory over the Highway Department in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Ike Thompson led the Highway Department with two hits.

Tonight Berkshire Life will play the School Department.

The line score:

Water	110	014	—7
Highway	140	000	0—5

Pravia and Pierce; Thompson and Pettijohn.

Rainbow Bows To Emily's

Beaten Team Drops From First Place in MSL

MORNINGSIDE SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct
Yellow Coachmen	6	3	.750
Rainbow Restaurant	5	2	.714
Mastercraft Tile Co.	5	3	.625
LeBlanc's Siding & Window Co.	4	4	.500
Emily's Snack Bar	2	5	.286
Eaton Paper Corporation	1	7	.125

WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tonight: Eaton's vs. Yellow Coachmen.
Tomorrow: Emily's vs. LeBlanc's.
Friday: Mastercraft vs. Rainbow.

Making good use of four hits and 12 passes, Emily's Snack Bar scored the upset of the Morningside Softball League season Friday night by handing the Rainbow Restaurant a 5-2 loss at Brown Street Field. The result knocked the Rainbow from first place. The Yellow Coachmen moved from runner-up to top team.

Joe Gaudette, with a home run, was the offensive star for Emily's. Jim Broderick, with several superb plays at third base, was the defensive standout for the winners. His best play was a running pick-up of a bunt on a fourth inning squeeze attempt. He threw the runner out at the plate.

Eddie Cook effectively spaced 10 Rainbow hits. Fran Devanny starred at bat for the losers with a double and a single.

The Mastercraft-Rainbow game, scheduled for Monday night, was postponed because of rain. It has been re-slated for Friday evening.

Eaton's Paper Corporation will oppose the Yellow Coachmen tonight at 6:30.

				R.	H.	E.
Emily's	102	200	—	5	4	0
Rainbow	011	001	0—	2	0	1

Cook and Ditello; Gardner, Newman and Chapman.

Coachmen Edge Emily's 11-5 In Softball Game

The Yellow Coachmen, although outhit 11-7, took advantage of walks and errors to defeat Emily's Snack Bar 11-5 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

John Gamberoni had a triple, a single and four RBIs for the Coachmen and Mario Trapano, Chuck Gans and Harry Crennan had two singles apiece for the losers.

Tonight Mastercraft Tile will face LeBlanc's Siding and Window Co.

The line score:

Coachmen	004	160	—11
Emily's	200	201	0— 5

Lacy and Doucette; Gaudette and Ditello.

Eagle Cafe Regains Tie For CSL Lead

Boulevard Cafe Bows 13-8; Winners Pound 15 Hits

Eagle Cafe, back in a tie for the City Softball League's lead after a 13-8 triumph over Boulevard Cafe last night at Deming Field, will attempt to take sole possession of first place as it opposes last-place American Mold & Tool tonight at 6:30.

The Boulevards, trying to widen their margin to two full games with a third successive conquest of the Eagles, rallied to go ahead with a six-run splurge in the bottom of the second, but fell behind to stay in the very next inning.

The Eagles hopped to a 5-0 lead in the first two, trailed by 6-5, then banged over four runs in the top of the third. They scored in six consecutive innings, failing to only in the seventh.

Fred Shogry and Frank DeAngelis led the Eagles' 15-hit attack with three each. Pitcher Joe DeAngelis homered for the winners over the left field fence in the fourth. Ed DeAngelo, his battery mate, made an inside-the-park round tripper in the first.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	234	211	0—13	15	2	
Boulevard Cafe	060	001	1— 8	9	6	

J. DeAngelis and DeAngelo, F. DeAngelis; Mendel, Daly and Robarge.

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The line score:

Boulevards, M & T Meet

The Boulevard Cafe and the American Mold & Tool Company will meet in a City Softball League contest tonight at 6:15 at Deming Field. A win for the Boulevards would give them a one-half game lead in the pennant race over Eagle Cafe.

Last night's scheduled game betweeen the Eagles and Berkshire Auto was postponed because of wet grounds.

Yellow Coachmen Top Eaton's 6-1

A five-run third inning was more than enough to give the Yellow Coachmen a 6-1 victory over eaton Paper Co. in a Morningside oftball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

Doubles by Bill Barnes and Clem acy each drove in two runs in the g inning.

Dick Sherman, Ray Munger and ug Pires had a pair of singles the winners.

mily's will play LeBlanc's Win-w and Siding Co., tonight at own Street Field.

The line score:

Coachmen	105	000	—6
Eaton's	000	001	0—1

Lacy and Pires; Lee and Perachi.

MSL To Enter Final Week Of 1st Half

Three-Team Tie Could Develop by Wednesday's Game

STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Yellow Coachmen	7	2	.778
Mastercraft Tile Co.	6	3	.667
Rainbow Restaurant	5	3	.625
LeBlanc's Windows	4	5	.444
Emily's Snack Bar	3	6	.333
Eaton Paper Co.	1	8	.111

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday: Coachmen vs. Rainbow.
Tuesday: Mastercraft vs. Emily's.
Wednesday: Rainbow vs. LeBlanc's.
Thursday: Emily's vs. Eaton's.

The Morningside Softball League, entering the final week of its first half, could become a three-way scramble by Wednesday.

Tonight league-leading Yellow Coachmen will play third-place Rainbow Restaurant. Tomorrow night Mastercraft will play Emily's Snack Bar and Rainbow will meet LeBlanc's Window and Siding Wednesday. Should Rainbow and Mastercraft win their games, the three-way tie would be in effect.

A win by the Coachmen tonight would end all disputes however.

In Friday night's game, Mastercraft easily defeated Rainbow Restaurant, 14-1 at the Brown Street Field.

Jerry Schmidt led the winners with a double and two singles. Joe Wrzesinski, Tom Farley and Bob Faye backed him up with a home run and a double, a home run and a single, and a double and a single respectively.

Bing Miller allowed only four hits as winning pitcher.

The line score:

Mastercraft	301	136	—14
Rainbow	001	000	0—

Miller and Wrzesinski; Gardner, New and Chapman.

CSL Game Postponed Because of Rain

The City Softball League game, set for Monday night between the Boulevard and the Eagle Cafe, was postponed because of rain and will be played later in the season.

Tonight American Molding and Tool will play Berkshire Auto Co. at 6:30 at Deming Field.

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Bing Miller Has 3-Hitter In MSL Game

7/25/61

Behind the three-hit pitching of Bing Miller, Mastercraft Tile Co. last night coasted to an easy 9-2 victory over LeBlanc's Window & Siding Co. in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Leading the Mastercraft offense were Ray Goyette with a double and three singles, Tom Farley with a double and two singles, and Don Ostrikis and Steve Omelanchuck with one home run apiece. Marty Kelly's double was the big blow for the losers.

Goyette at third base and Buddy Pellerin at shortstop each handled six chances flawlessly for the winners. Dick LaRouche had six chances in center field for the losers.

LeBlanc's will oppose the Eaton Paper Corp. in a league game tonight at 6:30 at the Brown Street Field.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Mastercraft	422	010	0—9	13	0	
LeBlanc's	000	020	0—2	3	2	

Miller and Wrzesinski; Cullen and Manship.

Restaurantmen Down Emily's In 16-5 Game

8/16/61

The Rainbow Restaurant, pounding out 19 hits, had no trouble in defeating Emily's Snack Bar by a lopsided 16-5 score in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

Leading the attack for the Restaurantmen were Al Chapman with a home run and three singles, Ray Pierson with three singles and Fran Devanney with a home run and a single.

Tonight, Mastercraft Tile Co. plays Eaton Paper Co.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Rainbow	572	200	—16	19	0	
Emily's	101	300	0— 5	5	2	

Gardner, Newman and Chapman; Gaudette, Cook and Ditello.

Coachmen Down LeBlanc's 8-6

The Yellow Coachmen stayed in the battle for the Morningside Softball League second-half championship last night by scoring seven runs in two early outbursts, then holding on to defeat LaBlanc's Window and Siding Co. 8-6 at the Brown St. Field.

Leading the Coachmen's attack were Bobby Kahn with three singles, John Seely with a double and a single, and Leroy Fowler and Ray Munger with two singles apiece. Jack Navin doubled for the losers.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Coachmen	402	100	— 8	11	2	
LeBlanc's	300	003	0— 6	7	2	

Lacy and Doucette; Cullen and Manship.

Eagles Seek Tie for 1st

7/18

Boulevards Try To Widen Lead In CSL Tonight

Whether the City Softball League race will be a pull-away for the Boulevard Cafe or a down-to-the-wire battle between that team and the Eagle Cafe will be decided tonight. Their third meeting in a week is scheduled for 6:30 at Deming Field.

The Boulevards lead by a full game with a record of 10 wins and 2 losses. The Eagles are 9 and 3. The Boulevards won both of the meetings last week by substantial scores, 10-5 and 9-4.

The Boulevards' scheduled league contest with Berkshire Auto last night was postponed because of rain.

Softball Event This Weekend

Four City Teams Entered at Deming In 1st Tournament

The first City Softball Tournament will take place this weekend at Deming Field with four teams entered. The teams are American Mold and Tool, LeBlanc's Siding & Windows, Eagle Cafe and Berkshire Auto.

The opening game will be played tomorrow afternoon at 2 between the City League champion Eagle Cafe team and Berkshire Auto. The second game, which will start at 5, will match American Mold & Tool and LeBlanc's. The tourney final between tomorrow's winners will be at 2 Sunday afternoon.

Arrangements for the tourney were completed at the Parks and Recreation Department office Wednesday night. the event was open to all Pittsfield softball teams.

The rosters are as follows:

AMERICAN MOLD & TOOL

Lee Guittar, Richard Belair, Eugene Nadeau, Albert Diithey, John Stanley, Paul Robinson, Norman Charland, James Pickard, Gene Wilson, William Wiren, William Perkins, Ed Race, Raymond Kolodziej, Paul Wilson, Steve Rice.

LEBLANC'S SIDING & WINDOWS

Jerry Schmidt, Ray Pierson, Dick Chapman, Marty Kelly, Bob Faye, Dick Larouvhe, Cam Jacobs, Bing Miller, Joe Wreszinski, John Manship, Ray Malloy, Richard Kelly, Tom Farley, Bob Vollinger, Sam Noguira.

EAGLE CAFE

Mike Mancivalano Mike Latura, Buzz Pisani, Joe Scherben, Bud Turner, Frank DeAngelis, Joe DeAngelis, Fred Shogry, Angelo Buzzanco, Ed DeAngelo, Leo DeAngelis, Bob George, Roy Blais, Ed Kelly, Tom Murphy.

BERKSHIRE AUTO

John Enright, James Hunt, Thomas Potter, Douglas Gordon, Robert Gable, Burt Gibby, Terrance McCartney, Doug Hugabone, Art Gwinell, George Bigelow, Stanley Risoe, Edward Smith, Bill McKeever, George Tetlow, Paul Coughlan.

Auto Outfit Scores Upset Over Eagles

8/16/61

Gable and Enright Supply Win Margin With 2-Run HRs

Two-run homers by Bob Gable and John Enright provided the third place Berkshire Auto with the exact margin for an upset 9-5 conquest of the championship Eagle Cafe in a City Softball League game last night at Deming Field.

Gable's drive over the right field fence broke a 2-2 tie in the third inning. Enright's blast that cleared the left field barrier by plenty completed his team's scoring in the sixth.

Enright, making one of his infrequent appearances on the mound, bothered some of the big Eagle hitters. He effectively scattered nine hits, struck out five, and was well in command after his team took the lead for keeps in the third.

Enright and Butch Potter had two hits apiece for the winners. Joe DeAngelis led the Eagles with three. Losing pitcher Roe Blais had two.

There will be no league game tonight. The Eagles will face American Mold & Tool in the regular season finale tomorrow night at 6:15.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Auto	202	212	— 9	8	6	
Eagle Cafe	002	110	1— 5	9	4	

Enright and Gable; Blais and DeAngelo.

Mutual Outfit Tops Bankers

7/7

Berkshire Mutual downed Pittsfield National in a City Slow Pitch League softball contest at Clapp Park last night. Gene Eksuzian poled a long home run and Hal Lindberg had three hits for the winners, while Bob Murray hit a home run for the losers' only score. The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Mutual	203	040	0—9	11	2	
Pittsfield National	010	000	0—1	4	2	

Tonight's Game

Fire Dept. vs. Berkshire Life.

Coachmen Nip Mastercraft 1-0 in Eighth

8-26-61

The Yellow Coachmen, behind the three-hit pitching of Clem Lacy, shut out Mastercraft Tile Co. 1-0 in eight innings in a Morningside Softball League game at Brown Street Field last night. The victory keeps the Coachmen in the battle for the second half title.

Monday night the Coachmen meet Rainbow Restaurant in a crucial game. A win for Rainbow will give the Restaurant team the crown. A loss for Rainbow will create a tie.

The Yellow Coachmen won the game in the bottom of the eighth on Bill Barnes' single that scored John Seely. Lacy started off the inning with a hit but was forced at second by Doug Pires. Seely singled sending Pires to second. Manny Harrington walked to fill the bases.

Pires was out trying to score on a wild pitch, but Barnes came through to settle the issue.

Seely, the only player with more than one hit, had two singles. Good defense featured the game with the Coachmen making three double plays and the Tilemen one. Coachmen second baseman and Ed Sherman and third baseman Ray Munger handled 17 chances with only one error.

Losing pitcher Bing Miller gave up only six hits but three came in the fatal eighth.

Gardner Hurls 21-1 No-Hitter At LeBlanc's

Milt Gardner hurled a no-hitter and his teammates pounded out 15 hits last night as the Rainbow Restaurant obliterated LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. 21-1 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown St. Field. The victory assured the restaurant men of at least a tie for the second-half title. A victory Monday night will give them the title.

Paul Rote, with three singles, and Al Chapman and Al Newman Jr., each with a triple and a single, led the winners' attack.

Tonight Mastercraft Tile plays the Yellow Coachmen. The loser will be eliminated from further contention.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Rainbow	344	406	0—21	1	51	
LeBlanc's	000	000	0— 1	0	2	

Gardner and Chapman; Cullen and Manship.

Berkshire Life Co. Loses 10-5 Game To Highwaymen

8/16/61

The Highway Department defeated Berkshire Life 10-5 in a City Slow Pitch League softball contest at Clapp Park last night. Offensive stars for the winners were Randy Hamilton, with three hits, and Joe Hodlin, who drove home the winning run in the eighth inning. Dick Brophy had a home run for the losers.

Tonight the Highway Department meets the Water Department.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Highway Department	000	23	05—10	14	2	
Berkshire Life	010	031	00— 5	10	4	

Boulevards, Eagles Meet For CSL Lead

7/14

Important Game Set for Tonight At Deming Field

Eagle Cafe, an 11-8 winner over Berkshire Auto in a City Softball League game at Deming Field, will challenge Boulevard Cafe for sole possession of first place on the same field tonight at 6:30. The teams are tied with 9-2 records. The Boulevards defeated the Eagles 10-5 early this week to take a slight lead.

Frank DeAngelis led the Eagles with three hits. Ed DeAngelo and Joe Scherben homered for the winners. Each had two safeties. Bob Gable and newcomer Vin McKeever Jr., former St. Joseph's High and Boston College basketball player, made three hits apiece for the losers.

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	231	005	0—11	12	3	
Berkshire Auto	012	104	0— 8	10	5	

Blais and F. DeAngelis; Potter and Gable

Emily's Wins Over LeBlanc's In Softball 8-4

7/3

Scoring in every inning but two, league-leading Emily's Snack Bar defeated LeBlanc's Siding & Window Co. 8-4 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field last night.

Lou Markham hit a home run and a single and Fran Woodin a double and a single for the winners, while John Manship led the losers with a double and a single.

In tonight's important game second-place Rainbow Restaurant plays third-place Mastercraft Tile Co.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Emily's	013	110	2—8	9	1	
LeBlanc's	020	001	1—4	9	3	

Cook and Ditello; Cullen and Manship.

Star Picks In Softball Are Announced

8/17/61

1st, 2nd Teams On Playgrounds Named by Metallo

The playground softball all-star teams were named today by Joe Metallo, supervisor of playground sports for the Department of Parks and Recreation. The all-stars were chosen on the basis of performance in leagues, through the summer.

Named to the junior boys first team were: 1b, Gene Curletti, Crane; 2b, John Rilla, Lakewood; 3b; Bob Rivard, Highland; ss, Paul Procopio, Clapp; lf, Dave Allen, Wahconah; cf, Lou Orazio, Pitt; rf, Phil Heidel, Deming; sf, Chris Gallagher, Osceola; c, Dave Tatreault, Wahconah; p, Jim Carlo, Clapp.

The junior second team has 1b, Henry Fidel, West Memorial; 2b, Bob Spaniol, Pontoosuc; 3b, Fred Royal, West Memorial; ss, Frank Scago, Pitt; lf, Ken Williams, Lebanon; rf, Mike Lacey, Wahconah; cf, Bob Gillett, Springside; sf, Jim Sokop, Allen Heights; c, Mickey Sangiovanni, Deming; p, Dick Powers, Crane.

On the midget boys first team are: 1b, Mike Trudeau, Highland; 2b, Ricky Paris, Highland; 3b, Carl Albano, Allen Heights; ss, Tom Rilla, Springside; lf, Tom Sinopoli, Clapp; cf, Tony Gibson, Lebanon; rf, Mike Connolly, Deming No. 1; sf, Jimmy DiNicola, Springside; c, Bill Hermanski, Coolidge; p, Paul Andrews, Coolidge.

The midget second team include: 1b, Les Poincelot, Abby Lodge 2b, Dennis Hebler, Crane; 3b, Steve Cain, Deming No. 2; ss, Dave Kirchner, Coolidge; lf, Art Winters, Pitt A; cf, Keith Anderson, Pontoosuc; rf, Roger Doulet, Wilson; sf, Frank Gay, Crane; c, Lou Bologna, Lakewood; p, Jim Giansiracusa, Root.

Bank Wins First Game of Season Over Highway

7/14

Pittsfield National Bank scored its first win of the season last night in the City Slow Pitch Softball League by downing the Highway Department 5-4 at Clapp Park.

Ken Truran drove in the winning run in the bottom of the sixth. Don Hunt and Dave Case had three and two hits, respectively, to lead the winners.

Mike Bradley had two hits for the losers.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
BANK	200	003	x—5			
HIGHWAY	110	020	0—4			

Truran and Campoli; Groat and Rheume.

Boulevards Top Eagles, Tie for 1st

7/31/61

Passes, Error Bring Deciding Runs In the Seventh

Boulevard Cafe again is tied for the City Softball League lead with Eagle Cafe after edging that team 3-2 Friday evening at Deming Field. The winners had to come from behind in the seventh inning, scoring a pair of runs on three consecutive walks and a throwing error in the infield.

Bruce Mendel of the Boulevards and Joe DeAngelis of the Eagles each pitched a four-hitter. The difference was in control. Mendel walked only two. DeAngelis gave five passes. DeAngelis struck out six.

Frank DeAngelis of the Eagles and Harold Linker of the Boulevards had two hits apiece. Dan Connors of the Eagles hit a home run.

The Boulevards will be trying for a one-half game lead as they oppose Berkshire Auto in a league game at Deming tonight at 6:15. That's the new starting hour for the league in an attempt to beat darkness.

The slate for the remainder of the week: Tomorrow, American Mold & Tool vs. Eagle Cafe; Wednesday, Eagle Cafe vs. Berkshire Auto; Thursday, Boulevards vs. American Mold & Tool; Friday, Berkshire Auto vs. Eagle Cafe.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	001	000	2—3	4	6	
Eagle Cafe	000	020	0—2	4	1	

Mendel and Robarge; J. DeAngelis and F. DeAngelis.

Softball Playoff Tonight at 6:30

7/18

The playoff game between Rainbow Restaurant and Mastercraft Tile Co. of the Morningside Softball League, scheduled for last night and postponed because of rain, will be played tonight at 6:30 at the Brown Street Field.

The regularly scheduled game between Eaton Paper Corp. and LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. has been postponed until a later date.

Eagle Cafe Wins 14-5 Game In City League

7/5

First-place Eagle Cafe topped the cellar-dwelling American Mold & Tool outfit 14-5 in a City Softball League game at Deming Field last night. Joe Sherbin had three hits for the winners.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	503	130	2—14	12	4	
Mold & Tool	022	001	0— 5	3	7	

Tonight's Game

Berkshire Auto vs. Boulevard Cafe, Deming Field at 6:30.

Kruger Leads CSP League In Batting

7/15

Charlie Kruger, hard-hitting third baseman for the Pittsfield Fire Department softball team of the City Slow Pitch League, is leading the loop with a .733 batting average. Sixteen players who had at least 15 at bats, were hitting .500 or above in averages compiled after Friday's game.

Close to Kruger are Water Department stars John Marchesi at .722 and Al Goerlach at .707, and Eddie O'Brien of Bernie's at .714.

Roger Bowlby of the Water team and Bill Delphia of Bernie's lead in RBIs with 14 apiece. Gene Eksuzian of Berkshire Mutual and Goerlach have 12 each.

Eksuzian leads the home run parade with four. Ray Charland of Water Department is second with three and Don King and Delphia of Bernie's have two apiece.

The league standings are:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Water Department	7	0	1.000
Bernie's	5	1	.833
Berkshire Mutual	5	2	.714
School Department	3	4	.429
Highway Department	2	3	.400
Berkshire Life	2	5	.286
Fire Department	1	5	.167
Pittsfield National	1	6	.143

Batting averages over .500 of players with at least 15 times at bat are:

	AB	H	Pct.
Kruger, Fire	15	11	.733
Marchesi, Water	18	13	.722
O'Brien, Bernie's	21	15	.714
Goerlach, Water	24	17	.707
J. Carroll, School	17	10	.588
Doyle, Water	26	15	.577
Steiner, Mutual	26	15	.577
Eksuzian, Mutual	21	12	.571
Bowlby, Water	24	13	.542
Cooper, Highway	15	8	.533
Gallagher, School	15	8	.533
King Bernie's	19	10	.576
Caribo, Bernie's	21	11	.524
Potter, Mutual	26	13	.500
Stiles, Mutual	18	9	.500

Mastercraft Drubs Emily's In Softball

The Mastercraft Tile Co. scored in every inning but one last night and went on to drub Emily's Snack Bar 15-7 in a Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field.

Tom Farley, with two doubles and a single, Bing Miller, with a double and a single, and Moe Eckart and Don Ostrikis, with two singles each, headed Mastercraft's attack.

Eddie Cook, with an unassisted double play, was outstanding on defense.

Tonight LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. will play the Rainbow Restaurant.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Mastercraft	220	441	2—15			
Emily's	200	004	1— 7			

Miller, Pellerin and Wrzesinski; Gaudette, Cook and Ditello.

Boulevard Cafe In WM Finals After 7-2 Win

Local Softball Team Meets Chicopee Tuesday at 8:30

Boulevard Cafe defeated Massachusetts Mutual of Springfield 7-2 last night to reach the finals of the Western Massachusetts Class B softball tournament. They now meet Spalding's of Chicopee in the finals at Ma Manning's Tuesday at 8:30. The winner will enter the state tournament at Ludlow next weekend.

Bruce Mendel pitched a five-hitter for the Cafemen last night. Dave Frank had three RBI's with a home run and a single, and Doug Hugabone also had three RBI's on a pair of singles. The team played tight defensive ball, cutting down two men at the plate and one at third on throws from the outfield.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Boulevard Cafe	102	001	3—7	10	1	
Mass. Mutual	000	000	2—2	5	3	

Mendel and Robarge; Cunningham and O'Brien.

Babe Ruth American All-Stars Edge Adams for District 1A Championship

Russo Scores Winning Run On Garstang's Squeeze Bunt

Pittsfield Team Meets Holyoke Saturday At Wahconah Park for District Crown; Hurley Pitches 3-Hitter for Local Club

A squeeze bunt by Collin Garstang with the bases loaded in the fifth inning brought Sam Russo home with the winning run as the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars nipped Adams 3-2 Saturday to take the Massachusetts District 1A championship at Deming Field. District 1A covers Berkshire County.

District Play-Off Saturday

The American leaguers will meet the Holyoke All-Stars Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah Park for the District 1 crown. Holyoke defeated Longmeadow 8-5 for the 1B pennant yesterday in Holyoke.

John Hurley stopped Adams with three hits. The tall right-hander fanned seven and walked two. Chet Zajac started for the north county club. He gave up seven hits in 3⅓ innings. Ed Godek finished up. He allowed two hits and gave up the winning run. He was charged with the loss.

Sam Russo was the heavy hitter for Pittsfield. He had three singles in four times at bat, and scored two of the three runs. Dave Tetreault and Garstang had a double and single apiece and drove across one run each.

Adams opened the scoring in the top of the first when Dave Feidler, the second man up, blasted a long homer into the Little League field. Pittsfield tied it up in its half of the inning on Russo's single and Tetreault's double.

Pittsfield Goes Ahead

The local club went ahead in the fourth on Tetreault's walk, Jack Doyle's fielder's choice, and singles by Garstang and Mike Massaconi. Massaconi's hit drove in the run.

Johnny Kinnas slapped out a base hit to load the bases. At this point, Godek took over on the mound. Hurley greeted him with what looked like a Texas League single, but third baseman Art Salvi made a great catch over the shoulder with his back to the plate. Godek got the next batter on strikes to end the inning.

Adams tied it at 2-2 in the fifth on a base on balls to Joe Rogge, a wild pitch, a throwing error and Tad Constant's bunt single. The Americans broke the deadlock in the same inning when Russo was safe on an error, Tetreault rapped a single, Doyle was hit by a pitch and Garstang laid down a good bunt on the suicide squeeze. Russo was safe on a close play at the plate.

A collection of $38 was taken up by the women of the Babe Ruth Auxiliary. Game expenses were $30.

The score:

PITTSFIELD AMERICANS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Mahan, 3b	4	0	0	0	3	0
Russo, 2b	4	2	3	2	2	0
Rilla, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Tetreault, c	3	0	2	8	1	1
Doyle, ss	2	1	0	0	0	0
Garstang, 1b	2	0	2	6	0	0
Massaconi, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Kinnas, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Hurley, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
	27	3	9	21	6	1

ADAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bigelow, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Feidler, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	1
Salvi, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	1
Zajac, p, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Rogge, 1b	0	1	0	5	0	0
Iacuessa, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
Godek, cf, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Constant, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Nimmons, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tenczar, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
	23	2	3	18	10	2

PITTSFIELD	100	110 x—3
ADAMS	100	010 0—2

Mahan

THE WINNING RUN for the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars was made by Sam Russo, left, with his back to the camera, on a suicide squeeze bunt by Collin Garstang in the fifth inning. Local team downed Adams 3-2. Shown in the photo, left to right, are Adams catcher Tad Constant, Umpire Lou Scaramuzzi, on deck batter Mike Massaconi, and Adams pitcher Ed Godek, who fell after fielding the bunt and making the desperate toss to Constant at the plate.

Box Scores Of Sunday BR Games

AMERICAN STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Optimists	3	0	Gen. Electric	2	2
Moldmaster	4	2	Adams Super	2	4
Besse-Clarke	3	2	VFW 448	0	6

NATIONAL STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
IUE 255	4	2	Termin'l Diner	2	2
Imper'l Lanes	3	2	Ida & John's	1	1
GEAA	3	3	Union Federal	2	3

GAMES TODAY

At Wahconah, IUE 255 vs. VFW 448.
At Deming, Ida & John's vs. Besse-Clarke.

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Clark, 3b	3	0	1	3	0	0
Carlo, c	3	1	0	9	1	0
VanJura, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Delmolino, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Spina, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Riccarini, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clerici, 1b	3	0	0	5	1	0
Ruberto, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Williams, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Farrell, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
	24	2	3	21	8	1

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	0	1	1	1	0
Kellogg, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Powers, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Curletti, 1b	3	0	1	4	0	0
Tetreault, c	3	0	0	11	1	0
Massacani, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Rivard, cf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Lausier, ss	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bassi, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Farry, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
	24	0	5	21	7	1

IUE 255	002	000 0—2

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	2	1	2	2	1	0
Kozack, ss, p	3	1	1	2	2	1
Kearns, c	2	0	1	9	2	0
DeSantis, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Simonelli, 3b, ss	4	0	2	1	2	0
Sarosy, p, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Lemone, 1b	1	2	1	5	0	0
Vosburgh, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Quinlan, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dawley, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	5	7	21	8	1

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, ss, c	3	0	0	3	2	0
Rustic, 2b, ss	2	0	1	5	0	0
Doyle, p, ss	3	0	0	0	1	0
Kinnas, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Lear, 1b	3	1	1	3	0	0
Zack, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ali, c	2	0	1	4	0	0
Teal, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
A. Pero, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
J. Pero, rf, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, lf, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	2	4	18	3	0

Imperial Lanes	000	410 x—5
Besse-Clarke	000	200 0—2

*Struck out for Vosburgh in 5th.

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, lf	3	1	2	0	1	0
Kinnas, 1b	3	1	2	5	0	0
Woitkoski, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Garstang, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	2
Lucaroni, cf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Vacarro, c	4	0	1	6	1	1
Kruczkowski, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Pleau, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Carey, 2b	3	1	0	5	3	0
	30	7	8	21	7	3

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b	3	2	0	1	5	1
Washburn, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Wheat, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
xGoyette, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Downey, 1b	2	0	1	8	0	1
McConnell, p	3	0	1	1	2	0
O'Neil, c	1	0	0	4	0	0
zCharrow, c	1	0	0	3	0	0
Pierce, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Allen, ss	3	1	0	1	1	0
Royal, 2b	2	1	0	1	1	0
	26	4	5	21	9	2

Optimists	100	300 0—4
General Electric	100	300 0—4

xPopped out for Wheat in 6th.
zReached on error for O'Neil in 5th.

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Choiniere, 2b	1	1	0	2	0	0
xJobson, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
zLewis, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
LaBrie, 1b	4	0	2	4	0	0
Orazio, 3b, p	3	1	2	0	6	1
Grieve, cf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Palmeri, ss	2	1	1	3	1	1
Murphy, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Cheever, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Southard, cf	2	2	2	0	0	0
Boyer, c	2	2	2	9	2	0
Blasioli, p, 3b	3	2	1	0	2	0
	22	9	11	18	12	2

VFW 448

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hoeske, ss	2	1	1	0	0	1
Rilla, 1b, cf	2	2	1	3	0	0
Evans, p, 1b	1	0	1	0	2	1
Mahan, c	3	1	1	5	4	3
Massaconi, 3b	2	0	0	2	1	0
Powers, rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Woods, cf, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Kellar, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
	21	4	5	15	9	3

GEAA	014	31x—9
VFW 448	000	103—4

xWalked for Choiniere in 3rd.
zStruck out for Jobson in 4th.

Auto Outfit Triumphs 6-5 On Late Rally

Enright's Triple With Bases Full Beats Boulevard

John Enright's bases - loaded triple with no one out in the bottom half of the seventh inning enabled the Berkshire Auto to rally for a 6-5 City Softball League win over the Boulevard Cafe last night at Deming Field. The loss dropped the runner-up Boulevards one full game behind the league-leading Eagle Cafe.

The Boulevards made only four hits off Butch Potter, but managed to stay ahead until Enright's drive by making good use of seven bases on balls and two errors. They jumped to a 3-0 advantage in the first inning.

Enright's triple was his third hit. Billy McKeever and Tom Murphy had two safeties apiece for the winners. Terry MacCartney was a perfect two for two for the losers.

Boulevard will oppose American Mold & Tool in a league game Monday night at Deming.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Berkshire Auto	021	000	3—	6	2
Boulevard Cafe	301	010	0—	5	4

Potter and TeNow; Mendel and Robarge, Daly.

CSL Finale Set Tonight

Eagle Cafe's champions and the cellar occupants of American Mold & Tool Company will meet tonight at 6:15 at Deming Field in the City Softball League's regular season finale.

Gene Wilson is expected to pitch for American Mold & Tool. A one-time ace of a North Carolina state championship club, Wilson has made an excellent showing since joining Mold & Tool in mid-season.

Berkshire Life Wins 6-0 Game Over Bank Team

Berkshire Life waited until the sixth inning to score all of its runs last night as it defeated the Pittsfield National Bank 6-0 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park.

Butch Marshall had three hits for the winners and was backed up by Harry Beaudin with two. Kenny Welch had a three-hit shutout as the winning pitcher.

Wiggy Shantz had two hits for the bank team.

The line score:

Life	000 006	—6

Welsh and Stanley; Campoli and Case.

Rainbow Wins MSL Contest By 6-4 Score

The Rainbow Restaurant exploded for five runs in the top of the seventh last night to defeat the Yellow Coachmen 6-4 and keep its hopes for a share of the Morningside Softball League alive.

Rainbow put three singles, a hit batsman and two errors together for the rally.

Ray Pierson and Paul Rote each had a double for Rainbow and Ed Sherman and Bill Barnes led the Coachmen with a home run and single, and pair of singles respectively.

Tonight Emily's Snack Bar will face Mastercraft Tile. Should Mastercraft win, it will tie for first with the Coachmen.

The score:

Rainbow	001 000	5—6
Coachmen	101 000	2—4

Newman and Chapman; Lacy and Doucette.

Tigers, Beavers Win Flea Contests

Paul Galasso bested Doug Quadrozzi in a fine pitchers' duel as the Tigers beat the Lions 2-0 yesterday moring in an American Flea Baseball League game on the Common. Gallasso gave up four hits and struck out 10. Quadrozzi allowed five hits and fanned 11.

Galasso was the only player in the game with two hits. Larry Gatasso, Mike Britten, and Quadrozzi hit hard for the losers.

In a National League contest the Beavers topped the Seals 8-4. Charlie Kirk with a home run and single, and Terry Bannick with two singles and a triple, led the Beavers' attack. Garry Choiniere and Jim Gentile hit homers for the Seals.

The line scores:

TIGERS	000	11x—2
BEAVERS	310	4x—8
SEALS	000	22—4

Mold & Tool Scores 1st CSL Victory

Fight for Lead Slated Tonight at Deming Field

CITY SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct.	GB
Eagle Cafe	8	1	.889	
Boulevard Cafe	7	2	.778	1
Berkshire Auto	3	7	.300	5½
American Mold & Tool	1	9	.100	7½

LAST NIGHT'S RESULT

American Mold & Tool 13, Berkshire Auto 9.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Tonight: Boulevard Cafe vs. Eagle Cafe.
Tomorrow: Boulevard Cafe vs. American Mold & Tool.
Thursday: Eagle Cafe vs. Berkshire Auto.
Friday: Boulevard Cafe vs. Eagle Cafe.
All games at 6:30.

After nine successive reverses, American Mold & Tool finally scored its first City Softball League win as it beat Berkshire Auto 13-9 last night at Deming Field. The game was called after four and one-half innings because of darkness.

Pace-setting Eagle Cafe and runner-up Boulevard Cafe will meet in a key contest tonight at 6:30 at Deming. The Eagles can extend their lead to two games by winning. A Boulevard victory would leave the teams deadlocked for first place.

Tom Murphy had three hits for Berkshire Auto, Ray Mayer and Ray Kolodziej led Mold & Tool with two safeties apiece.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Mold & Tool	553	0	—13	7	2
Berkshire Auto	106	11	— 9	11	6

Deame, Kolodziej, Deame and Perkins; Enright, Potter and Gable.

Eagle Cafe Takes Extra Inning Game

Wilson Fans 10, But Loses 5-4 In CSL Finale

Eagle Cafe's already crowned champions closed the City Softball League season by scoring an unearned run on talented Gene Wilson in the eighth inning for a 5-4 win over American Mold & Tool Company last night at Deming Field. Wilson struck out 10 and allowed only six hits, but two errors and a safety in the extra return at bat meant the deciding run.

Bob George went the route on the mound for the Eagles. He yielded seven hits and had the same number of strikeouts. However, he had a big edge over Wilson in control. He gave but one base on balls. Wilson walked six.

Wilson's three-run homer in the second inning gave his team a short-lived 3-0 lead. The Eagles tied it with two in the second and one in the third. Both teams scored once in the seventh.

Wilson led his team with two hits. Bud Turner and Eddie DeAngelo had a pair for the winners.

The line scores:

				R.	H.	E.
Eagle Cafe	021	000	11—	5	6	1
American Mold & Tool	030	000	10—	4	7	3

George and DeAngelo; Wilson and Perkins.

Rainbow Wins in Morningside On Grand Slam by Bob Davis

Rainbow Restaurant won the championship of the Morningside Softball League at the Brown Street Field last night, but the winning score of 5-3 over Mastercraft Tile Co. only tells a small part of the story.

The game was called because of darkness in the bottom of a zany sixth inning, which found the Tilemen trailing 9-8 with the bases loaded and two men out.

As it was, Bob Davis turned out to be the hero for the Restaurantmen. With the bases loaded and two men out in the fourth inning, he broke a 1-1 tie with a long home run into left field. Mastercraft came back with two runs on the fifth on a triple by Bing Miller and a double by Buddy Pellerin, but the damage was irreparable.

In the top of the sixth inning of the scheduled seven inning game, Rainbow scored four more runs to take a 9-3 lead. In the bottom of the inning Milt Gardner, after retiring the first batter on a pop to second, completely lost control. He walked two men and hit the next to load the bases, recorded the second out on a strikeout, but walked the next five batters to force in five runs and leave Rainbow just one run ahead.

At this point base umpire Pat Bruni rushed in to consult with plate umpire Nino Coppolino, and Coppolino called the game on account of darkness. The Tilemen were not pleased.

The line score:

			R.	H.	E.
Rainbow	100	40—	5	4	0
Mastercraft	010	02—	3	4	2

Gardner and Chapman; Miller and Wrzesinski.

Rainbow Wins To Take 1st In Morningside

The Rainbow Restaurant defeated Mastercraft Tile Co. 6-2 last night in the Morningside Softball League as Milt Gardner set a new league record with 13 strikeouts. He allowed only three hits as the Restaurant team moved into first place.

Fran Devanney doubled with the score tied in the fifth, and then scored the winning run on Ted Burzimati's single. The team picked up three insurance runs in the sixth.

Tom Farley had a double to lead the losers.

Tonight Rainbow will play LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co.

The line score:

Rainbow	020 013	—6
Mastercraft	200 000	0—2

Gardner and Chapman; Miller and Wrzesinski.

Highway Beats Watermen 5-2 In CSPL Game

The Highway Department beat the Water Department 5-2 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night. Ed Fitzgerald, Randy Hamilton, and Mel Morehead each had two hits for the winners. Jerry Doyle had two hits for the losers.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Highway Dept.	202	001	x—5	8	1	
Water Dept.	002	000	0—2	5	2	

Tonight's game: Pittsfield National vs. Fire Dept.

Auto, M & T Meet Tonight In CSL Game

Berkshire Auto and American Mold & Tool will meet in a City Softball League game tonight at 6:30 at Deming Field.

Last night's contest between league-leading Eagle Cafe and Berkshire Auto was rained out in the last half of the first inning with the score tied 0-0. It has been rescheduled for Friday evening, Aug. 4.

LeBlancs Defeats Handy Team 6-5

LEE—LeBlanc's Aluminum Siding softball team of Pittsfield edged the Handy Package Store team 6-5 last night at Lime Stone Park. Jerry Cullen was the winning pitcher.

Losing hurler Ed Herlihy gave up six hits in pitching his third game in three days. Tony Simoni of Handy's was the only man in the game with two hits.

Mastercraft's Big Fifth Wins

Mastercraft Tile Co. broke through with five runs in the fifth inning to defeat Eaton Paper Co. 7-2 in a Morningside Softball League contest at the Brown Street Field last night.

In the big fifth, Buddy Pellerin singled, Ray Goyette tripled, Joe Wrzesinski homered, and Jim Archey doubled home two more runners who had walked. In his first route-going assignment, Buddy Pellerin scattered eight hits.

Goyette was the only player with two hits for Mastercraft. Paul Berachi had three singles and Larry Roche two for Eaton's.

Tonight LeBlanc's Window and Siding Co. plays Yellow Coach.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Mastercraft	000	250	0—7	8	1	
Eaton Paper	100	001	0—2	8	0	

Pellerin and Wrzesinski; Lee and Perachi.

Bernie's Wins 13-11 Over School Team In Slow Pitch Loop

Bernie's Sporting Goods defeated the School Department 13-11 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game last night at Clapp Park.

Don King, with three hits and three RBIs, and Bill Delphia, with three hits, paced the winners.

Tonight Berkshire Mutual will play the Fire Department.

The line score:

					R.	H.	E.
Bernie's	1003	000	0—	13			
School	110	216	0—	11			

Delphia and Phillips; Catalano and Dwyer.

Mastercraft Beats Eaton's In Softball

Scoring four runs in the sixth inning, Mastercraft Tile Co. pulled out a 6-2 victory over Eaton Paper Co. in last night's Morningside Softball League game at the Brown Street Field. Two walks, three singles and two costly errors made up the winning rally.

Leading the Tilemen with perfect nights were Jerry Schmidt, with a double and two singles, and Tom Farley, with two singles and a walk. Larry Roche had two singles for the losers.

In tonight's contest the Yellow Coachmen meet Eaton's.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
Mastercraft	011	004	—	6	9	1
Eaton's	000	020	0—	2	7	3

Pellerin and Wrzesinski; Lee and Perachi.

School Dept. Triumphs 4-1

School Department defeated Pittsfield National Bank 4-1 in last night's City Slow Pitch League game at Clapp Park. Joe Norton had a home run for the winners and Gene Catalano and Omar McGill each had two hits. Bob Murphy had two hits for the losers.

In tonight's game Berkshire Life meets Berkshire Mutual.

The line score:

				R.	H.	E.
School Dept.	201	100	0—	4	10	
Pittsfield National	000	010	0—	1	6	2

Catalano and Dwyer; Kozek and Campoli

VFW Honors Babe Ruth Baseball Team

Pittsfield Post Gives Spaghetti Dinner at Home

Pittsfield Post 448 Veterans of Foreign Wars honored its team in the Babe Ruth Baseball League baseball last night with a spaghetti and meatball dinner at the post home at 36 Linden St. Five members of the team who are leaving the league because of being over-age received a standing ovation. They were Peter Rilla, William Victor, David Riley, Joseph Bresette and John De Luce.

William Hoeske, 13, was introduced as having the distinction of being the third brother in his family to play for the VFW in the Babe Ruth Baseball League.

Louis R. Russo, president of the league, was guest of honor, and VFW life membership chairman Arthur B. Coffey was the master of ceremonies. Senior Vice Cmdr. Mario J. Cassinelli welcomed the team, and Coaches Ray Meandro and Tony Nugai spoke briefly. Sports films were shown by Adjutant Al Polidoro.

The spaghetti dinner was prepared and served by the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, with Mrs. Carlo C. De Luce in charge, assisted by Mrs. Bernard M. Croteau, Mrs. George Delaney and Mrs. Kenneth L. Hinckley.

VFW Plans Dinner For Baseball Team

The Pittsfield Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will have a dinner for the members of the VFW Babe Ruth League baseball team Wednesday night at 6:30 at the post home on Linden Street. League President Louis Russo will be the guest speaker.

Senior Vice Commander Mario J. Cassinelli will represent the post and also will speak. Sports movies will be shown.

Babe Ruth Officials Meet Tonight To Plan Outing to Boston

LEE—Officials of the Babe Ruth League will meet tonight at 8:30 in the police rooms at Memorial Hall to discuss plans for an excursion to Boston.

The league plans to take all members of the league to a Red Sox game at Fenway Park Saturday, Sept. 9. A luncheon stop is planned along the way. The outing will be held in lieu of the annual banquet.

The team sponsored by Clark-Aiken Co. was champion of the recent season. Clark-Aiken beat Kiwanis 6-5 in the final game to close the season with a won-lost record of 6-3.

As none of the other teams in the league could equal this record, other remaining games were cancelled. The records of the other teams were Spa 4-4, Owens 3-4 and Kiwanis 3-5.

Darien Wins New England Ruth Title

CONCORD, N.H. (UPI) — Darien, Conn., defeated San Juan, Puerto Rico 2-0 Sunday to win the New England Babe Ruth baseball championship.

Darien now is eligible to compete in the Babe Ruth world series at Glendive, Mont. Aug. 21.

Shutouts Feature Final Ruth Games

Two Play-Offs Set Tonight, Another Tomorrow Evening

FINAL STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Besse-Clarke	9	2	IUE 255	8	3
Optimists	9	2	Terminal	8	3
Moldmaster	6	4	GEAA	6	5
GE	4	6	Imperial	5	5
Adams Mkts.	2	8	Union Fed.	3	7
VFW 448	1	10	Ida & John's	1	7

A pair of shutouts featured the final regular league games in the Pittsfield Rabe Ruth loop yesterday at Deming Field with Besse-Clarke downing Union Federal 3-0 and the Optimists beating Imperial Lanes 4-0.

Two play-off games are slated for tonight at 5:30. The Optimists meet the Moldmasters at Wahconah Park for the first half American League title and IUE 255 and Terminal Diner play at Deming for the second half National crown. Tomorrow night at 5:30 at Wahconah Besse-Clarke and the Optimists battle for the second half American championship.

Pete Sullivan pitched a four-hitter for Besse's yesterday, topping Ron Ladd, who gave up just two hits. Darryl Rustic and Jack Doyle had singles in the third inning when the winners scored all their runs.

Sam Russo faced just 24 batters in the second game as he held Imperial Lanes to two safeties. Bill Kozack limited the Optimists to four hits but walked seven. Russo had two of the hits.

The scores:

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	2	1	0	6	1	0
Russo, p	4	0	2	1	1	0
Spiewak, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Garstang, ss	3	0	0	3	0	0
Woitkowski, 2b	2	1	1	1	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Kruczkowski, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	1	0	6	1	0
	24	4	4	21	6	0

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Kozack, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Kearns, lf	2	0	1	2	0	0
Selva, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
DeSantis, c	2	0	1	9	0	1
Simonelli, ss	3	0	0	0	3	1
Dawley, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Quinlan, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lacy, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
Vosburgh, c	f 1	0	0	0	0	0
zBrufnell, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	21	0	2	18	4	3

Optimist Club 110 011 —4

z—Walked for Vosburgh in 6th.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, c	1	1	0	7	0	0
Rustic, 2b	2	1	1	1	0	0
Doyle, ss	3	1	1	1	1	2
Kinnas, c	3	0	0	1	0	0
Sullivan, p	2	0	0	0	5	1
Lear, 1b	3	0	0	4	2	0
Zack, 3b	1	0	0	2	1	0
Vanasse, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
	19	3	2	18	9	3

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doolan, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Sykes, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
Giardina, c	2	0	0	7	2	0
Sangiovanni, ss	3	0	1	1	0	0
Rohlfs, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Ladd, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Walsh, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Shade, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Jacoby, 1b, rf	1	0	1	2	0	1
Caritey, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
zNagle, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nicklaw, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
	24	0	4	18	5	2

Besse-Clarke 003 000—3

z—Struck out for Caritey in 4th.

Babe Ruth Play-Off Postponed by Rain, Rescheduled Tonight

The Pittsfield Babe Ruth American Baseball League play-off game between the Optimists and Besse-Clarke, slated for last night at Wahconah Park at 5:30, was postponed until tonight at the same time and place by rain. The contest is for the second half American loop title.

The winner of the game will meet Moldmaster in a best two-out-of-three series for the American League championship. The first game has been scheduled for tomorrow night at 5:30 at Wahconah Park.

Terminal Diner has already clinched the crown in the National League.

Besse's Wins On Late Rally

VFW Trounces IUE For First Victory Of Second Half

AMERICAN STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Optimists	3	0	Genl. Electric	2	2
Besse-Clarke	4	2	Adams Super	2	4
Moldmaster	4	2	VFW 448	1	6

NATIONAL STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Imperial Ln.	3	2	Termin'l Diner	2	2
IUE 255	4	3	Union Federal	2	3
GEAA	3	3	Ida & John's	1	2

GAMES TODAY

At North Jr.—Optimists vs. Moldmaster.
At Deming — Adams Super Markets vs. Terminal Diner.

Besse-Clarke rallied for four runs in an error-packed seventh inning to nip Ida & John's 4-3 last night in a Pittsfield Babe Ruth League baseball game at Deming Field. Al Cook had stopped Besse's for six innings.

Cook allowed only three hits and fanned 14. A walk, a single, an error and attempted squeeze hunt accounted for the fourth and winning score.

Jim Pero was the winning pitcher. He allowed 10 hits and walked two. Roger Ladd, Pat Bonavitacola and John Rilla were the offensive stars for the losers.

VFW won its first game of the second half at Wahconah Park on a 15-3 trouncing over IUE. The VFW boys used 11 walks to good advantage. Mitch Massaconi got his first win of the year. Joe Williams started for IUE and was charged with his third loss. Tom Carmel came in in the third.

Ned Evans had a triple and single and three Rbi's for VFW and Jim Mahan had two singles and two Rbi's. Len Delmolino rapped a single and triple for the losers.

VFW had a total of 18 assists. Eight assists were awarded on one run-down play in which two runners were involved.

The scores:

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lear, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Rustic, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Doyle, ss	3	0	1	2	3	2
Kinnas, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Teal, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zack, 3b	2	0	1	0	1	0
Marshall, 3b	0	1	0	1	0	0
Ali, c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Russo, c	1	1	1	3	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	3	1	0	3	0	0
J. Pero, p	3	0	0	0	6	1
A. Pero, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, rf-cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
	20	4	5	19	6	8

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bonawticola, 2b	4	1	2	0	0	0
Bell, ss	2	0	0	2	1	0
Schermerhorn, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Z-Williams	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cook, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Lyons, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Moon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ladd, cf	4	1	3	1	0	1
Rilla, lf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Martin, 1b	3	0	1	4	0	0
Guarda, c	3	0	1	14	2	0
Klemasky, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	1
	31	3	10	21	4	4

Z-Struck out for Schermerhorn in seventh.

BESSE-CLARKE	000	000	4—4
IDA & JOHN'S	100	001	1—3

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, 2b	2	2	0	1	1	0
Hoeske, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Mahan, 3b	4	2	2	2	3	0
Evans, 1b	5	3	2	6	3	0
Rilla, cf	2	2	0	1	1	0
Kelly, c	2	2	0	7	4	1
Deluce, ss	3	1	0	0	4	0
Wood, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Reilly, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Powers, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bressett, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Massaconi, p	3	1	1	1	2	0
	26	15	6	18	18	2

IUE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Clark, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Farrell, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carlo, c	3	1	1	6	2	1
Van Jura, ss-3b	3	0	0	1	2	2
Spina, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Clerici, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Delmolino, lf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Roberto, 2b-ss	3	0	1	1	0	1
Brenna, 1b	1	0	1	2	0	0
Barry, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
Williams, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Carmel, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
	21	3	6	18	6	5

VFW	431	016	—15
IUE	010	020	—3

Ticket Sale Ends For Ruth Loop

The sale of Babe Ruth Baseball League season tickets was concluded last night at a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary at Springside House. All ticket receipts and unsold tickets still in the hands of players must be turned in to the coaches immediately. Auxiliary officers announced that the ticket sale fell far below expectations.

Title Game Is Shifted To Deming

Babe Ruth All-Stars Of Local American, Adams Leagues Meet

The site of the Massachusetts Babe Ruth District 1A tournament championship baseball game between the Pittsfield American League All-Stars and the Adams All-Stars has been shifted from Wahconah Park to Deming Field because of the circus at Wahconah field. The game will start at 2:30 p.m.

Adams has won two games in the tourney. The north county club has good pitching and a good infield and outfield. Its weakness may be bench strength. Adams squeezed by Lee 7-6 in its second game and the Pittsfield National League All-Stars 2-0 in the first.

The American squad drew a first round bye and won easily 12-1 over Great Barrington in its only contest. The Pittsfield club is rated strong in all departments.

The winner of tomorrow's game will meet the District 1B champs, who will be determined over the weekend. Agawam, last year's district winners, which beat the Pittsfield Americans 5-4 in the title game have already been eliminated so 1B will have a new winner.

If tomorrow's game should be rained out, it will be played Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and will be moved back to Wahconah Park.

The probable starting line-ups are:

PITTSFIELD AMERICANS	ADAMS
Jim Mahan, 3b	ss, Jim Bigelow
Sam Russo, 2b	2b, Dave Feidler
Pete Rilla, cf	3b, Art Salvi
Dave Tetreault, c	p, Chet Zajac
John Kinnas, rf	1b, Joe Rogge
John Hurley, 1b, lf	cf, Ed Godek
Jack Doyle, ss	c, Tad Constant
Dick Falkenbush, 1b	rf, Mike Nimmons
Collin Garstang, p	lf, Rick Tenczar

Ruth Games Washed Out By Showers

Both Pittsfield Babe Ruth League baseball games were washed out by rain last night in the early innings before they reached legal game duration. At North Junior High Field the game was halted in the second inning with Moldmasters leading Optimists 1-0. At Deming Terminal Diner was ahead of Adams Super Markets 4-2 when the rains came in the third inning.

Tonight Union Federal will meet General Electric at Wahconah Park and GEAA will play Imperial Lanes at Deming. Both contests will start at 6.

A makeup double-header has been scheduled for Sunday at Deming Field. Ida and John's will battle General Electric at 1:30 and the Optimists and Terminal Diner will clash at 3:30. Saturday morning's contest between Imperial Lanes and IUE 255, originally slated for Wahconah Park, has been shifted to North Junior High.

Lou Orazio Wins 5th Game On 3-Hitter

Darryl Rustic Hurls 5-Hit Ball To Down IUE 255

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimists	2	0	IUE 255	3	1
Moldmaster	4	1	Terminal	2	1
Besse-Clarke	3	1	Imperial	2	1
GE	2	1	Ida & John's	1	1
Adams Mkts.	2	3	GEAA	2	3
VFW	0	5	Union Fed.	1	3

GAMES TONIGHT

At Wahconah—Terminal Diner vs. Ida John's.
At Deming—Adams Super Markets vs. Union Federal.

TOMORROW

No games.

Lou Orazio of GEAA won his fifth game of the season last night as he threw a three-hitter against General Electric in a Pittsfield Babe Ruth game at North Junior High Field. Two of the hits came in the last inning. Eddie McConnell lost his second against five victories.

Joe LaBrie had two singles and Tommy Grieve a triple for the winners.

In a second game at Deming Field Darryl Rustic pitched a strong five-hitter for Besse-Clarke as his club drubbed the IUE local 12-1. Rustic struck out 10, walked none and did not allow more than one hit in any one inning.

Jack Doyle and Pete Russo starred at the plate for the winners; Doyle had two hits and two walks. Russo slammed a two-run triple. Besse-Clarke made only six hits but capitalized on 12 walks. Jim Carlo was outstanding for IUE with a single and triple. He also scored one run.

The scores:

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
LaBrie, 1b	4	1	2	10	0	0
Choinere, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
xHamilton, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Orazio, p	3	1	0	0	3	0
Grieve, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Palmeri, ss	3	1	1	2	2	0
Southard, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Murphy, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jobson, 2b	0	0	0	1	1	0
Boyer, c	2	0	1	7	1	0
Biasioli, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	6	6	21	7	0

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Papallo, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
zGasson, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Washburn, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Wheat, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Downey, 1b	3	1	1	4	0	1
McConnell, p	3	1	1	1	3	0
Pierce, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
zzGoyette, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, ss	3	0	0	3	2	0
Charow, c	1	0	0	5	0	0
zzzO'Neil, c	2	0	1	2	1	0
Royal, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	1
	25	3	3	18	9	4

GEAA	010	122	—6
GE	010	001	1—3

x—Struck out for Choinere in 4th.
z—Flied out for Papallo in 6th.
zz—Grounded out for Pierce in 5th.
zzz—Flied out for Charow in 5th.

RBI—Palmeri 2, Boyer, Grieve, Murphy, Washburn, O'Neil. 3B—Grieve. SB—Downey 4, Royal, Orazio, Grieve, Palmeri, Southard, Jobson. SAC—Murphy, Washburn. DP—Papallo, Allen to Downey. LOB—GEAA 8, GE 3. BB—McConnell 7, Orazio 1. SO—Orazio 7, McConnell 7. W—Orazio. L—McConnell. U—Troy and Russo. T—1h, 35m.

Terminal Diner Finishes Dash, Triumphs 10-5

Team Ties IUE 255 For Second Half On 4th Win in Row

Terminal Diner won its fourth game in five days in the Babe Ruth Baseball League last night at Wahconah Park, downing VFW 10-5 to salvage a tie with IUE 255 for second-half honors in the national division. Union Federal played a 4-4 tie with Besse-Clarke, which will be replayed Sunday afternoon at Deming Field, since it may have a bearing on the American division title.

Carl Boteze won his fifth game of the year for the Diner team, striking out 11 and scattering three hits. He also led his team at the plate, driving in two with a double and a single. Paul Noetzel had two singles and John Crooks a two-run double. The game was called because of darkness after five innings.

Ron Ladd scored the tying run for Union Federal on a wild pitch in the sixth inning. Mike Rohlfs stroked a two-run homer for the Bankers in the first inning.

The box score:

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	1	3	1	0	0	0
Noetzel, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Boteze, p	4	1	2	0	1	0
Curley, 1b	2	1	1	2	0	1
Ellsworth, ss	3	1	1	1	0	0
Puntin, cf	1	1	0	1	0	0
Robertson, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	0
James, c	1	0	0	11	0	1
Mancivalano, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
	19	10	7	15	1	2

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, ss, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Mahan, 3b, ss	3	1	1	2	0	1
Rilla, p, 1b	0	2	0	1	1	1
Kelly, c	3	0	0	3	1	2
Ewing, 2b, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	0
zKellar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reilly, 1b, 2b	2	1	0	2	0	0
Bressett, cf	2	0	1	3	0	0
zMassaconi, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Towers, lf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Wood, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
zzHoeske	1	0	1	0	0	0
	19	5	3*	15	3	4

Terminal Diner	212	14—	10
VFW	200	21—	5

*—Game called, darkness.
z—Walked for Ewing in 5th.
zz—Singled for Wood in 5th.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lear, 1b	4	2	0	2	0	1
Lucaroni, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rustic, p	2	3	0	0	0	0
Doyle, ss	2	2	2	1	2	0
Kinnas, cf	4	1	0	0	0	0
A. Pero, cf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sullivan, lf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Zack, 3b	2	1	1	0	0	0
J. Pero, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Russo, 2b, c	2	1	1	3	1	0
Ali, c	2	0	1	9	0	0
Nicholson, 2b	0	0	0	1	1	0
Teal, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vanasse, rf, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	0
	24	12	6	18	4	1

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Clark, 3b, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Carlo, c	3	1	2	2	0	2
Van Jura, ss	3	0	0	2	1	2
Delmolino, lf	2	0	0	1	0	1
Spina, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Riccarini, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clerici, 1b	2	0	1	3	0	0
Brennan, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ruberto, 2b	2	0	1	3	1	0
Williams, p	1	0	0	0	1	1
Cimini, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	1
	22	1	5	15	5	8

Besse-Clarke	342	03	—12
IUE 255	000	100	— 1

RBI—Sullivan 2, Doyle, Zack 2, Rustic, Delmolino, Russo 2. 3B—Carlo, Russo. SB—Sullivan, Zack, Lear, Doyle, Carlo 2. LOB—Besse-Clarke 9, IUE 255 3. BB—Williams 8, Clark 4. SO—Williams 1, Rustic 10. HO—Williams, 4 in 2 2-3; Clark, 2 in 2 1-3. L—Williams. U—DeLeo and Riccarini. T—1h, 10m.

Optimists Top Adams 2-1 in Eight Innings

Besse-Clarke Wins From VFW by 4-0 In Other BR Game

AMERICAN STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Optimists	4	0	Gen. Electric	2	3
Besse-Clarke	5	2	Adams Super	2	5
Moldmaster	4	2	VFW 448	1	7

NATIONAL STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
IUE 255	4	3	Imperial L'n's	3	3
GEAA	4	3	Terminal Din.	2	2
Un. Federal	3	3	Ida & John's	1	2

SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

At Deming, first game, 1:30—Ida & John's vs. General Electric.
At Deming, second game, 3:30—Optimists vs. Terminal Diner.

MONDAY

At Deming—VFW 448 vs. Terminal Diner.
At Wahconah—Adams Super Markets vs. Moldmaster.

TUESDAY

At Deming—General Electric vs. Imperial Lanes.
At Wahconah—GEAA vs. Optimists.

WEDNESDAY

At Deming—IUE 255 vs. Ida & John's.
At Wahconah—Union Federal vs. Besse-Clarke.

League will suspend until Thursday, Aug. 10.

The Optimists of the American League needed eight innings last night to beat Adams Super Market of the American League 2-1 in a Babe Ruth Baseball League game played at Deming Field, but had to break up Dick Falkenbush's no-hitter to do it.

Steve Kruczkowski started Adams' troubles in the seventh with a dribbler down the third-base line. Dave Lucaroni's squeeze bunt brought him home to tie the game at the end of the regulation time.

A walk issued to Joe Woitkoski proved to be the decisive play as he stole second, took third on Collin Garstang's single and stole home after a run-down.

In the game played at Wahconah Park, Besse-Clarke defeated VFW 4-0 as Darryl Rustic won his fourth

Boteze Hurls Two-Hitter

Diner Team Scores First Four Runs Without a Hit

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	9	2	Terminal	6	4
VFW 448	8	2	GEAA	6	4
Moldmaster	7	2	Ida & John's	6	5
Besse-Clarke	6	4	Imperial	3	8
GE	4	7	Union Fed.	2	8
Adams Mkts.	3	7	IUE 255	1	8

GAMES TODAY

At North—Besse-Clarke vs. Union Federal.
At Deming—IUE 255 vs. Moldmaster.

Carl Boteze pitched a two-hitter for Terminal Diner last night in a Pittsfield Babe Ruth League game at North Junior High to give his team a 7-3 victory over General Electric. Boteze had some control trouble and walked nine.

The Diner team took advantage of wildness by GE pitchers Dave Allen and Bill Slonski, and scored its first four runs without a hit. Dave Robertson and Kevin Curley had two singles apiece for the winners.

GEAA won easily over Union Federal 11-2 in a game played at Deming Field. Lou Orazio pitched a five-hitter and fanned nine in getting the win.

Tommy Grieve paced the winners with a perfect four for four. Orazio drove in four runs and Dave Southard had a single and a double for GEAA. Bob Shade had two hits for Union Federal.

The VFW and Moldmaster clubs will meet tomorrow night at North in an important contest. A victory for VFW will tie that team with Optimist Club for first place in the first half. Moldmaster, which is deadlocked with the Optimists and VFW in the loss column with two, plays IUE tonight at Deming.

The score:

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	4	1	1	2	4	0
Masino, 3b	1	1	0	0	0	0
Sangiovanni, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Boteze, p	1	2	0	2	1	0
Curley, p	4	2	2	7	0	0
Ellsworth, c	2	1	0	9	1	1
L'Hote, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Robertson, ss	2	0	2	0	2	1
Mancivalano, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xWinslow, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fresia, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Noetzel, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
	22	7	5	21	9	2

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Papallo, 3b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Gasson, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Washburn, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Wheat, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Downey, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	0
McConnell, ss	4	0	0	3	0	0
Pierce, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Goyette, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Royal, 2b, 3b	1	0	0	0	2	0
Charow, c	2	1	0	5	0	0
O'Neil, c	0	1	0	1	1	0
Allen, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slonski, p	2	0	1	1	1	0
	23	3	2	18	5	1

Terminal	301	003 —7
GE	000	201 0—3

x—Walked for Mancivalano in 6th.

RBI—Robertson 2, Curley, L'Hote, Mancivalano, Winslow, Noetzel, Papallo, Wheat. SB—O'Neil 2, Charow. SAC—Royal, Sangiovanni, Wheat. LOB—Terminal Diner 11, GE 9. BB—Boteze 9, Allen 5, Slonski 8. SO—Boteze 10, Allen 3, Slonski 4. HO—Slonski, 5 in 5. WP—Slonski. Balk—Slonski 2. PB—Ellsworth, O'Neil. W—Boteze. L—Allen. U—Levine and Nogviera. T—1h, 55m.

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lewis, 2b	2	1	0	3	1	0
xChoinere, 2b	2	0	1	2	0	0
Grieve, ss, lf	4	2	4	2	3	1
Orazio, p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Boyer, c	4	0	0	8	0	0
LaBrie, 1b	2	1	0	6	0	1
Southard, lf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Handerek, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Creevers, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Woodson, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Biasioli, 3b	3	2	1	0	4	0
	27	11	9	21	10	2

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Walsh, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
zzzCarlo	1	0	1	0	0	0
Sangiovanni, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	2
Mowka, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Caritey, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Giardina, c	3	1	0	9	1	1
Jacoby, lf	3	0	1	0	0	1
Shade, p, ss	3	0	2	0	2	0
Nicklaw, ss	1	0	0	1	0	0
zLadd, ss, p	2	0	0	1	0	1
Doolan, 2b	2	0	1	1	2	0
Sykes, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nagle, 1b	1	1	0	3	0	0
zzHall, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0
	27	2	5	18	6	6

GEAA	100	622 —11
Union Federal	001	001 0— 2

x—Singled for Lewis in 5th.
z—Struck out for Nicklaw in 4th.
zz—Reached on out for Nagle in 5th.
zzz—Singled for Walsh in 7th.

RBI—Orazio, Lewis, Grieve, Choinere, Shade. 2B—Grieve, Southard. 3B—Orazio. SB—DeBrie, Handerek. DP—Giardina to Doolan. LOB—Union Federal 6, GEAA 8. BB—Orazio 2, Shade 4, Ladd 3. SO—Orazio 9, Shade 3, Ladd 4. HO—Shade, 8 in 4 2-3; Ladd, 1 in 1 1-3. HBP—Shade (Lewis). WP—Shade 2, Orazio. W—Orazio. L—Shade. U—Deleo and Meeandro. T—1h, 50m.

Late Rallies Give Optimists 16-9 Triumph

Winners Do Job On 11 Hits, 14 Walks In Wild Contest

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	6	1	GEAA	4	2
Moldmaster	4	1	Terminal	4	2
Optimists	5	2	Ida & John's	3	4
Besse-Clarke	3	3	Imperial	1	4
GE	2	3	IUE 255	1	4
Adams Mkts.	2	3	Union Fed.	0	5

GAMES TODAY

At North—General Electric vs. Moldmaster.
At Deming—Union Federal vs. Terminal Diner.

Optimist Club rallied for 10 runs in the last two innings to down Adams Super Markets 16-9 in a wild Babe Ruth League game last night at Deming Field. The Optimists put together 11 hits and 14 walks for their 16 runs.

Sam Russo and Ron Kinnas had two hits apiece for the winners. Russo and Joe Woitkowski had the only extra base hits of the game for Optimists, both doubles. Dick Falkenbush rapped a double and single for the losers.

The winning pitcher was Steve Kruczowski, who came on in relief of Russo in the fourth inning. He went the final four innings giving up just one hit and striking out six.

The score.

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kinnas, 1b	4	0	2	6	0	1
S. Russo, p, 2b	4	3	2	2	1	0
Garstang, 3b	2	3	1	2	1	0
Woitkowski, ss	2	3	1	0	1	1
Kruczowski, lf, p	4	2	1	1	0	0
Vacarro, c	2	2	0	10	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Spiewak, ef, lf	3	1	1	0	1	0
Carey, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
F. Murray, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Eulian, 2b	2	0	1	0	1	0
O'Laughlin, 2b, ef	3	0	1	0	0	0
	31	16	11	21	3	2

ADAMS SUPERMARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Falkenbush, ss	3	3	2	1	1	0
Boyd, cf	2	3	1	0	0	0
Donahue, 1b	3	1	1	6	0	0
Massacani, p, 3b	4	1	1	0	3	1
Chesney, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Flaherty, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carpenter, lf, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Frydel, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Luz, 3b, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
J. Russo, 2b, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Farnsworth, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Olds, c	4	1	0	13	1	0
	30	9	7	21	7	1

Optimist Club	202	206 4—16
Adams Supermarkets	205	200 0— 9

RBI—Kinnas Woitkowski 2, Kruczowski 2, Lucaroni, Spiewak 2, F. Murray 2, Eulian 2, O'Laughlin, Falkenbush, Donahue 2, Massacani 2, Carpenter, Luz, J. Russo. 2B—S. Russo, Woitkowski. SB—Falkenbush, Donahue, Frydel 2, Luz, J. Russo, Kinnas, S. Russo 4, Garstand 2, Vacarro. LOB—Optimist 9, Adams 6. BB—S. Russo 5, Massacani 14. SO—S. Russo, Kruczowski 6. Massacani 13. HO—S. Russo, 6 in 3; Massacani, 10 in 6 2-3; Kruczowski, 1 in 4; Luz, 1 in 1-3. HBP—Massacani (Lucaroni), Kruczowski (Farnsworth). WP—S. Russo, Massacani 4. PB—Olds 3, Vacarro. W—Kruczowski. L—Massacani. U—Simeno and Ricciarini. T—2h, 30m.

Optimist Club, Diner Advance In Ruth Play

Pitchers Excel As Four Teams Make Only Eight Hits

The Optimist Club moved back into a first-place tie with Besse-Clarke in the American Division, and the Terminal Diner climbed within half a game of the top of the National Division, in Babe Ruth Baseball League play last night. Only eight hits were made by the four teams.

Frank Murray of the Optimists and Johnny Hurley of Moldmaster hooked up in a pitchers' duel, but the winners capitalized on three errors, a single and a sacrifice fly for three unearned runs in the third inning, for the margin of their 4-2 victory. Moldmaster scored two unearned runs in the fourth. Dick Powers excelled for the losers with six assists at shortstop.

Terminal Diner made only two hits off three Ida & John's pitchers, but 14 walks gave them an easy 9-2 victory. Kevin Curley, the winning pitcher, had a hit and four RBI's. The game was called after 4½ innings due to darkness.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

At Wahconah—VFW vs. Terminal Diner.
At Deming—Union Federal vs. Besse-Clarke.

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Eulian, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	2	1	1	4	0	0
Garstang, 2b	2	0	0	2	1	1
Russo, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
Lucaroni, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Spiewack, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Kruczkowski, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	0	0	11	0	1
Murray, rf	1	1	0	1	0	0
	19	4	2	21	2	2

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Milan, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	1
Kellogg, 2b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Curletti, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	1
Bassi, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
Powers, ss	4	0	0	1	6	0
Patro, c	2	1	1	2	1	0
Hurley, p	3	0	1	0	3	1
Rivard, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Farry, rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Dan O'Laughlin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dave O'Laughlin, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lausier, 3b	0	0	0	2	1	1
Massacani, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	2	3	18	12	4

Optimists	003	100 x—4
Moldmaster	000	200 0—2

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	0	3	0	1	1	0
Noetzel, 1b	0	3	0	4	0	0
Boteze, ss	2	1	1	2	1	0
Curley, p	1	0	1	0	1	0
Ellsworth, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Masino, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Winslow, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Puntin, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Robertson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Bernardo, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
James, c	2	1	0	5	0	0
Mancivalano, lf	1	1	0	1	0	0
xSalvatore, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	13	9	2	15	3	0

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bell, ss	3	1	1	1	0	0
Benavitacola, 2b, p, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	1
Williams, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lyons, 1b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ladd, cf	2	0	0	2	1	0
Guarda, c, p	1	0	0	5	1	0
Martin, p, 2b, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Rilla, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Moon, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Schermerhorn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mogavero, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Klemansky, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
	14	2	1	12	2	1

X-Grounded out for Mancivilano in 4th.

Terminal Diner	234	0x—9
Ida & John's	002	00—2

Optimists Take 2nd Half In BR American League

The Optimist Club took the second half championship of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American Baseball League championship on a big 11-2 victory over Besse-Clarke last night in a play-off game at Wahconah Park. Sam Russo did the pitching for the Optimists and limited Besse's to five hits.

The Optimist team will meet Moldmaster, first-half American winner in a two-out-of-three series beginning tonight at 5:30 at Wahconah Park. The second contest wi[illegible]yed tomorrow afternoon at 2 at Deming Field. If a third game is necessary, it will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 at Deming. The winner of this series will then play Terminal Diner, the National League champ for the city crown in a two-out-of-three series.

Russo was in trouble only once last night when Besse's bunched three of its five hits in one inning to tie the score at 2-2. The Optimists broke the game open in the fifth inning as they hit loser Pete Sullivan hard and scored four times.

Rick Vaccaro led the winners' attack with two triples and a double. Len Spiewak rapped three singles and Collin Garstrang had two. Russo helped himself with a single and double.

Jack Doyle had two singles for Besse's. Sullivan had a base hit and two RBIs. Darryl Rustic pitched the last inning for the losers.

The score:

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Pleau, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Martino, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Kinnas, 1b	4	2	1	5	1	0
S. Russo, p	3	2	2	2	2	0
Spiewak, 3b	3	1	3	0	0	0
Woitkoski, 2b	4	1	1	0	1	0
Carey, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garstang, ss	4	1	2	2	1	0
Kruczkowski, lf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Eulian, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Dave Lucaroni, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Vaccaro, c	4	2	3	11	1	1
	34	11	12	21	6	2

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
P. Russo, c	3	0	0	8	2	0
Rustic, 2b, p	3	1	1	1	1	1
Doyle, ss	3	1	2	4	0	0
J. Kinnas, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Sullivan, p, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Lear, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
zAli	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zack, 3b	2	0	1	1	1	1
zzJ. Pero	1	0	0	0	0	0
Don Lucaroni, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
A. Pero, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vanasse, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	24	2	5	21	4	2

Optimists	200	041 4—11
Besse-Clarke	000	200 0— 2

z—Walked for Lear in 7th.
zz—Struck out for Zack in 7th.

Pittsfield, Holyoke Meet Tomorrow for BRL Title

The Pittsfield American All-Stars and the Holyoke American All-Stars will meet at Wahconah Park tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 for the Massachusetts Section 1 or Western Massachusetts Babe Ruth Baseball League championship.

If the game should be rained out, it would be played Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah or Clapp parks.

For the eighth time in 10 years, a Pittsfield team has won the Berkshire County title.

The winner of the Pittsfield-Holyoke contest will advance to the state tournament scheduled at Fitchburg on Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 5 and 6. Pittsfield won state titles at Fitchburg in 1955 and 1956.

The Massachusetts champion will move on to the New England regional tournament listed for Concord, N.H., on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 11, 12 and 13.

The probable lineup for the Pittsfield team: Jim Mahan, third base; Sam Russo, second base; John Kinnas, right field; Dave Tetreault, catcher; Pete Rilla, center field; Jack Doyle, shortstop; Dick Falkenbush, first base; Mike Massaconi, left field; Collin Garstang, pitcher. Reserves are Darryl Rustic, second base; Ed McConnell, third base and pitcher; Ed Hurley, first base and outfield; Dick Powers, shortstop and pitcher; Denny Kelly, catcher, and Len Spiewak, outfield.

Ray Meandro is manager of the Pittsfield team, and Harry Rustic and Tony Nugai are the coaches.

game of the year, giving up only five hits.

Losing pitcher Pete Rilla was reached for only three but nine passed balls accounted for three Besse-Clarke runs.

The scores:

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	4	0	0	2	0	0
Woitkoski, ss	1	1	0	4	0	0
Garstang, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Spiewak, 2b, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Eulian, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kruczkowski, cf, 2b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Vacarro, c	2	0	0	13	3	1
Lucaroni, p	1	0	0	0	0	1
Murray, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
O'Laughlin, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Carey, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	2	2	24	5	2

ADAMS SUPER MARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Olds, c	4	0	0	12	1	0
Carpenter, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Massaconi, ss	3	0	1	1	1	0
Falkenbush, p	3	0	1	2	2	0
Frydel, 1b	2	1	1	5	0	0
Luz, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Russo, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Boyd, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farnsworth, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Chesney, rf	1	0	0	1	0	1
Flaherty, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	1
	26	1	4	22	5	2

OPTIMISTS	000	000 11—2
ADAMS SUPER MKTS.	010	000 00—1

*Ran for Murray in fifth.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, c	3	0	0	7	0	0
Ali, c	0	0	0	4	0	1
Doyle, ss	3	2	2	0	2	0
Rustic, p	2	1	0	0	4	0
Kinnas, cf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Lear, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Zack, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
A. Pero, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanasse, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
	20	4	3	21	7	2

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Deluce, ss, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Mahan, c	2	0	1	2	0	0
Hoeske, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Rilla, p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Evans, 1b	2	0	0	7	1	0
Powers, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Bressett, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wood, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
*Reilly	1	0	1	0	0	0
Massaconi, 3b, c	3	0	0	6	0	0
	26	0	5	18	8	1

BESSE-CLARKE	000	211 x—4

*Singled for Wood in seventh.

Remaining Ruth Games Called To Expedite League Play-Offs

Babe Ruth Baseball League officials voted last night to cancel the remaining three games in the schedule, as they have no bearing on the standings of either the American or National Division. This affects games scheduled for Wahconah Park and Deming Field Friday night and Saturday morning.

However, two tie games will be made up Sunday afternoon at Deming, the American division finish. Besse-Clarke meets Union Federal at 1:30 and Imperial Lanes meets the Optimists at 3:30. Besse-Clarke and the Optimists are tied with 8-2 records.

Two playoff games are scheduled for Monday night, at a new 5:30 starting time. The Optimists and Moldmasters will play at Wahconah Park to determine the still undecided champion of the first half of the American division.

IUE 255 and Terminal Diner, having tied with 8-3 marks, will play off for the second-half championship of the National division of Deming Field. The Diner team won the first half, so they can cop the National division championship by winning Monday.

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Babe Ruth American All-Stars Edge Adams for District 1A Championship

Russo Scores Winning Run On Garstang's Squeeze Bunt

Pittsfield Team Meets Holyoke Saturday At Wahconah Park for District Crown; Hurley Pitches 3-Hitter for Local Club

A squeeze bunt by Collin Garstang with the bases loaded in the fifth inning brought Sam Russo home with the winning run as the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars nipped Adams 3-2 Saturday to take the Massachusetts District 1A championship at Deming Field. District 1A covers Berkshire County.

District Play-Off Saturday

The American leaguers will meet the Holyoke All-Stars Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah Park for the District 1 crown. Holyoke defeated Longmeadow 8-5 for the 1B pennant yesterday in Holyoke.

John Hurley stopped Adams with three hits. The tall right-hander fanned seven and walked two. Chet Zajac started for the north county club. He gave up seven hits in 3⅓ innings. Ed Godek finished up. He allowed two hits and gave up the winning run. He was charged with the loss.

Sam Russo was the heavy hitter for Pittsfield. He had three singles in four times at bat, and scored two of the three runs. Dave Tetreault and Garstang had a double and single apiece and drove across one run each.

Adams opened the scoring in the top of the first when Dave Feidler, the second man up, blasted a long homer into the Little League field. Pittsfield tied it up in its half of the inning on Russo's single and Tetreault's double.

Pittsfield Goes Ahead

The local club went ahead in the fourth on Tetreault's walk, Jack Doyle's fielder's choice, and singles by Garstang and Mike Massaconi. Massaconi's hit drove in the run.

Johnny Kinnas slapped out a base hit to load the bases. At this point, Godek took over on the mound. Hurley greeted him with what looked like a Texas League single, but third baseman Art Salvi made a great catch over the shoulder with his back to the plate. Godek got the next batter on strikes to end the inning.

Adams tied it at 2-2 in the fifth on a base on balls to Joe Rogge, a wild pitch, a throwing error and Tad Constant's bunt single. The Americans broke the deadlock in the same inning when Russo was safe on an error, Tetreault rapped a single, Doyle was hit by a pitch and Garstang laid down a good bunt on the suicide squeeze. Russo was safe on a close play at the plate.

A collection of $38 was taken up by the women of the Babe Ruth Auxiliary. Game expenses were $30.

The score:

PITTSFIELD AMERICANS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Mahan, 3b	4	0	0	0	3	0
Russo, 2b	4	2	3	2	2	0
Rilla, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Tetreault, c	3	0	2	8	1	1
Doyle, ss	2	1	0	0	0	0
Garstang, 1b	2	0	2	6	0	0
Massaconi, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Kinnas, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Hurley, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
	27	3	9	21	6	1

ADAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bigelow, ss	3	0	1	0	3	0
Feidler, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	1
Salvi, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	1
Zajac, p, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Rogge, 1b	0	1	0	5	0	0
Iacuessa, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
Godek, cf, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Constant, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Nimmons, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Tenczar, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
	23	2	3	18	10	2

PITTSFIELD	100	110 x—3
ADAMS	100	010 0—2

THE WINNING RUN for the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars was made by Sam Russo, left, with his back to the camera, on a suicide squeeze bunt by Collin Garstang in the fifth inning. Local team downed Adams 3-2. Shown in the photo, left to right, are Adams catcher Tad Constant, Umpire Lou Scaramuzzi, on deck batter Mike Massaconi, and Adams pitcher Ed Godek, who fell after fielding the bunt and making the desperate toss to Constant at the plate. Mahan

Box Scores Of Sunday BR Games

AMERICAN STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Optimists	3	0	Gen. Electric	2	2
Moldmaster	4	2	Adams Super	2	4
Besse-Clarke	3	2	VFW 448	0	4

NATIONAL STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
IUE 255	4	2	Termin'l Diner	2	2
Imper'l Lanes	3	2	Ida & John's	1	1
GEAA	3	3	Union Federal	2	3

GAMES TODAY

At Wahconah, IUE 255 vs. VFW 448.
At Deming, Ida & John's vs. Besse-Clarke.

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Clark, 3b	3	0	1	3	0	0
Carlo, c	3	1	0	9	1	0
VanJura, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Delmolino, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Spina, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Riccarini, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clerici, 1b	3	0	0	5	1	0
Ruberto, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Williams, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Farrell, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	24	2	3	21	8	1

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	0	1	1	1	0
Kellogg, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Powers, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Curletti, 1b	3	0	1	4	0	0
Tetreault, c	3	0	0	11	1	0
Massacani, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Rivard, cf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Lausier, ss	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bassi, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Farry, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
	24	0	5	21	7	1

IUE 255	002 000 0—2

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	2	1	2	2	1	0
Kozack, ss, p	3	1	1	2	2	1
Kearns, c	2	0	1	9	2	0
DeSantis, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Simonelli, 3b, ss	4	0	2	1	2	0
Sarosy, p, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Lemone, 1b	1	2	1	5	0	0
Vosburgh, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Quinlan, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dawley, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	5	7	21	8	1

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, ss, c	3	0	0	3	2	0
Rustic, 2b, ss	2	0	1	5	0	0
Doyle, p, ss	3	0	0	0	1	0
Kinnas, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Lear, 1b	3	1	1	3	0	0
Zack, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ali, c	2	0	1	4	0	0
Teal, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
A. Pero, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
J. Pero, rf, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, lf, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	2	4	18	3	0

Imperial Lanes	000 410 x—5
Besse-Clarke	000 200 0—2

*Struck out for Vosburgh in 5th.

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, lf	3	1	2	0	1	0
Kinnas, 1b	3	1	2	5	0	0
Woitkoski, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Garstang, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	2
Lucaroni, cf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Vacarro, c	4	0	1	6	1	1
Kruczkowski, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Pleau, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Carey, 2b	3	1	0	5	3	0
	30	7	8	21	7	3

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b	3	2	0	1	5	1
Washburn, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Wheat, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
xGoyette, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Downey, 1b	2	0	1	8	0	1
McConnell, p	3	0	1	1	2	0
O'Neil, c	1	0	0	4	0	0
zCharrow, c	1	0	0	3	0	0
Pierce, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Allen, ss	3	1	0	1	1	0
Royal, 2b	2	1	0	1	1	0
	26	4	5	21	9	2

Optimists	100 300 0—4
General Electric	100 300 0—4

xPopped out for Wheat in 6th.
zReached on error for O'Neil in 5th.

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Choiniere, 2b	1	1	0	2	0	0
xJobson, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
zLewis, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
LaBrie, 1b	4	0	2	4	0	0
Orazio, 3b, p	3	1	1	0	4	1
Grieve, cf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Palmeri, ss	3	1	1	3	1	1
Murphy, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Cheever, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Southard, cf	2	2	2	0	0	0
Boyer, c	2	2	2	9	2	0
Biasioli, p, 3b	3	2	1	0	2	0
	22	9	11	18	12	2

VFW 448

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hoeske, ss	2	1	1	0	0	1
Rilla, 1b, cf	2	2	1	2	0	0
Evans, p, 1b	1	0	1	0	2	1
Mahan, c	3	1	1	5	4	3
Massaconi, 3b	2	0	0	2	1	0
Powers, rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Woods, cf, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Kellar, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
	21	4	5	15	9	3

GEAA	014 31x—9
VFW 448	000 103—4

xWalked for Choiniere in 3rd.
zStruck out for Jobson in 4th.

Probable Pitchers

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati at Milwaukee (night), Jay (13-5) vs. Hendley (3-2).
Only game scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit at Los Angeles (night), Bunning (10-7) vs. Donahue (4-3).
Only game scheduled.

Old Timers Beat Legion

Game Is Benefit For Murray-Brisson Scholarship Fund

DALTON—Former Dalton players, gathering for their annual appearance for the benefit of the Brisson-Murray memorial scholarship fund, defeated the American Legion Juniors, 6-4, at Pine Grove Park yesterday afternoon.

Everett Calkins, former Dalton High pitcher, and Al Goerlach, formerly of Pittsfield High, had little trouble with the younger team. Goerlach in six innings walked one, struck out eight and gave up no hits.

Bob Podolsky, Legion pitcher, was in trouble chiefly from nine bases on balls. He allowed seven hits, the longest being a triple by Tom Murray. Murray and Marty O'Gara each had two hits for the former stars.

The score:

OLD TIMERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Rivers, 3b	5	1	1	0	1	0
R. Featherston, cf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Bowers, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
O'Keefe, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Hamilton, 1b	1	0	0	2	1	1
O'Gara, 1b, 2b	4	2	2	5	0	0
Hoxie, 2b	1	0	0	1	2	0
Fahey, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Brennan, c	3	0	0	4	1	0
Steele, c	1	0	0	8	0	1
Burke, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Goerlach, p	1	0	1	1	2	0
Murray, ss	3	1	2	0	1	0
Calkins, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
Zink, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
	31	6	7	27	8	2

LEGION

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Galliher, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	1
Skrocki, c	4	0	0	4	0	0
Bird, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Podolsky, p	3	1	1	0	2	1
Poopor, 1b	4	0	0	4	0	0
Lamont, ss	4	0	0	2	1	0
Cronnell, cf	4	0	0	3	1	0
Caulfield, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Higgins, rf, c	4	1	1	3	0	0
R. Rivers, lf	3	0	0	6	1	0
Carroll, 3b	3	1	1	3	1	0
Rose, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	31	4	3	27	7	2

OLD TIMERS	100 310 100—6
AMERICAN LEGION	003 000 001—4

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Ditmar Fails In Relief, Is the Loser

Former Pittsfield High pitcher Art Ditmar was the loser for the Kansas City Athletics in a relief role as the Detroit Tigers won 17-14 in the second game of a doubleheader yesterday afternoon at Kansas City. The Tigers also took the opener 6-4.

It was Ditmar's fifth defeat against two victories.

Ditmar was reached for three runs, all earned, and three hits in one-third of an inning.

Beavers Top Braves 8-2 in LL Contest

WEST STOCKBRIDGE — The West Stockbridge Little Baseball League Beavers defeated the Stockbridge Braves 8-2 yesterday for their 13th consecutive victory. The Beavers scored four runs in the first and fifth innings for the win.

Tom Callahan, although relieved because of Little League rules, recorded his fifth straight win.

The Beavers play Richmond today and the Interlaken Indians tomorrow.

Enos' Pupil Wins Junior Swim Race

Dennis Van Putten of the Berkshire Farm School of Canaan, N.Y., yesterday won the 50-yard breast stroke race in the Eastern New York swimming championships at Hudson, N.Y. Van Putten, a New York City boy, was coached by Eddis Enos of Pittsfield, former Pittsfield High line coach, who will become assistant football coach at Norwich University in the fall. Enos is waterfront director this summer at the Canaan school.

This marked the first time in many years a Berkshire Farm boy has won a swimming title.

Robert Repetti, Wayne Platt and Mike Gascon, all of Berkshire Farm, placed in their heats, but weren't in contention in the finals. Platt and Gascon were second in the 50 and 100-yard free style trials, and Repetti was third in the 100-yard free style.

Moldmasters, IUE-255 Win Ruth Contests

7/14

Tatro Bats in Six As GEAA Loses 13-8; Markets Edged 7-6

The Pittsfield Moldmasters defeated GEAA 13-8 at Deming Field, and IUE-255 edged Adams Super Markets 7-6 at Wahconah Park in Babe Ruth Baseball League competition last night.

Dave Tatro, the Moldmasters' big catcher, accounted for eight of his team's runs, driving in six and scoring two. Bob Rivard had a home run and two singles for the winners. Twenty-five men were left on bases, 16 by Moldmasters and 9 by GEAA.

IUE scored all its runs in the first two innings, then hung on for the win as it was shut out by Jerry Luz the rest of the way. Jim Clarke was reached for 10 hits, but good fielding helped him gain his first win.

Tonight's games: At North Jr. High: Optimists vs. VFW 448, at Deming: Ida & John's vs. General Electric. No games will be played tomorrow.

The scores:

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	3	2	1	2	1	0
Clarke, p	4	2	1	2	2	1
Carlo, c	3	1	1	3	4	0
VanJura, 3b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Clerici, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Cimini, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Roberto, ss	2	0	0	0	2	1
Spina, 2b	3	1	2	0	1	1
Riccarini, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
*Barry, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farrell, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	27	7	7	21	12	3

ADAMS SUPER MARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Olds, c	4	0	2	8	1	0
Farnsworth, 2b	3	0	1	0	1	1
Massaconi, 3b	3	1	2	0	2	0
Falkenbush, ss	2	2	1	2	1	1
Donahoe, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	1
Boyd, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Strizzi, rf	2	0	1	1	1	0
†Reed	1	0	0	0	0	0
Frydel, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Luz, p	4	1	0	0	3	0
	30	6	10	21	9	3

IUE	250	000 0—7
ADAMS	031	010 1—6

*Struck out for Williams in 5th.
†Hit into fielder's choice for Strizzi in 7th.

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	1	1	0	2	0	1
Kellogg, 2b	2	1	1	0	0	0
Powers, p	4	2	2	1	3	0
Curletti, 1b	2	1	0	1	0	0
Bassi, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
Tatro, c	4	2	3	8	1	0
Lausier, rf	1	1	0	1	0	1
*White, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rivard, cf	5	1	3	2	0	0
Hurley, ss	3	2	1	1	0	1
O'Laughlin, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Farry, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Massacani, 3b	4	2	2	0	2	0
	33	13	12	21	6	3

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
LaBrie, 1b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Hamilton, 1b	2	0	1	1	1	0
Murphy, rf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Orazio, 3b	3	3	3	4	2	0
Grieve, p, 2b, c	3	2	2	2	1	1
Southard, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Choiniere, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Palmeri, ss	4	1	2	3	0	2
Handerek, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Lewis, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Woodson, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Boyer, c	2	0	1	5	0	0
Biasioli, 2b	2	0	1	0	0	0
	35	8	13	21	4	3

MOLDMASTERS	511	101 4—13
GEAA	101	020 4— 8

*Walked for Lausier in 5th.

IUE, Imperial Win BR Games

8/2

Teams One, Two In National Loop After Victories

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimists	6	1	IUE	6	3
Besse-Clarke	6	2	Imperial	5	4
Moldmaster	6	3	Terminal	4	3
GE	3	4	GEAA	5	5
Adams Mkts.	2	6	Union Fed.	3	5
VFW	1	8	Ida & John's	1	4

SCHEDULE

Monday—Wahconah Park, Besse-Clarke vs. Adams Super Markets; Deming Field, Imperial Lanes vs. Ida & John's.

Tuesday—Wahconah Park, General Electric vs. Terminal Diner; Deming Field, Optimists vs. IUE 255.

Wednesday—Wahconah Park, Optimists vs. Moldmaster; Deming Field, Terminal Diner vs. Ida & John's.

Thursday—Wahconah Park, VFW vs. Terminal Diner; Deming Field, Union Federal vs. Besse-Clarke.

Friday—Wahconah Park, Adams Super Markets vs. Moldmaster; Deming Field, Union Federal vs. Ida & John's.

Saturday 10 a.m., Wahconah, General Electric vs. Ida & John's.

The IUE 255 entry in the Babe Ruth Baseball League held onto the National League lead by defeating Union Federal 5-2 at Deming Field last night. Second-place Imperial Lanes topped Adams Super Market 7-6 at North Junior High to hold the pace.

Jim Carlo pitched a four-hitter for IUE to collect the win. John Delmolino was three for four at the plate for the winners.

Losing hurler Mike Rohlfs struck out 14 men in six innings and had a pair of singles.

In the game at North, Bill Kozack held on to beat Adams despite his giving up seven hits. Imperial had only five hits, but capitalized on Dick Falkenbush's wildness for eight walks.

Danny DeSantis led the winners at the plate with two for four and one run scored.

This morning at 10 Ida and John's will play the Optimists at Wahconah Park and General Electric will meet Besse-Clarke at Deming. Tomorrow at Wahconah, Adams Super Market will play the Terminal Diner and VFW will meet GE. The IUE will face Ida and John's and Union Federal will play GEAA in the double-header at Deming.

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	4	1	1	2	1	0
Clark, c, 3b	2	1	0	5	0	0
Carlo, p	3	2	1	1	4	1
Clerici, rf, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Clerici, rf, lf	4	1	3	0	0	0
Ruberto, ss	2	0	0	1	1	1
Spina, c	1	0	1	2	0	0
Carmel, 2b	2	0	1	0	1	0
Brennan, 1b	2	0	0	6	1	0
Cimini, 3b, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0
	27	5	8	18	8	2

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doolan, 2b	1	1	0	1	0	1
Sykes, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sangiovanni, ss	2	0	1	0	0	0
Rohlfs, p	3	0	2	0	4	0
Giardina, c	3	0	0	14	0	1
Walsh, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Caritey, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Shade, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Jacoby, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	0
Mowka, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nagle, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	4	18	4	2

IUE 255	101	102—5
Union Federal	011	000—2

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Albano, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Smith, 2b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Kozack, p	4	0	0	1	2	0
DeSantis, c	4	1	2	7	2	2
Simonelli, ss	2	2	1	1	3	1
Selva, lf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Vosburgh, cf	1	1	0	2	1	0
Quinlan, 3b	2	1	1	0	0	0
Lemone, 1b	3	0	0	8	1	1
	26	7	5	21	13	4

ADAMS MARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Frydel, 1b, 2b, rf	4	2	2	5	0	0
Falkenbush, p	4	1	1	0	4	0
Massaconi, ss	4	1	1	0	0	1
Chesney, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Boyd, cf	1	0	0	1	1	0
Luz, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Flaherty, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0
Donahue, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	1
Olds, c	3	1	1	7	0	1
Strizzi, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Reed, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
	29	6	7	21	9	3

Imperial Lanes	030	003 1—7
Adams Markets	003	020 1—6

County Babe Ruth Playoff Will Begin This Saturday

7/5/61

Lee and North Adams Noel will meet Saturday at the Lee Athletic Field at 2:30 in the first game of the section 1A Babe Ruth Baseball Leagues tournament. Also playing Saturday will be Great Barrington and North Adams Greylock at Memorial Field in Great Barrington. The final game of the first round will be Sunday at Wahconah Park between the Pittsfield Nationals and Adams. In case of rain, all games will be played the next day.

On Saturday, July 15, the winner of the Pittsfield-Adams game will meet the winner of the Lee-North Adams Noel game at the home field of the latter. Saturday, July 15, the Pittsfield American will play the winner of the Great Barrington-North Adams Greylock game at Wahconah Park. Both games will be played at 2:30.

The championship contest Saturday, July 22, will be between the winners of the games of the 15th and 16th at the home field of the latter.

The area playoff, including teams from other counties, will be played in Berkshire County this year.

The pairings were made at a county league meeting at the Springside House here Sunday.

Ladd Hurls BR 1-Hitter

7/22

Union Federal Tops Adams 16-1; Game Called After Five

SCHEDULE
TOMORROW

Deming: GE vs. Optimists, 1:30; GEAA vs. VFW, 3:30.
Wahconah: Moldmaster vs. IUE, 1:30; Imperial vs. Besse-Clarke, 3:30.

A fourth-inning single up the middle by Tom Donahue turned a no-hitter into a one-hitter for Ron Ladd, but Union Federal crushed Adams Super Markets anyway 16-1 at Deming Field in the only Babe Ruth Baseball League game last night. The game between Terminal Diner and Ida and John's set for Wahconah Park was called because of wet grounds.

Ladd, in going the distance, struck out nine and walked four. Sharing the limelight with Ladd was shortstop Mike Rohlf. He had a triple, a double, two singles and five RBIs. Phil Jacoby, with a pair of singles, also stood out for the winners.

The game was called after five innings because of the league's 15-run maximum rule.

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sangiovanni, 2b	3	3	1	0	1	0
Doolan, 3b	1	2	0	1	0	1
Mario, 2b	1	1	0	0	0	0
Rohlfs, ss	5	2	4	0	1	2
Giardina, c	2	0	1	11	0	1
Ladd, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Caritey, lf	1	1	0	1	0	0
Mowka, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xNicklaw, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nagle, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Shade, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Jacoby, rf	3	3	2	0	0	0
	23	16	9	15	4	4

ADAMS SUPER MARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Farnsworth, lf, p, cf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Boyd, cf, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Massaconi, 3b, p, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	1
Falkenbush, ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
Donahue, 1b	2	1	1	5	0	0
Carpenter, c	1	0	0	6	1	0
Chesney, rf, p, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Russo, p	0	0	0	1	1	1
Flaherty, 2b, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Luz, 2b, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	0
	15	1	1	15	6	3

Union Federal	100	510—16
Adams Super Markets	000	1 0—1

x—Walked for Mowka in 4th.

RBI—Caritey, Jacoby 2, Sangiovanni 2, Rohlfs 5, Ladd, Giardina, Shade. 2B—Shade, Sangiovanni, Rohlfs. 3B—Rohlfs. SB—Boyd, Shade. LOB—Adams 3, Union Federal 9. BB—Russo 3, Ladd 4, Massaconi 2, Chesney 5, Farnsworth 5. SO—Ladd 3, Massaconi 3, Chesney 1. HO—Chesney, 5 in 1 1-3; Boyd, 1 in 1-3; Massaconi, 1 in 2; Farnsworth, 2 in 1-3. HBP—Chesney (Caritey), Boyd (Sangiovanni). WP—Chesney 5, Ladd, Farnsworth, Boyd. PB—Carpenter. W—Ladd. L—Russo. U—Mole and Meandro. T—2h.

Optimist Club Takes Crown In Ruth American League

The Optimist Club took the championship of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American Baseball League by downing Moldmaster 4-0 yesterday afternoon at Deming Field for its second straight play-off win. The Optimists edged the Moldmasters 4-3 Friday night. The second game was slated for Saturday, but was postponed because of wet grounds.

The Optimists will meet the Terminal Diner, National League champion, for the city crown in a three-game series starting tonight at 5:30 at Deming Field. The second game will be tomorrow night at the same place and at the same time, and the third game, if necessary, will be Thursday night, with time and place the same.

The Moldmaster batters were at the mercy of big Collin Garstang, who gave up only two singles, one by Dave Tetreault in the second inning and one by Craig Lausier in the fifth. Garstang was never in trouble. He walked only one, hit one batsman and fanned 13.

Dick Powers went all the way for Moldmaster. He gave up nine hits and six walks and struck out five. The Optimists threatened in every inning but good defensive play by the Moldmasters, especially little Cliff Nilan, kept the game scoreless until the fourth inning. The Optimists stranded a total of 11 runners.

The Optimists pushed over single runs in the fourth and fifth innings and clinched the contest with two in the sixth. A walk, an error, a single by Mike Kane, a double by Len Spiewak and a single by Garstang accounted for the scores. Kane was the only man in the game with more than one hit. He also had a two-bagger.

The score:

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, rf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	3	0	1	5	0	0
Russo, ss	4	0	1	1	0	0
Spiewak, 3b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Woitkoski, 2b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Garstang, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
Kruczkowski, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Eulian, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	4	1	1	13	0	0
	29	4	9	21	5	0

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	0	0	2	3	0
White, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Powers, p	3	0	0	0	4	1
Curletti, rf, 1b	2	0	0	2	1	0
Tetro, c	3	0	1	4	1	0
Hurley, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Bassi, 1b	1	0	0	6	0	0
zRivard	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farry, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lausier, ss	3	0	1	4	2	1
Massacani, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Dan O'Laughlin, cf	1	0	0	2	0	1
Dave O'Laughlin, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
	24	0	2	21	13	4

Optimists	000	112 0—4

z—Grounded out for Bassi in 5th.

RBI—Kane, Garstang, Lucaroni, Russo. 2B—Kane, Spiewak. SB—Lausier. SAC—Kruczkowski. DP—Nilan (unassisted). LOB—Optimists 11, Moldmaster 5. BB—Garstand 1, Powers 6. SO—Garstand 13, Powers 5. HBP—Garstang (Curletti). U—Meandro and Russo. T—2h, 5m.

Ida and John's Nips VFW; Moldmaster Blanks Besse's

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STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	1	0	Terminal	2	0
Adams Mkts.	1	0	Union Fed.	1	1
GE	1	0	Ida & John's	1	1
Moldmaster	1	1	IUE 255	0	1
Besse-Clarke	1	1	GEAA	0	1
VFW 448	0	2	Imperial	0	1

GAMES TODAY

At Wahconah Park—General Electric vs. Adams Super Markets.
At Deming—GEAA vs. IUE 255.

Roger Ladd bested Ned Evans in a battle of southpaws as Ida and John's edged VFW 3-2 last night in a Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League game at Deming Field. Ladd gave up four hits, walked one and struck out nine. The hits were three doubles and a triple.

Evans was reached for three hits. He walked four and fanned six.

Al Cook had a single and double for Ida and John's. Pete Rilla belted a double and triple for VFW and his mates, John Deluce and Joe Bresset, each had a double.

Hurley Hurls 4-Hitter

In a game at North Junior High Field Moldmaster pitcher John Hurley held Besse-Clarke to four hits as his team blanked Besse's 6-0. Hurley helped offensively with two singles.

Little Cliff Nilan was the hitting star of the contest with two singles and a double. Dave Tetreault and Gene Curletti had a single and triple apiece.

Rick Vanasse started for Besse's and was charged with the loss. He was relieved by Jim Pero in the sixth. Vanasse was hit hard, but was helped by good defensive work by his team mates. Pete Zack had a double for the losers.

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bonavitacola, 2b	3	1	0	0	2	1
J. Rilla, cf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Cook, ss	3	1	2	1	1	0
Lyons, 1b	3	1	1	9	0	1
Ladd, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Guarda, c	1	0	0	8	3	0
Klemansky, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Moon, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mogavera, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schermerhorn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	20	3	3	21	9	3

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
P. Rilla, lf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Archey, 2b	2	0	0	2	2	0
zWoods	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kellar, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
Evans, p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Mahan, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Ewing, 1b, 2b	3	0	0	5	1	1
DeLuce, ss	3	0	1	0	2	0
Reilly, rf, 1b	3	0	0	2	0	1
Bresset, lf	2	1	1	1	0	1
	26	2	4	18	9	3

Ida & John's	000	210 —3
VFW	001	010 0—2

z—Struck out for Archey in 5th.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	3	1	3	1	1	0
Miller, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, ss	3	0	1	2	1	1
Curletti, rf, 1b	4	2	2	2	0	0
Tetreault, c	3	0	2	8	1	0
Rivard, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Hurley, p	3	0	2	0	2	1
Bassi, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
White, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
O'Laughlin, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Kellogg, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massacani, 3b	3	2	1	3	3	2
	28	6	12	21	8	5

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lear, 1b	3	0	1	8	0	0
Rustic, 2b, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1
Doyle, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Russo, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Teal, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Sullivan, lf	3	0	1	0	1	0
Zack, 3b	3	0	1	4	2	0
Vanasse, p	3	0	0	0	5	0
A. Pero, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ali, c	3	0	1	4	0	0
Nicholson, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
J. Pero, rf, 2b, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	0	4	18	10	2

Moldmaster	001	111 3—6

Cook Pitches One-Hitter In Ruth Tilt

Ida and John's, Imperial Lanes Score Victories

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	6	1	Terminal	5	2
Moldmaster	5	1	GEAA	4	3
Optimist Club	5	2	Ida & John's	4	4
Besse-Clarke	3	2	Imperial	2	4
GE	2	4	IUE 255	1	5
Adams Mkts.	2	5	Union Fed.	0	6

GAMES TODAY

10 a.m. at Deming—Imperial Lanes vs. Union Federal.
1:30 at North—Terminal Diner vs. Besse-Clarke.
3:30 at North—Ida & John's vs. IUE 255.

GAMES TOMORROW

At North 1:30—Moldmaster vs. Adams Supermarkets.
At North, 3:30—Terminal Diner vs. VFW 448.
At Deming, 1:30—Besse-Clarke vs. Imperial Lanes.
At Deming, 3:30—General Electric vs. Union Federal.

Al Cook hurled a one-hit game for his third win of the season last night in a Babe Ruth League game at North Junior High Field as his Ira & John's team downed GEAA 9-3. His opposing pitcher, Lou Orazio, had the only hit off Cook, a double in the fifth inning. Orazio got the loss, his first against three victories.

Cook, John Lyons, Dick Klemansky, Jerry Guarda and Roger Ladd had two singles each for the winners.

Tom Dawley pitcher a two-hitter for Imperial Lanes in its 18-1 victory over IUE 255 at Deming Field. Imperial combined 10 hits aid 14 walks for the big triumph. The game was called after five innings.

Dan DeSantis had two doubles, a single and four RBI for the winners. Chuck Simonelli had a triple and three runs batted in. Both players scored four times. Jim Carlo had a triple for IUE.

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bonavitacola, 2b	2	0	1	1	2	0
xBates	1	0	0	0	0	0
Schermerhorn, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bell, ss	5	1	1	0	1	0
Cook, p	4	1	2	0	2	0
Ladd, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Lyons, 1b	4	1	2	6	0	0
Rilla, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Guarda, c	4	2	2	11	1	1
Moon, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Magavero, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Klemancky, 3b	4	1	2	1	1	1
	31	9	12	21	7	2

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cheever, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	1
Grive, 2b, 3b	1	0	0	2	2	1
Choinere, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Palmeri, ss	4	1	0	0	3	2
Orazio, p	3	0	1	1	6	0
LeBrie, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Southard, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Hamilton, 1b	2	0	0	7	2	0
Biasioli, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Lewis, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Handerek, lf	1	1	0	1	2	0
Boyer, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
	23	2	1	21	9	5

Ida & John's 000 233 1—9
GEAA 010 010 0—2

x—Struck out for Bonavitacola in 7th.

RBI—Cook, Lyons, Rilla, Moon, Orazio. 2B—Orazio. SB—Guarda 3, Bell, Ladd, Klemansky, LeBrie, Hamilton, Handerek. SAC—Rilla 2, Moon. DP—Guarda to Klemansky. LOB—GEAA 8, Ida & John's 10. BB—Cook 8, Orazio 6. SO—Cook 12, Orazio 5. HBP—Cook (Handerek). WP—Orazio. Balk—Orazio. PB—Guarda 2. W—Cook. L—Orazio. U—Bruni and Semeno. T—2h, 5m.

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	1	2	1	1	2	0
xAlbano, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
xxBrutnell, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Vosburgh, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, 3b	3	4	1	2	0	0
DeSantis, c, lf	4	4	3	2	1	0
Kozack, ss	2	2	1	0	3	1
Kearns, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
xxxSullivan, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sarosy, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Quinlan, c	0	0	0	2	0	0
Lemone, 1b	2	2	1	4	0	0
xxxxLacey, 1b	0	0	0	3	0	0
Dawley, p	2	2	1	1	0	0
	26	18	10	15	6	1

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Clark, lf, p, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Brennan, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
Carlo, 1b	1	0	1	3	0	0
Van Jura, ss	2	1	0	0	3	0
Spina, c, rf	2	0	1	3	0	1
Carmel, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Storie, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ruberto, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
Cimini, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Riccarini, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	2
Farrell, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, p	0	0	0	1	1	0
Clerici, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	17	1	2	15	7	3

Imperial Lanes 363 60—18
IUE 255 010 00— 1

x—Struck out for Simth in 4th.
xx—Walked for Brutnell in 4th.
xxx—Sacrifice fly for Kearns in 4th.
xxxx—Walked for Lemone in 4th.

RBI—DeSantis 4, Kearns 2, Simonelli 3, Kozack 2, Lemone 2, Carmel. 2B—DeSantis 2, Carlo. 3B—Dawley, Simonelli, Dawley, Sullivan, Kozack 2. SB—Van Jura, Simonelli, Sarosy, Carlo. SAC—Smith, Sullivan. LOB—IUE 255 1, Imperial Lanes 9. BB—Williams 5, Clark 2, Franchebois 7. SO—Williams 1, Dawley 4, Clark 1, Franchebois 1. HO—Williams, 4 in 1 1-3; Franchebois, 2 in 2; Clark, 4 in 1 2-3. WP—Clark. Balk—Williams. W—Dawley. L—Williams. U—Magi and Cianfrini. T—1h, 40m.

Rosters Listed For BR Game

Pittsfield To Meet Great Barrington In Semifinal Monday

BABE RUTH SCHEDULE
TOMORROW
TWO DOUBLE-HEADERS

At Deming Field—First game, 1:30 p.m., VFW 448 vs. Imperial Lanes; second game, 3:30 p.m., IUE 255 vs. Terminal Diner.

At North Junior—First game, 1:30 p.m., Moldmaster vs. Union Federal; second game, 3:30, Adams Super Markets vs. GEAA.

MONDAY

No league games.

All-Star game between Pittsfield Americans and Great Barrington, Wahconah Park, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY

At Deming Field—Imperial Lanes vs. Moldmaster.

At North Junior—VFW 448 vs. Adams Super Markets.

WEDNESDAY

At Deming Field—Union Federal vs. Ida & John's.

At Wahconah Park—Optimists vs. Terminal Diner.

THURSDAY

At Deming Field—Besse-Clarke vs. IUE 255.

At North Junior—GEAA vs. General Electric.

FRIDAY

At Deming Field—Adams Super Markets vs. Union Federal.

At Wahconah Park—Terminal Diner vs. Ida & John's.

The Pittsfield American League All-stars of the Babe Ruth Baseball League will play the Great Barrington all-stars Monday night at 6 at Wahconah Park in the second round of the Massachusetts District One A playoff. Pittsfield had a first-round bye and Great Barrington won on a forefeit from North Adams.

The winner will be the home team next Saturday against the winner of the Adams-Lee game, set for this afternoon at 2:30 at Lee. July 22nd's game will be for the District one title. The district One A. winner will be the home team against the winners of District One B.

The lineups:

PITTSFIELD	GT. BARRINGTON
Mike Massaconi	Dave Benham
Sam Russo	Ed Harris
Johnny Kinnas	Gregory Kenyon
Jack Doyle	Dave Hammer
Dick Falkenbush	Dick Bertoli
Jim Mahan	Don Gulick
John Hurley	Ed Scarboro
Dave Tetreault	Pete Kinne
Len Spiewak	Frank Dellea
Darryl Rustic	Dick Coons
Pete Rilla	Tom Shultis
Ed McConnell	Mike Donovan
Denny Kelly	Ed McCormick
Collin Garstang	Paul Olinski
Dick Powers	Jim McGarry
Mgr., Ray Meandro	Mgr., Sid Shultis
Coaches, Harry Rustic, Tony Nugai	Coaches, Chas. Benham, Louis Sinico.

Optimist Club Defeats VFW

Garstang Pitches 2-Hitter for 3rd Win of Season

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimists	2	0	IUE 255	2	1
GE	2	0	Terminal	2	1
Besse-Clarke	2	1	Imperial	1	1
Moldmaster	2	1	Ida & John's	1	1
Adams Mkts.	1	2	Union Fed.	1	2
VFW 448	0	3	GEAA	0	3

GAMES TOMORROW

At North Junior High—1:30, Moldmaster vs. Union Federal; 3:30, Adams Super Markets vs. GEAA.

At Deming—1:30, VFW vs. Imperial Lanes; 3:30, IUE vs. Terminal Diner.

Collin Garstang pitched a two-hit victory last night at North Junior High Field as the Optimist Club defeated VFW 6-2 in a Babe Ruth League game. It was Garstang's third win. The contest between Ida and John's and General Electric at Deming Field was postponed because of wet grounds.

A single by Denny Kelly and a walk in the second inning was the only trouble Garstang had until the seventh. In the seventh Ned Evans singled, and Garstang walked three men in a row for one run. An error let in the second VFW run.

The Optimists took advantage of Dave Reilly's wildness in the first two innings, when the VFW starter walked five batters. Sam Russo drove in two runs with a single. Russo got another single in the fourth. Joe Woitkoski had a single and double for the winners.

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
xMurray	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eulian, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
Russo, 2b, c	3	1	2	2	1	0
Spiewak, 3b	3	0	1	2	0	1
Garstang, p	3	0	0	0	5	0
Woitkoski, ss	1	1	1	0	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Kruczkowski, rf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	1	1	7	0	0
O'Laughlin, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carey, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	24	6	7	21	6	1

VFW 448

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Mahan, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Evans, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Kelly, c	3	0	1	6	0	1
DeLuce, ss	2	1	0	1	4	0
Bressett, cf	2	1	0	1	0	1
Powers, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Woods, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Reilly, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Massaconi, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
	24	2	2	18	12	2

Optimists 121 020 —6
VFW 000 000 2—2

x—Grounded out for Kane in 5th.

RBI—Russo 2, Woitkoski, Vaccaro, Massaconi. 2B—Woitkoski. LOB—VFW 5, Optimists 7. BB—Garstang 4, Reilly 7. SO—Garstang 8, Reilly 5. HO—Reilly, 7 in 5; Massaconi, 0 in 1. WP—Garstang, Reilly. L—Dave Reilly. U—Nestasia and Brinde. T—2h, 5m.

District BRL Director Appeals for Fan Support

Disclosing that three tournament games in which two Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League teams have competed have been financial failures, district director James J. Frank today appealed for support of the Pittsfield Americans-Holyoke Americans contest Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah Park. This game will be for the Western Massachusetts title, and the winner will go to the state finals at Fitchburg the following weekend.

Frank said tournament play to date has been operated at a loss of $26.65.

His statement in full:

"Officials and coaches of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League have often been asked this question: At the end of the season, why don't you hire some buses and take the players to Boston to see the Red Sox play and on the way home, stop and buy them a nice feed? Well the answer is — we do not have the money. We have been engaged in tournament play for the last three weeks and we hoped to make a little money to help defray expenses should our team advance to state and regional play. Here is the line score thus far:

Pittsfield Nationals vs. Adams, July 9 Loss $4.80
Pittsfield Americans vs. Gt. Barrington, July 19 Loss $24.85
Pittsfield Americans vs. Adams, July 22 Profit $3.00

"Simple arithmetic shows we lost $26.65 on three games.

"On Saturday the Pittsfield Americans will play the Holyoke Americans for the area championship at Wahconah Park at 2:30. The winner will go to the state finals at Fitchburg, Mass. We hope that there will be at least 500 people at this game. In fact, the stands should be full. There is plenty of free parking space and the admission price is 50 cents. So come on out to the park and enjoy a pleasant afternoon and show the boys that you are behind this program."

Zajac Stars for Adams In BR Tourney Triumph

The pitching and hitting of Chet Zajac featured the 2-0 victory of the Adams Babe Ruth League All-Stars over the Pittsfield National League club in the Massachusetts Section 1A tournament opener at Wahconah Park. The loss eliminates the Pittsfield team.

Throws Two-Hitter

Zajac allowed only two hits, an infield single by Carl Boteze in the first inning and Kevin Curley's base hit to right in the second. Zajac walked two men in the third and then retired nine straight until he walk Dan DeSantis in the sixth. The Adams hurler then set down the last five Pittsfield hitters.

Zajac drove in both of his team's runs with a single to right in the third. Three singles and three walks in the inning did the damage as far as the local club was concerned. One of the singles was an ordinary ground ball that took a weird hop over second baseman Charlie Simonelli's head.

Ronny Ladd started for Pittsfield and was charged with the loss. Allan Cook finished up and allowed only one more hit, Zajac's second safety.

Adams Plays Well

Zajac received fine support, especially from third baseman Art Salvi, who made a couple of fine stops that robbed the home team of hits.

Cook deserved an efficiency prize in the seventh inning when he retired the side on three pitches. The three Adams hitters hit the first ball each time and were put out.

Gate receipts were $57, $3 less than expenses.

The tournament will resume Saturday with two games. Great Barrington will meet the Pittsfield American League All-Stars at Wahconah Park at 2:30 and the Adams team will play the Lee All-Stars at the Lee Athletic Field.

The score:

ADAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bigelow, ss	4	0	0	2	1	0
Feidler, 2b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Salvi, 3b	3	0	0	2	4	0
Zajac, p	3	0	2	0	1	0
Rogge, 1b	2	0	1	7	0	0
Godek, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Constant, c	3	0	0	7	0	0
Nimmons, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Tenczar, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0
	26	2	6	21	6	0

PITTSFIELD NATIONALS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Simonelli, 2b	2	0	0	3	2	0
Carlo, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Boteze, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0
DeSantis, c	2	0	0	4	2	0
Curley, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Rohlfs, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Rog. Ladd, cf	2	0	0	4	0	0
Sarosy, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	1
zEllsworth	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ron. Ladd, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Cook, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
	23	0	2	21	7	1

Adams 002 000 0—2

z—Grounded out for Sarosy in 7th.

Play Resumes In Tourney Game Tonight

Babe Ruth Contest At Clapp Park Starts in 2nd Inning

The Babe Ruth District 1A tournament baseball game between the Pittsfield American League All-Stars and the Great Barrington All-Stars will resume tonight at 6 at Clapp Park in the last of the second inning, the point at which rain halted the contest Monday night. The game was transferred from Wahconah to Clapp before game time Monday, because the West Housatonic Street facilities were in better shape after the weekend rain and afternoon showers.

When the game resumes, the Pittsfield club will be at bat with Jack Doyle on first and no one out. Doyle had reached on an infield hit just before the heavy shower started. Jim McGarry is pitching for Great Barrington.

Both teams threatened in the first inning. Great Barrington had men on first and second with two outs, but the runner on second was nipped at the plate attempting to steal when the catcher's throw back to the mound went into centerfield.

Pittsfield had men on first and second with none out. A strikeout, a fly to deep center and a putout at third on the runner's attempt to advance after the catch stopped the Pittsfield threat. The Southern Berkshire team went down in order in the second.

The batting orders when play resumes will be:

Mahan, 3b	2b, Kinne
Russo, 2b	rf, McCormick
Rilla, cf	3b, Shultis
Tetreault, c	cf, Coons
Doyle, ss	lf, Donovan
Hurley, 1b	ss, Gulick
Garstang, rf	1b, Harris
Kinnas, rf	c, Olinski
Massaconi, p	p, McGarry

Ruth League Resumes Play Tomorrow

After a week's lay-off, made necessary by Pittsfield's advance to the finals in the state tournament at Fitchburg over the weekend, the Babe Ruth League will resume its regular season schedule with a game tomorrow night at Wahconah Park.

Aug.
9 At Wahconah, Optimists vs. Besse-Clarke.
10 At North Junior, Moldmaster vs. VFW 448.
At Deming, Terminal Diner vs. GEAA.
11 At North Junior, Adams Super Markets vs. Imperial Lanes.
11 At Deming, Union Federal vs. IUE 255.
12 10 a.m., Wahconah, Ida & John's vs. Optimists.
10 a.m., Deming, General Electric vs. Besse-Clarke.
13 Wahconah Park, 1:30 p.m., Adams Markets vs. Terminal Diner; 3:30 p.m., VFW 448 vs. General Electric.
13 Deming Field, 1:30 p.m., IUE vs. Ida & John's; 3:30, Union Federal vs. GEAA.

Grandstand

BR Tourney Has Opener Tomorrow

National All-Stars Meet Adams at 2:30 At Wahconah Park

The Massachusetts Babe Ruth Section 1A tournament will open tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah Park with the Pittsfield National League All-Stars playing the Adams All-Stars. In the event of rain tomorrow the contest will be played Monday night at 6 at Deming Field.

The winner of the game will play Lee All-Stars on the Lee Athletic Field Saturday, July 15. The Pittsfield American League All-Stars drew a first-round bye and will play its first tourney game July 15 at 2:30 at Wahconah Park against the Great Barrington All-Stars. Both North Adams teams were dropped from tournament play for failure to submit birth certificates.

The National team roster with batting averages is:

	Pct.
Jim Carlo, p, of	.524
Al Cook, p, of	.457
Carl Boteze, p, lf	.429
Kevin Curley, 1b	.405
Dan DeSantis, c	.400
Lou Orazio, p, lf	.353
Mike Rohlfs, p, of	.333
Charles Simonelli, lf	.303
Roger Ladd, p, of	.286
Pete Ellsworth, p, c	.273
Ray Bell, lf	.256
Joe LaBrie, p, of	.243
Ronald Ladd, p, of	.231
Sam Sarosy, p, 1b	.222
John Crooks, 2b	.200

Early Rally Gives Victory To Optimists

7/10/61

Terminal Diner In Easy Triumph Over Imperial Lanes

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
GE	1	0	Terminal	2	0
Adams Mkts.	1	0	Union Fed.	1	1
Besse-Clarke	1	0	IUE 255	0	1
Optimists	1	0	Imperial	0	1
VFW 448	0	1	GEAA	0	1
Moldmaster	0	1	Ida & John's	0	1

GAMES TODAY

At North Junior High—Moldmaster vs. Besse-Clarke.
At Deming Field—Ida & John's vs. VFW 448.

The Optimist Club scored five times in the first inning and coasted to a 9-3 win over Union Federal Saturday morning in a Babe Ruth League game at Deming Field. Sam Russo pitched a three-hitter for the Optimists. Control was his problem as he walked 10.

Collin Garstang led the winning attack with two singles and a double. Don Lucaroni and Russo belted two singles apiece. Bob Shade pitched well in relief for Union Federal. He had a double for the bank team's only extra-base hit.

In a Saturday morning game at Wahconah Park, Terminal Diner took an easy 14-5 victory over Imperial Lanes. Pete Ellsworth scattered six hits to get his first triumph of the season. Heavy hitters for the Diner were Kevin Curley and Bill Puntin with two singles and a double apiece, and Dave Robertson and Paul Noetzel with a double each. Carl Boteze walked five times.

Tom Dawley and Chuck Simonelli pitched for Imperial. Danny DeSantis had a double and single for the losers.

The scores:

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
xxxMartino	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pleau, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	5	1	0	10	0	0
Russo, p	3	2	2	0	2	1
Spiewak, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Woitkoski, ss	2	2	0	0	0	0
Garstang, 3b	4	2	3	2	4	1
Lucaroni, cf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	0	0	5	1	0
Eulian, 2b	1	0	0	1	3	0
xMurray	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Laughlin, 2b	0	0	0	0	2	0
xxCarey	1	0	0	0	0	0
	29	9	8	21	12	3

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sangiovanni, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1
zzDoolan, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Walsh, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Rohlfs, ss	3	2	1	2	3	0
Giardina, c	3	0	0	10	3	1
Ladd, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	1
Jacoby, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Sykes, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mowka, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zCaritey, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nagle, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
zzzCarlo	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nicklaw, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shade, p	3	1	1	1	1	0
	27	3	3	21	9	4

Optimists 501 012 0—9
Union Federal 001 002 0—3

x—Walker for Eulian in 5th.
xx—Struck out for O'Laughlin in 7th.
xxx—Struck out for Kane in 7th.
z—Reached on error for Mowka in 5th.
zz—Grounded out for Sangiovanni in 6th.
zzz—Struck out for Nagle in 7th.

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	4	2	0	3	1	0
Winslow, 2b, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Noetzel, rf	2	3	1	1	1	0
Boteze, ss	0	3	0	1	2	0
Curley, 1b	5	2	2	7	0	0
Ellsworth, p	4	1	0	0	2	1
Sangiovanni, c	4	1	1	6	0	0
Puntin, cf	5	0	3	1	0	0
Robertson, 3b	3	1	1	0	3	1
xBernardo, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mancivalano, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Fresia, lf	0	0	0	2	0	0
xxSalvatore	1	0	0	0	0	0
	31	14	10	21	9	2

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b, ss	1	1	1	2	0	0
Quinlan, ss	3	0	0	0	0	2
Albano, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kearns, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
DeSantis, c	4	1	2	9	0	0
Simonelli, 3b, p	3	0	1	0	4	0
Dawley, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Brutnell, cf	2	1	1	1	1	1
Sarosy, cf, 3b	3	1	1	2	1	0
Lacy, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Vosburgh, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lemone, 1b	2	1	0	5	0	0
	28	5	6	21	6	3

Terminal 040 520 3—14
Imperial 100 200 2— 5

x—Struck out for Robertson in 7th.
xx—Struck out for Fresia in 7th.

RBI—Curley 4, Puntin 3, Robertson, Mancivalano, Noetzel, DeSantis. 2B—Robertson, Noetzel, Curley, Puntin, DeSantis. SB—Brutnelli, Sarosy, Boteze. LOB—Termin[illegible] 10, Imperial Lanes 9. BB—Ellsworth [illegible]ey 8, Simonelli 6. SO—Ellsworth 5, Dawley 3, Simonelli 5. WP—Ells[illegible]lis, Sangiovanni. W—Pete Ellsworth 1. Tom Dawley. U—Mole and Strizzi. T—2h, 10m.

Mahan's Hit Gives VFW 8-7 BR Win

JUN 10 1961

Victor Takes 2nd Of Year Over GEAA; Rilla Is 2 for 3

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	5	1	GEAA	4	1
Optimist Club	4	1	Term. Diner	3	2
Moldmaster	3	1	Ida & John's	3	3
Besse-Clarke	2	2	IUE 255	1	3
Gen. Elec.	2	3	Imp. Lanes	0	4
Adams Sup.	2	3	Union Fed.	0	5

In the only Babe Ruth Baseball League game last night, the VFW came from behind to topple GEAA 8-7 at the North Junior High field.

Jim Mahan drove in the winning run with his second hit, a sharp single. Pete Rilla also stood out for the winners with two hits in three times at bat and two runs.

Paul Procopio, with a single and a double, Tommy Grieve, with a single and a triple, and Dave Southard, with a double and two singles, paced the losers at bat.

Bill Victor was the winning pitcher.

The game scheduled for Deming Field between Besse Clarke and Imperial Lanes was postponed because of wet grounds.

This morning at 10, Terminal Diner will play Besse-Clarke at North Junior High, and the Imperial Lanes will face Union-Federal at Deming.

Tomorrow there will be a double header at North. The VFW will play IUE 255 in the first game at 1:30, and Besse-Clarke will face Ida and John's at 3:30.

The score:

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
DeLuce, ss	2	2	0	2	0	2
Mahan, 3b	4	2	2	0	4	0
Evans, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Kelly, c	2	1	1	7	1	0
Rilla, cf	3	2	2	2	0	0
Ewing, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Powers, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
x-Bressett, lf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Reilly, rf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Victor, p	2	1	0	0	2	0
	25	8	7	21	9	2

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Grieve, cf, 2b	4	1	2	1	0	1
Orazio, 3b	3	2	1	0	1	0
Hamilton, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Procopio, 2b, p	3	3	2	0	3	1
Palmeri, ss	4	0	0	1	0	0
Southard, rf	4	0	3	0	0	0
LeBrie, p, cf	2	1	1	0	2	0
Boyer, c	4	0	0	10	1	2
Henderck, lf	4	0	2	1	1	1
	31	7	11	18*	8	5

x-Ran for Powers in 4th.
*No one out when winning run scored.

VFW 022 120 1—8
GEAA 302 000 2—7

RBI—Southard 3, Palmeri, LeBrie, Kelly 2, Evans, Powers, Mahan. 2B—Orazio, Procopio, Southard, Rilla. 3B—Grieve, Rilla, Bressett. SB—Bressett, DeLuce, LeBrie, Sac.—Hamilton. LOB—VFW 3, GEAA 8. BB—LeBrie 1, Victor 4, Procopio 3. SO—LeBrie 4, Victor 6, Procopio 4. HO—LeBrie 1 in 2, Procopio 6 in 5. Wild Pitch—Victor. PB—Kelly. LP—Procopio. U—Strizzi and Lemeno. T—2h.

Wakefield Tourney Foe For Locals

Pittsfield Slated For Opening Game In BRL Event

Wakefield will be Pittsfield's opponent in the opening game of the Massachusetts Babe Ruth Baseball League championship tournament Saturday afternoon at 1:30 at Fitchburg. Four area champions are entered in the single elimination event.

In the second contest, the Quincy Nationals will go against the Lou Gehrig League of Worcester.

The winners will meet in the championship game as the second part of a doubleheader Sunday afternoon. The losers will be paired in the consolation round contest that will start at 1:30.

The American League All-Stars represent Pittsifeld. They beat Holyoke for the Western Massachusetts championship here last Saturday.

Games will be played at the Billie Goundie Memorial Field in Parkhill Park. The players will shower and dress at Crocker Fied.

Moldmasters Nip Optimists

6/13/61

Terminal Team Tops Super Markets 13-1 In Babe Ruth Loop

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	6	1	GEAA	4	1
Moldmaster	4	1	Terminal	4	2
Optimist Club	4	2	Ida & John's	3	4
Besse-Clarke	3	2	IUE 255	1	4
GE	2	3	Imperial	0	4
Adams Mkets	2	4	Union Fed.	0	5

GAMES TODAY

At North—General Electric vs. Union Federal.
At Deming—Imperial Lanes vs. GEAA.

Moldmasters' right-handed pitcher John Hurley bested Optimists' right-hander Collin Garstang 3-1 last night in an American division Babe Ruth League game at North Junior High Field. Hurley's teammates kept him working with seven errors in the first four innings.

Garstang allowed only one hit up until the fifth inning. A hit batsman, and singles by Hurley and Cliff Nilan tied the score at 1-1. Moldmasters went ahead in the sixth on two singles and two walks and Bob Rivard's theft of home. Hurley fanned 8 and Garstang 13. Joe Woitkoski had two singles for the losers.

Terminal Diner, behind the four-hit pitching of Carl Boteze and Pete Ellsworth, got away to a four run-lead in the first inning and rolled to a 13-1 victory over Adams Super Markets at Deming Field. Boteze and Ellsworth teamed up to fan 16.

Kevin Curley, Mike Sangiovanni, Ellsworth and Boteze had two hits apiece. Boteze's double and Ellsworth's triple were the only extra-base hits of the game.

Adams catcher John Reed was struck in the ear by a ball that bounced off the plate and was taken to St. Luke's Hospital where four stitches were taken in a laceration in the inner part of the ear. He was released and is taking his exams at St. Joseph's High today.

The scores:

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	0	1	0	2	0
Powers, ss	2	0	0	1	1	1
Curletti, 1b	2	1	1	5	2	3
Tetreault, c	3	0	0	9	0	1
Rivard, cf	3	1	1	2	1	1
Lausier, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	1
White, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xBassi	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxKellogg, rf	0	1	0	1	0	0
Hurley, p	2	0	1	2	3	0
O'Laughlin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxxMassacani, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	21	3	5	21	11	7

OPTIMIST

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Woitkoski, ss	3	1	2	0	0	0
Russo, 3b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	4	0	1	3	1	0
Garstang, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Eulian, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
zCarey	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kruczkowski, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Murray, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	0	0	13	1	0
Lucaroni, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	27	1	4	18	4	0

Moldmaster 000 012 1—3
Optimists 100 000 0—1

x—Hit by pitch for White in 5th.
xx—Ran for Bassi in 5th.

Babe Ruth League Has 10-Game Slate Next Week

7/8/61

The Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League has 10 league games on its slate next week. Five are scheduled for Deming Field, three for Wahconah Park and two for North Junior High Field.

The schedule is as follows:

Monday	At Deming, Ida & John's vs. VFW. At North, Moldmaster vs. Besse-Clarke.
Tuesday	At Deming, GEAA vs. IUE 255. At Wahconah, General Electric vs. Adams Super Markets.
Wednesday	At Deming, Besse-Clarke vs. Terminal Diner. At Wahconah, Union Federal vs. Imperial Lanes.
Thursday	At Deming, GEAA vs. Moldmaster.
Friday	At Deming, Ida & John's vs. General Electric. At North, Optimists vs. VFW.

Super Markets Give VFW 5th 2nd Half Loss

7/14/61

Moldmaster Downs Imperial Lanes 5-1 In Game at Deming

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	2	0	IUE 255	3	1
GE	2	0	Imperial	2	2
Moldmaster	4	1	Terminal	2	2
Besse-Clarke	2	1	Ida & John's	1	1
Adams Mkts.	2	3	GEAA	1	3
VFW 448	0	5	Union Fed.	1	3

GAMES TODAY

At Clapp Park, 6 p.m.: Tournament game between Pittsfield Americans and Great Barrington.

GAMES TOMORROW

At North Junior High: GEAA vs. General Electric.
At Deming: Besse-Clarke vs. IUE 255.

Adams Super Markets gave VFW its fifth straight loss of the second half last night at North Junior High Field by a 5-4 score in a rain-shortened Babe Ruth League game. Super Markets pitcher Jerry Luz took his first victory of the season. He also rapped out a two-bagger. Dick Falkenbush had three singles for the winners.

Losing pitcher Mitch Massaconi kept himself in trouble throughout because of wildness. He walked 10. Joe Powers had two singles for VFW and Jim Mahan drove in two runs with a single.

The Pittsfield Moldmasters scored five times in the first inning and went on to down Imperial Lanes. Losing pitcher Bill Kozack gave up only two-hits, both in the first inning, but combined with three walks, they produced the five scores.

Winning pitcher Dick Powers scattered six hits effectively. Chuck Simonelli and Dave Kearns had two hits apiece for Imperial. Dave Tatro and Craig Lausier made the safeties for the Moldmasters.

The scores:

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	1	0	1	2	1
Powers, p	2	1	0	2	2	1
Curletti, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
Bassi, 1b	0	0	0	3	0	0
Tatro, c	3	1	1	4	1	0
Hurley, ss	4	0	0	5	2	1
Rivard, cf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Lausier, 3b	3	1	1	0	3	0
Farry, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
White, rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Massacani, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
xKellogg, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	5	2	21	11	4

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	3	0	0	3	2	0
Kozack, p	4	1	1	0	4	0
Kearns, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
DeSantis, c	4	0	0	8	1	2
Simonelli, ss	4	0	2	1	1	0
Lemone, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
zSelva, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Sarosy, lf, 1b	3	0	1	1	0	0
Dawley, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Quinlan, rf	1	0	0	3	1	0
Vosburgh, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Albano, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	30	1	6	21	9	2

Moldmasters 500 000 0—5
Imperial Lanes 000 010 0—1

x—Struck out for Massacani in 6th.
z—Walked for Lemone in 4th.

ADAMS MARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boyd, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Reed, rf	1	2	1	0	0	0
Frydel, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Mike Massaconi, 3b	3	1	0	2	1	0
Falkenbush, ss	4	1	3	4	0	1
Donahue, 1b	2	0	0	8	1	0
Olds, c	2	0	1	1	0	0
Carpenter, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Luz, p	1	1	1	0	2	0
Carnevale, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
Flaherty, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
	21	5	6	18	7	1

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, 2b	1	2	1	4	1	0
Hoeske, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Evans, 1b	3	0	0	5	1	0
Rilla, cf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Kelly, c	3	0	1	5	2	1
Mahan, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
DeLuce, ss	2	0	0	0	2	0
Bressett, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Reilly, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Powers, rf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Mitch Massaconi, p	0	1	0	0	1	0
	18	4	6	18	9	1

Adams 102 200—5
VFW 103 000—4

RBI—Mahan 2, Rilla, Reed, Falkenbush, Olds. 2B—Luz. SB—Reed, Mike Massaconi, Powers, Mitch Massaconi. DP—Mike Massaconi and Carnevale, Mahan and Kelly. LOB—VFW 3, Adams Markets 7. BB—Mitch Massaconi 10, Luz 6. SO—Mitch Massaconi 4, Luz 1. Balk—Luz. U—Powers and Mole. T—1h, 25m.

Imperial Team, Optimists Play 0-0 Tie

7/6/61

Noetzel Pitches Three-Hit Triumph For Terminal Diner

GAMES TODAY

At Wahconah—Adams Super Markets vs Ida & John's.
At Deming—VFW 448 vs. Union Federal.

Imperial Lanes and Optimist Club battled to a 0-0 tie in eight innings last night in a Babe Ruth League game at North Junior High Field. Good defensive play by both sides prevented any scores. Imperial Lanes had three double plays and the Optimists one.

Bill Kozack went all the way for the Imperial club. His mates left 13 runners on the bases. Charlie Simonelli was the offensive star of the contest with a triple and three singles.

Frank Murray started for the Optimists and, though in a lot of trouble, managed to get the strike-out when he needed it. Murray had to be relieved in the seventh when an Optimist coach forgot a league rule and went to the mound a second time. Collin Garstang came on to finish strong.

In the other contest at Deming Field Paul Noetzel pitched Terminal Diner to a 4-2 win over the Moldmasters on a three-hitter. He struck out eight and walked three. Both runs off him were unearned.

Losing pitcher John Hurley gave up only four hits. Mickey Sangiovanni led the Diner attack with a single and triple and two RBIs. Hurley had two of the three hits off Noetzel.

The scores:

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	5	0	1	1	0	0
Kozack, p	4	0	0	3	4	0
Simonelli, 3b	4	0	4	3	0	1
DeSantis, c	2	0	1	6	1	0
Brutnell, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, lf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Kearns, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Vosburgh, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sarosy, cf	3	0	2	1	0	0
Lemone, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
xLacy, 1b	1	0	1	2	1	0
Quinlan, ss	4	0	0	3	2	0
	30	0	9	24	8	1

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kinnas, 1b	4	0	1	5	0	0
Russo, 2b, 3b	4	0	0	2	0	0
Woitkoski, ss	4	0	0	3	3	0
Garstang, 3b, p	2	0	1	1	0	0
Spiewak, rf	2	0	1	1	1	0
Lucaroni, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	0	0	9	0	1
Kane, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Murphy, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
O'Laughlin, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
	26	0	5	24	6	1

x—Sacrificed for Lemone in 6th.

3B—Simonelli. SB—Simonelli, Garstang, Spiewak, Murray. SAC—Sarosy, Lacy, Lucaroni. DP—DeSantis to Simonelli, Kozack to Simonelli, Lacy to Kozack, Spiewak to Kinnas. LOB—Imperial Lanes 13, Optimists 6. BB—Kozack 3, Murray 4, Garstang 6. SO—Kozack 6, Murray 8, Garstang 1. HO—Murray, 8 in 6 1-3; Garstang, 1 in 1 2-3. U—Pellerin and DeLeo. T—1h, 55m.

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	1
Noetzel, p	3	0	1	1	0	1
Boteze, ss	2	1	0	2	0	0
Curley, 1b	3	1	0	6	2	1
Sangiovanni, c	4	1	2	6	4	0
Puntin, cf	3	1	0	3	1	0
Robertson, 3b	3	0	1	0	3	3
L'Hote, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Mancivalano, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	4	4	21	12	6

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kellogg, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nilan, 2b	0	0	0	2	2	0
Powers, ss	2	1	0	3	3	1
Bassi, 1b	2	0	0	2	0	1
Curletti, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
Tatro, c	3	0	1	3	2	0
Lausier, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	1
Rivard, cf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Hurley, p	3	0	2	0	2	0
O'Laughlin, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
zMiller	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farry, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
zzMassacani	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	3	18	9	3

Terminal Diner 202 000 —4
Moldmasters 110 000 0—2

z—Struck out for O'Laughlin in 7th.
zz—Grounded out for Farry in 7th.

RBI—Tatro, Sangiovanni 2, Robertson, Farry. 3B—Sangiovanni. SAC—Farry, Powers. DP—Nilan to Lausier. LOB—Moldmasters 4, Terminal Diner 10. BB—Hurley 9, Noetzel 3. SO—Hurley 3, Noetzel 8. WP—Hurley, Noetzel. U—Mole and Strizzi. T—1h, 50m.

District BRL Director Appeals for Fan Support

7/27

Disclosing that three tournament games in which two Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League teams have competed have been financial failures, district director James J. Frank today appealed for support of the Pittsfield Americans-Holyoke Americans contest Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah Park. This game will be for the Western Massachusetts title, and the winner will go to the state finals at Fitchburg the following weekend.

Frank said tournament play to date has been operated at a loss of $26.65.

His statement in full:

"Officials and coaches of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League have often been asked this question: At the end of the season, why don't you hire some buses and take the players to Boston to see the Red Sox play and on the way home, stop and buy them a nice feed? Well the answer is — we do not have the money. We have been engaged in tournament play for the last three weeks and we hoped to make a little money to help defray expenses should our team advance to state and regional play. Here is the line score thus far:

Pittsfield Nationals vs. Adams, July 9 — Loss $4.80
Pittsfield Americans vs. Gt. Barrington, July 19 — Loss $24.85
Pittsfield Americans vs. Adams, July 22 — Profit $3.00

"Simple arithmetic shows we lost $26.65 on three games.

"On Saturday the Pittsfield Americans will play the Holyoke Americans for the area championship at Wahconah Park at 2:30. The winner will go to the state finals at Fitchburg, Mass. We hope that there will be at least 500 people at this game. In fact, the stands should be full. There is plenty of free parking space and the admission price is 50 cents. So come on out to the park and enjoy a pleasant afternoon and show the boys that you are behind this program."

American All-Stars Hope To Emulate Predecessors

8/3/61

The Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars and their fans are hoping the team can follow the example set by their two Pittsfield predecessors, which participated in state tournaments in Fitchburg, when the local team clashes with three other district champions for the Massachusetts title this weekend. The 1955 and 1956 Pittsfield clubs went through to take the state championships.

Plays First Game

The 1955 team played the first game that took place in Park Hill Park, the site of the tournament following dedication ceremonies. The park was built by Babe Ruth people to Babe Ruth baseball specifications. Pittsfield won that game on the one-hit pitching of Frank Constanzo. Bob Portieri of the 1955 squad belted the first home run ever hit on the diamond.

The club clinched the state crown the next day when Lou Pia Jr. held Holyoke to two hits and got the 1-0 victory. Pittsfield was eliminated in the regional tournament in Stamford, Conn.

Because of some local controversy in Fitchburg, the 1956 tournament was played at Crocker Field in Fitchburg. The American All-Stars will dress for the games this weekend at Crocker Field as that park has dressing room and shower facilities not available at Park Hill Park.

Quadrozzi, Pia Win

George Quadrozzi pitched the 1956 team to an opening round 5-0 triumph over Webster. Pia won his second title game the following day by downing Milton 2-1. In the 1956 regional tourney at Cranston, R.I., Pittsfield beat St. Albans, Vt., 13-0, but was eliminated by Manchester, N.H., 7-0 in its next contest.

The All-Stars will leave for the tournament by private cars Saturday morning at 8 from the municipal parking lot at First and Eagle streets. The team will be quartered at the Hotel Raymond in Fitchburg Saturday night. Each player will bring clothing, towels and everything necessary for the overnight stay.

Adults who will accompany the club are league president Lou Russo, district director James Frank, Park Superintendent and league treasurer Vincent Hebert, league secretary and director Paul Brindle Jr., team manager Ray Meandro and coaches Harry Rustic and Tony Nugai.

The Pittsfield team will play

No Games Set In Ruth Loop For Today

7/22

No Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League games will be played today because of the Massachusetts District 1A tournament game between the Pittsfield American League All-Stars and the Adams All-Stars. The tourney game will be played at Deming Field because of the circus at Wahconah Park.

Sixteen league games are scheduled for next week beginning with double-headers at both Deming and Wahconah tomorrow. Night games start at 6 and the Saturday games will begin at 10 in the morning.

The schedule is as follows:

TOMORROW

Wahconah, 1:30, Moldmaster vs. IUE 255; 3:30, Imperial Lanes vs. Besse-Clarke.
Deming, 1:30, General Electric vs. Optimists; 3:30, GEAA vs. VFW 448.

MONDAY

Deming: Ida & John's vs. Besse-Clarke.
Wahconah: IUE 255 vs. VFW 448.

TUESDAY

Deming: Adams Super Markets vs. Terminal Diner.
North: Optimists vs. Moldmaster.

WEDNESDAY

Deming: GEAA vs. Imperial Lanes.
Wahconah: Union Federal vs. General Electric.

THURSDAY

Deming: Optimists vs. Adams Super Markets.
Wahconah: Besse-Clarke vs. VFW 448.

FRIDAY

Deming: Terminal Diner vs. Union Federal.
North: Moldmaster vs. General Electric.

SATURDAY

Deming: Ida & John's vs. GEAA.
Wahconah: Imperial Lanes vs. IUE 255.

Boteze Fires Two-Hitter

American All-Stars In District Title Contest Today

7/29/61

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	W.	L.	NATIONAL	W.	L.
Optimists	4	0	Terminal Diner	3	2
Besse-Clarke	5	2	GEAA	4	3
Moldmaster	4	3	IUE 255	4	3
Gen. Electric	3	3	Imperial Lanes	3	3
Adams Sup. Mk.	2	5	Union Federal	1	2
VFW 448	1	7	Ida & John's	1	2

GAMES TODAY

10 a.m. at Deming—Ida & John's vs. GEAA
10 a.m. at North Junior — Imperial Lane vs. IUE 255.

DOUBLEHEADER AT DEMING FIELD

1:30—Ida & John's vs. Moldmaster.
3:30—Optimists vs. Terminal Diner.

Carl Boteze fired a two-hit shutout as Terminal Diner beat Union Federal 5-0 last night in a Pittsfield Babe Ruth League game at Deming Field. In a contest at North Junior High Field, General Electric took a wild one from Moldmaster 11-9.

The District 1 championship game between the Pittsfield American All-Stars and Holyoke will be the big game this weekend. The title tilt will take place this afternoon at Wahconah Park starting at 2:30.

In addition to the championship game two regular league games will be played this morning, one at Deming and one at North, and a double-header is slated for Deming tomorrow afternoon. In a schedule change the first game tomorrow will match Moldmaster with Ida and John's instead of with General Electric.

Pete Ellsworth's three-run double did the trick for Terminal Diner. Ron Ladd, the loser, gave up only four hits. Boteze struck out 10 and walked five. Ladd fanned seven and walked two. Mike Rohlfs and Gerry Mowka had the losers' hits.

General Electric fought back twice to give Dave Allen his first win of the season.

Allen had three singles in his own cause. Fred Royal had a home run and a single and Paul Charow a triple and single.

For Moldmaster, Dave Tetreault had a long triple and Bob Rivard and Cliff Nilan hit two singles apiece. The scores:

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Puntin, cf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Noetzel, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Boteze, p	1	1	0	2	2	0
Curley, 1b	3	0	1	4	1	0
Ellsworth, ss	3	1	1	1	0	0
Robertson, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
James, c	2	0	0	11	0	0
Mancivalano, lf	2	0	0	1	1	0
Masino, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	0
	20	5	4	21	5	0

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doolan, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
Sangiavanni, ss	0	0	0	1	2	0
Rohlfs, 1b	3	0	1	8	0	1
Giardina, c	2	0	0	7	0	0
Ladd, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Mowka, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Walsh, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Nicklaw, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Sykes, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
z-Caritey, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zz-Carlo	1	0	0	0	0	0
	21	0	2	18	7	2

Z—Struck out for Sykes in fourth.
ZZ—Struck out for Caritey in seventh.

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b	0	1	0	2	1	0
Washburn, lf	5	1	1	0	0	0
McConnell, ss	4	0	2	1	2	1
Downey, 1b	4	2	2	10	0	0
Pierce, rf	1	2	0	0	0	0
Gasson, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Charrow, cf, c	4	2	2	4	1	0
O'Neil, c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Goyette, cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Royal, 2b	3	1	2	0	0	0
Papallo, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, p	4	0	3	0	7	0
	29	11	12	18	11	1

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	3	1	2	0	1	0
Rivard, cf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Curletti, 1b	3	1	1	6	0	0
Tetreault, c	3	1	1	6	2	1
Hurley, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	1
Lausier, ss	3	0	0	4	2	1
Bassi, p	1	1	1	0	1	0
Kellogg, p	2	1	0	0	1	0
O'Laughlin, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Farry, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
	22	9	8	18	8	3

GE	015	032—11
MOLDMASTER	310	500— 9

Optimist Club, GE Team Take Tight Babe Ruth Tilts

90.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	W.	L.	NATIONAL	W.	L.
VFW 448	7	1	Ida & John's	5	4
Moldmaster	6	1	Terminal Din.	5	4
Optimists	6	2	GEAA	4	4
Besse-Clarke	5	2	Imperial Lns.	3	6
Gen. Electric	3	5	IUE 255	1	1
Adams Sp. Mk.	2	6	Union Federal	1	7

GAMES TODAY

At North—Besse-Clarke vs. Union Federal.
At Deming—GEAA vs. Terminal Diner.

Optimist Club and General Electric were victorious in tight Babe Ruth League baseball games last night. The Optimists beat GEAA 3-2 in an extra inning at North Junior Field and the GE boys nipped Imperial Lanes 2-1 at Deming Field.

Collin Garstang pitched two hitless innings for the Optimists to get credit for the win. He relieved Frank Murray, who was lifted for a pinch-hitter. Murray and loser Lou Orazio of GEAA both pitched fine ball and made several good fielding plays.

Len Spiewak was the offensive hero for the winners with two singles, two walks, and three stolen bases. He scored all the Optimist runs. Bob Boyer had a double and single for the losers.

Dave Allen and Ed McConnell collaborated on a three-hitter for the General Electric Team. Mcconnell came in in the fourth and was credited with the triumph. Imperial Lanes pitcher Tom Dawley also had a three-hitter, two coming in the first inning.

GE made both its runs in the first. Bob Doyle walked, stole second and scored when Jim Washburn's single was bobbled in the outfield. Paul Pierce singled Washburn home. Two errors and Ray Sarosy's base hit accounted for the Imperial score in the fifth.

Allen went to short top from the mound and made three fine plays there in the late innings.

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kinnas, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	1
Russo, 2b, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Garstang, 3b, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Woitkowski, ss	3	0	0	3	2	1
Kruczkowski, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Spiewak, rf	2	3	2	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	0	0	10	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Murray, p	2	0	1	0	6	0
x-Eulian	1	0	0	0	0	0
O'Laughlin, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
	28	3	6	24	9	2

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boyer, c	4	1	2	11	1	1
Labrie, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Orazio, p	3	1	0	0	5	0
Southard, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Hamilton, 1b	3	0	1	6	0	0
Henderak, lf	3	0	1	0	1	0
Palmeri, ss	3	0	0	1	1	1
Lewis, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
z-Grieve, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Biasioli, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
zz-Jobson, 2b	0	0	0	1	1	0
	29	2	4	*23	9	2

*Two out in 8th when winning run scored.

X—Flied out for Murray in 6th.
Z—Struck out for Lewis in 7th.
ZZ—Hit by pitch for Biasioli in 7th.

Optimists	010	001 01—3
GEAA	200	000 00—2

RBI—Hamilton, Henderak, Russo, Lucaroni. 2B—Boyer. SB—Spiewak, Kinnas. Sac.—Vaccaro. LOB—GEAA 6, Optimists 9. BB—Murray 2, Orazio 6. SO—Orazio 11, Murray 7, Garstang 3. HO—Murray 4 in 6, Garstang 0 in 2. HBP—Garstang (Jobson). WP—Collin Garstang. LP—Louise Orazio. U—Brindle and Mole. T—1h, 55m.

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b	2	1	0	1	1	0
Washburn, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Pierce, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Wheat, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Royal, 1b, 2b	2	0	0	9	0	0
Papallo, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Downey, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
McConnell, ss, p	3	0	1	2	0	0
Goyette, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
O'Neil, c	1	0	0	6	1	0
x-Charrow, c	2	0	0	4	0	1
Allen, p, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
	23	2	3	21	4	2

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Kearns, cf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Brutnell, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, 3b	2	0	0	2	2	0
DeSantis, c	3	0	1	5	0	0
Kozack, ss	3	0	0	3	1	0
Quinlan, ss	1	0	0	1	1	1
Sarosy, lf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Lacy, 1b	3	0	0	4	1	0
Lemone, 1b	0	0	0	2	0	0
Selva, rf	2	0	0	0	1	1
Vosburgh, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dawley, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
	26	1	3	21	11	2

X-Struck out for O'Neil in fourth.

General Electrics	200	000 0—2
Imperial Lanes	000	010 0—1

RBI—Pierce, Sarosy. SB—Doyle, McConnell. DP—Smith to Kozack to Lacy. LOB—General Electric 6, Imperial Lanes 10. BB—Dawley 6, Allen 6, McConnell 0. SO—Dawley 5, Allen 5, McConnell 7. HO—Allen 1 in 3, McConnell 2 in 4. Wild pitches—Allen, McConnell. WP—McConnell. LP—Dawley. —DiOrio and Levine. T—1h, 45m.

Darien All-Stars Beaten in BR Quarter-Final

GLENDIVE, Mont. (UPI)— The Tulsa, Okla., All-Stars Wednesday night topped the Darien All-Stars 10 to 4 in the quarter-final round of the National Babe Ruth League Championships.

Darien scored two runs in the sixth inning and two more in the seventh.

The Connecticut club will meet Mobile, Ala., in a consolation game tonight.

American League All-Stars Take Babe Ruth Semifinal

7/19

The Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars breezed to a 12-1 semifinal round victory over the Great Barrington All-Stars in a game completed last night at Clapp Park after a 48 hour delay because of rain. Play began Monday night, but a heavy shower halted the action with no score after an inning and a half. The contest resumed at that point last night.

The Pittsfield club will meet the Adams All-Stars in the Massachusetts A championship Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah Park. In the event of rain the game will be played Sunday afternoon. Adams has beaten the Pittsfield Nationals 2-0 and the Lee All-Stars 7-6. Play in the Pittsfield league will resume tonight with GEAA meeting General Electric at North Junior High Field and Besse-Clarke clashing with IUE 255 at Deming.

Pittsfield right-hander Mike Massaconi was never in trouble as he scattered four hits. The Great Barrington run came on two Pittsfield errors.

Jim McGarry pitched all the way for the south county club. He gave up 13 hits.

Heavy Hitters

Jim Mahan and Jack Doyle led the attack for the local team with a single and double and two RBIs apiece. Johnny Kinnas and Collin Garstang had two singles each and each drove in two runs. Pete Rilla had a long double. Every Pittsfield starter had at least one safety.

Tom Shultis had two of Great Barrington's four singles. Rick Coons and Dave Benham hit the other two.

Pittsfield second baseman Sam Russo was spiked in the third inning. He was taken to the hospital and x-rayed as a precautionary measure. He was released.

A collection of $24 was taken up by the Women's Auxiliary of the Babe Ruth League. Expenses were more than $40.

The score:

PITTSFIELD AMERICANS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Mahan, 3b	5	0	2	0	1	0
Russo, 2b	2	0	1	1	2	0
Rustic, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
Rilla, cf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Tetreault, c	4	1	1	11	0	2
Kelly, c	0	0	0	1	0	0
Doyle, ss	3	2	2	0	1	1
Powers, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hurley, 1b	4	2	1	3	0	0
Falkenbush, 1b	0	0	0	1	1	0
Garstang, lf	2	2	2	1	0	0
Kinnas, rf	3	2	2	0	0	0
xMcConnell, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Massaconi, p	3	1	1	1	0	0
	31	12	13	21	6	3

GREAT BARRINGTON

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kinnas, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Benham, rf, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0
McCormick, rf, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Dellea, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Shultis, 3b, cf	3	0	2	3	1	2
Coons, cf, ss	2	1	1	3	1	0
Donovan, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gulick, ss	2	0	0	1	1	1
Scarboro, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harris, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
zKenyon	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olinski, c	2	0	0	5	0	0
McGarry, p	3	0	0	0	1	1
	25	1	4	18	6	4

Pittsfield	036	210 —12
Great Barrington	000	100 0— 1

x—Reached on fielde's choice for Kinnas in 6th.
z—Walked for Harris in 7th.

RBI—Mahan 2, Doyle 2, Garstang 2, Kinnas 2, Massaconi. 2B—Mahan, Rillag Doyle. SB—Rilla, Doyle, Hurley, Garstang. SAC—Garstang 2, Doyle, Massaconi. DP—Coons and Shultis. LOB—Pittsfield 7, Great Barrington 6. BB—Massaconi 2, McGarry 2. SO—Massaconi 11, McGarry 4. HBP—Massaconi (Coons). WP—Massaconi. U—Scarmuzzi, Rivers, Chamberlain. T—1h, 35m.

Four Top Teams Triumph In Weekend Babe Ruth Play

The two top teams in both sections of the Babe Ruth Baseball League won games over the weekend. In the American League, the first-place Optimists walloped Ida & John's 16-1, while Besse-Clarke downed General Electric 5-3 Saturday.

IUE 255 kept a game ahead of Terminal Diner in the National League, edging Ida & John's 6-5 while the runners-up were trouncing Adams Supermarkets 18-0 behind Paul Noetzel's three-hitter yesterday.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

At Wahconah—Besse-Clarke vs. Adams Super Markets.

At Deming—Imperial Lanes vs. Ida & John's.

SATURDAY

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lear, 1b	4	0	0	6	0	0
Rustic, 2b	2	2	0	0	0	1
Russo, ss	3	2	1	2	2	0
Kinnas, cf	4	1	3	1	0	0
Sullivan, lf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Zack, 3b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Ali, c	1	0	0	0	0	1
Teal, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
x-Vanasse, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	27	5	6	21	3	2

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
O'Neil, c	3	1	0	12	1	0
Scago, rf, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Downing, 1b	3	0	1	4	0	0
McConnell, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1
Wheat, lf, cf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Royal, 2b	1	0	1	1	0	0
Papalio, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Goyette, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pierce, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Slonski, p, 3b	3	0	0	1	0	0
	26	3	3	21	4	1

X—Popped out for Nicholson in 4th.

BESSE-CLARKE	300	000	2—5
GENERAL ELECTRIC	012	000	0—3

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Williams, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Clark, cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Carlo, c	3	1	1	4	0	0
Clerici, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Ruberto, ss	2	0	0	3	3	3
Carmel, p	2	1	1	0	0	1
Spina, 2b	2	1	1	3	0	0
Brennan, 1b	2	1	1	2	0	0
Cimini, 3b	1	0	0	3	1	0
	16	6	4	15	4	1

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Guarda, c	3	1	0	9	0	0
Bonaviticola, ss, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
Cook, p	2	0	1	0	1	1
K. Williams, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ladd, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Lyons, 1b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Moon, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Kiemansky, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rilla, lf	0	2	0	0	0	0
Schemerhorn, 2b, ss	2	1	1	1	0	0
	22	5	6	12	1	1

IUE 255	303	0x—6	
IDA & JOHN'S	001	31—5	

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
LaBrie, p, ss	3	2	2	0	3	0
Palmeri, ss	2	1	0	2	1	0
Jobson, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Orazio, 3b	4	2	2	1	1	0
Grieve, cf, lf	4	0	3	1	0	0
Southard, 1b	4	0	1	5	0	0
Handerek, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Cheever, cf, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Murphy, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Lewis, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boyer, c	4	0	0	8	1	0
Blasioli, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	0
x-Choiniere, 2b, ss, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	29	5	8	21	7	0

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sangiovanni, ss	3	0	1	0	1	0
Nicklaw, 2b, p	3	0	0	2	1	0
Rohlfs, 3b	3	0	0	2	2	0
Giardina, c	4	1	2	9	2	1
Ladd, p, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	2
Jacoby, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Nagle, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh, cf	1	0	0	1	0	1
z-Carifey, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nowka, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doolan, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Shade, 1b	2	0	1	5	0	0
	24	2	5	21	8	5

X—Walked for Blasioli in the 5th.
Z—Grounded out for Walsh in 4th.

GEAA	200	201	0—5
UNION FEDERAL	000	002	0—2

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	4	2	2	0	1	0
x-Masino, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Noetzel, p, rf	5	3	4	0	0	0
Boteze, ss	5	3	4	0	2	0
Curley, 1b	5	2	3	4	0	0
Ellsworth, 3b, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
James, c	4	1	1	9	0	0
Robertson, cf	2	2	1	0	0	0
xx-Winslow, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mancivalano, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Fresia, lf, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
	34	18	18	15	3	0

ADAMS SUPER MARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Frydel, lf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Chesney, rf, cf, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Massaconi, c	2	0	0	8	1	1
Donahue, 1b	3	0	1	4	0	0
Farnsworth, ss	0	0	0	0	0	1
Falkenbush, ss	2	0	1	0	4	1
Flaherty, 3b	1	0	0	1	1	1
Boyd, cf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Strizzi, rf, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carnevale, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Luz, p, rf	1	0	0	1	0	2
	18	0	3	15	9	8

X—Walked for Crooks in 6th.
XX—Walker for Robertson in 5th.

TERMINAL	120	510	—18
ADAMS	000	00—	0

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Papallo, 2b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Allen, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Goyette, cf	2	2	1	2	0	0
Doyle, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Scago, 1b, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0
McConnell, p	3	1	2	0	2	0
Wheat, lf, 1b	3	1	1	2	0	0
Slonski, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	1
Royal, ss, 2b	3	1	1	2	1	1
Pierce, rf	1	1	1	0	1	0
Gasson, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
O'Neil, c	3	0	1	9	0	0
	29	9	9	18	6	2

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hoeske, 2b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Archey, ss	1	0	0	1	2	0
Ewing, 3b, 1b	3	0	0	1	4	1
Rilla, cf	2	0	1	1	1	0
Kelly, c	2	0	0	6	0	0
Powers, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Kellar, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Bressett, lf	2	0	0	2	1	1
Massaconi, p, 3b	2	1	1	1	1	0
Reilly, 1b, rf	2	1	2	4	0	1
Wood, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	4	18	9	4

GE	211	500	—9
VFW	000	002	—2

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kane, lf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Pleau, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Russo, p	4	3	2	1	3	0
Kinnas, 1b	2	2	1	4	0	0
Garstang, ss	3	1	2	1	1	0
Woitkoski, 2b, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
Carey, 2b	0	0	0	2	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Martino, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eulian, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Murray, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	2	1	5	0	0
Spiewak, 3b	2	2	0	1	2	0
	24	16	8*	15	7	0

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bell, 3b, p, lf	3	0	0	2	2	1
Rilla, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cook, ss	2	0	0	4	0	1
Lyons, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	1
Ladd, p	1	0	1	0	1	0
Mogavero, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Moon, lf, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Guarda, c	2	1	1	4	1	1
Bates, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kiemansky, rf, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schermerhorn, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0
Williams, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
	17	1	2	15	5	5

OPTIMISTS	410	56	—16
IDA & JOHN'S	000	01	— 1

*—Game called because of 15-run rule.

Besse-Clarke Tops Crane's In 4-3 Game

DALTON—Besse-Clarke of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League edged Crane & Co. of the CRA older boys' league 4-3 at Pine Grove Park last night.

Jeff Nicholson limited Dalton to three hits, including a double by Bruce Ferrin, the only extra base blow of the game. Dick Vanasse pitched the final two outs for Besse-Clarke.

Rick Farrell struck out five in giving up four hits to the winners. Nicholson fanned 10.

The box score:

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Marshall, 2b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Zack, 3b	2	1	0	1	1	1
Lear, 1b	3	0	0	6	2	0
Russo, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Vanasse, cf, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
Ali, c	2	1	2	11	0	0
Teal, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bassi, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, p, cf	2	0	0	0	2	1
	22	4	4	21	6	2

CRANE & CO.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Best, 2b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Pero, 3b	4	0	0	4	2	0
Majchrowski, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	0
Martin, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Palmer, ss	2	2	1	4	1	0
Ferrin, c	2	0	1	6	3	0
Farrell, p	3	0	0	0	2	1
Reid, lf, 1b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Shaw, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Willey, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Croughwell, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	23	3	3	21	9	1

Besse-Clarke	000	011	2—4
Crane & Co.	010	002	0—3

The first game Saturday starting at 1:30 against Wakefield, the District 4 champion. Teams from Quincy and Worcester will meet in the second contest. Sunday afternoon Saturday's losers will play a consolation game and Saturday's winners will clash for the Massachusetts championship. The state winner will go to the regional tournament in Concord, N.H., later this month.

Optimist Club Clinches Tie For First Half BR Title

6/28/61

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimists	9	2	GEAA	5	4
VFW 448	8	2	Terminal	5	4
Moldmaster	7	2	Ida & John's	6	5
Besse-Clarke	6	4	Imperial	3	8
GE	4	6	Union Fed.	2	7
Adams Mkts	3	7	IUE 255	1	8

GAMES TODAY

At North—Terminal Diner vs. General Electric.

At Deming—GEAA vs. Union Federal.

The Optimists clinched at least a first-half tie in the Babe Ruth American League with a 9-3 victory over IUE 255 last night at Deming Field. The Optimists, VFW and Moldmasters are tied in the loss column with two defeats each. VFW has one game to play and Moldmaster two. The Optimists meet VFW Friday night at North Junior High Field.

In a game at North Field last night Besse-Clarke edged Adams Super Markets 8-7.

Good relief pitching by Pete Sullivan of Besse's and Sam Russo of the Optimists was the big factor in both wins. Sullivan came in in the last inning with no outs and the tying and winning runs on third and second. The Optimists nipped the runner at third when a squeeze misfired and Sullivan fanned the next two hitters.

Russo came in in the second inning and allowed only one hit the rest of the way. He struck out 10.

The scores:

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kruszkowski, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Garstand, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Russo, 2b, p	4	1	0	1	5	0
Spiewak, rf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Woitkowski, ss	5	3	1	0	0	0
Luceroni, 3b, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	1	0	13	0	1
Pleau, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kane, cf	1	0	1	1	0	0
Martino, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eulian, 1b, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	1
Murray, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xKinnas, 1b	4	0	0	6	0	2
	31	9	7	21	6	4

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Clark, lf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Ruberto, 2b	2	1	0	2	0	1
Farrell, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Franchebois, cf	2	1	0	3	0	0
Carlo, p, ss	3	0	1	1	2	3
Spina, c, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	2
Van Jura, ss, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cimini, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Riccarini, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brennan, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	0
Storie, c	1	0	0	1	0	1
Carmel, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Williams, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	3	3	21	5	8

Optimists	013	113	0—9
IUE 255	200	000	1—3

x—Grounded out for Murray in 1st.

RBI—Carlo, Van Jura, Vaccaro, Spiewak, Woitkowski, Luceroni 3. 2B—Spiewak 2, Luceroni. SB—Ruberto 2, Kruczkowski, Woitkowski, Russo, Luceroni 2. SAC—Vaccaro, Franchebois. DP—Van Jura to Spina. LOB—Optimists 10 IUE 6. BB—Carlo 1, Murray 2, Russo 2, Van Jura 7. SO—Carlo 1, Murray 2, Russo 10, Van Jura 6. HO—Murray, 2 in 1; Carlo, 4 in 3; Russo, 1 in 6; Van Jura, 3 in 4. WP Van Jura. W—Russo. L—Carlo. U—Brindle and Levine. T—2h, 21m.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
P. Russo, c	4	2	1	7	3	0
Rustic, 2b	3	0	2	1	3	0
Doyle, ss	3	2	1	0	2	0
Kinnas, lf, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Sullivan, p	4	1	1	1	0	0
Lear, 1b	3	1	1	11	0	0
Zack, 3b	2	1	0	0	2	2
Vanesse, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Lucaroni, rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Nicholson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Pero, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
A. Pero, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	28	8	8	21	13	2

ADAMS SUPER MARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Reed, c	4	1	2	10	2	1
Olds, c	0	0	0	1	0	0
Luz, 3b	2	0	1	0	2	1
Flaherty, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Massaconi, p	4	1	1	1	1	0
Frydel, 1b	1	0	0	2	1	0
zDonahue, 1b	3	1	2	3	1	1
Falkenbush, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farnsworth, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zzBoyd, cf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Carpenter, lf, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0
J. Russo, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
xxChesney, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	27	7	7	21	10	4

Besse-Clarke	300	212	0—8
Adams Super Markets	032	000	0—7

z—Singled for Frydel in 3rd.
zz—Grounded out for Farnsworth in 3rd.
zzz—Flied out for J. Russo in 3rd.

RBI—Reed 2, Luz 2, Doyle 2, Kinnas 2, Vanesse, Donahue, Falkenbush. SB—P. Russo 2, Lear 2, Zack, Falkenbush 2, Donahue, Reed. SAC—Vanesse. DP—Reed, Donahue to Reed. LOB—Adams 6, Besse-Clarke 8. BB—Massaconi 8, Nicholson 4, Pero 2. SO—Massaconi 11, Nicholson 3, Sullivan 3, J. Pero 1. HO—Nicholson, 1 in 1 2-3; J. Pero, 6 in 4 1-3. WP—Massaconi. Balk—Massaconi. PB—Reed 2, P. Russo 2. W—J. Pero. U—Semeno and Strizzi. T—2h, 10m.

Berkshire Mutual Wins 18-4 Game In Slow Pitch

6/15/61

Berkshire Mutual buried the School Department 18-4 in a City Slow Pitch Softball League game at Clapp Park last night.

Ted Eksuzian led the barrage with a first-inning grand slam home run. Bob Steiner and Ed Blake paced the winners with four hits apiece.

Earl Hatch had three hits for the losers.

Tonight the Fire Department will meet the Water Department.

The line score:

Mutual	442	323	x—18
School	202	000	0— 4

Clark and Eksuzian; Catalano and Dwyer.

Babe Ruth Game At Wahconah Park Delayed by Sunshine

7/5

What appears to be a baseball first in this area and maybe any area, a game delayed by sunshine, occurred last night in the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League game at Wahconah Park between the Adams Super Markets and Ida & John's Restaurant.

The contest was held up for about 30 minutes because the setting sun was shining into the eyes of the catchers and batters so they were practically blinded.

The box score would seem to indicate the delay was not unwarranted. Only seven hits were made in the game. One catcher had five passed balls and the other had three.

North Adams Disqualified From Ruth League Tourney

7/6/61

The two North Adams entrants in sectional Babe Ruth Baseball League tournament play have been disqualified for "wholesale violations of the birth certificate rule," sectional commissioner James J. Frank of Pittsfield announced today.

Frank disclosed that the North Adams leagues "were short 67 birth certificates of the 120 they were supposed to file with me."

The commissioner forfeited tournament opening-round games scheduled for Saturday to opponents of the North Adams teams. North Adams Noel was slated to oppose Lee at the Lee Athletic Field, and North Adams Greylock was supposed to go against Great Barrington at Memorial Field in Great Barrington. Frank said Lee and Great Barrington automatically will move into the semifinals.

Frank added he has notified state director John Connolly of Tewksbury of his action.

This marked North Adams' second disqualification on birth certificates in the last several years, Frank revealed. He said a league all-star team from that city was rejected for tournament play on the day of a game because few players had certificates.

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Babe Ruth Players, Coaches Named for All-Star Teams

Coaches of the American and National Babe Ruth Baseball Leagues selected players for their respective all-star teams at meetings last night at Springside House. Fifteen players were chosen in each league.

In the National League Carl Boteze, Terminal Diner coach, will coach the all-star team, assisted by Lou Orazio Sr. of GEAA and Bob Moon of Ida & John's. Ray Meandro of VFW will be head coach of the American club with Harry Rustic of Besse-Clarke and Tony Nugai of VFW assisting.

Players picked in the National loop were: Dan DeSantis, Ray Sarosy and Charles Simonelli of Imperial Lanes; Pete Ellsworth, Kevin Curley, Carl Boteze, and John Crooks of Terminal Diner; Jim Carlo, of IUE 255; Al Cook, Roger Ladd and Ray Bell of Ida & John's; Lou Orazio Jr. and Joe LeBrie of GEAA; and Ronald Ladd and Mike Rohlfs of Union Federal.

American Selections

The American League players are: Collin Garstang, Lennie Spiewak and Sam Russo of Optimists; Dave Tetreault, John Hurley and Dick Powers of Moldmaster; Pete Rilla, Dennis Kelly and Bill Victor of VFW; John Kinnas, Jack Doyle and Darryl Rustic of Besse Clarke; and Dick Falkenbush, Mike Massaconi and Ed McConnell of General Electric.

Wahconah Park will be used for regular league games instead of North Field during the second half, it was announced last night at the meeting.

Besse's Scores Two Triumps In Weekend Babe Ruth Games

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	7	1	GEAA	4	3
Moldmaster	6	1	Terminal	5	4
Besse-Clarke	5	2	Ida & John's	5	4
Optimist Club	5	2	Imperial	3	5
GE	2	5	IUE 255	1	6
Adams Mkts.	2	6	Union Fed.	1	7

GAME TOMORROW

At North—Optimist Club vs. GEAA.
At Deming—Imerial Lanes vs. General Electric.

Besse-Clarke scored two victories in the seven Pittsfield Babe Ruth League games played over the weekend with wins over Terminal Diner 8-1 Saturday at North Junior High Field and over Imperial Lanes 10-4 yesterday at Deming Field. Terminal dropped two contests. The Diner team's other loss was to VFW yesterday at North Junior High by an 8-3 score.

Union Federal and Imperial Lanes also played twice and each split. Imperial downed Union Federal 3-2 Saturday at Deming in addition to yesterday's loss to Besse's. The bank team took General Electric 8-1 yesterday at Deming.

In other games Ida and John's edged IUE 255 6-5 Saturday at North and Moldmaster squeaked by Adams Super Markets 4-3 yesterday at Deming.

Evans Stars

Ned Evans kept VFW in first spot with a fine pitching job plus good hitting in its win over Terminal Diner. Evans had two singles and a triple and four RBIs. John Deluce helped with two singles and a double and Pete Rilla had a single and tremendous home run over the left fielder's head.

Ida and John's came from behind with two runs in the last inning on two singles and three walks to nip IUE.

Moldmaster stayed within a half-game of leading VFW by taking the fine pitchers' battle between winner Dave White and Adams Super Markets' hurler Mike Massaconi. Each pitcher allowed only three hits. Moldmaster won the contest with two scores in the last inning on two walks, a fielder's choice, three stolen bases and two sacrifices.

Union Federal's win was its first of the season. Dick Walsh with a home run and Mike Rohlfs with two doubles were the offensive stars for the winners.

No games are slated tonight because of graduations in both local junior high schools.

The scores:

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, c	4	2	0	11	0	0
Rustic, 2b	3	2	2	2	1	0
Doyle, ss	3	1	1	2	3	0
Kinnas, cf	3	1	2	4	1	0
Zack, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	2
A. Pero, lf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Lear, 1b	4	1	2	1	0	0
Nicholson, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Sullivan, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
	29	8	9	21	8	0

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks,2 b	3	0	0	6	2	1
Noetzel, rf, 1b	4	0	2	8	0	0
Boteze, ss	4	0	3	2	0	0
Curley, 1b	3	1	0	1	0	0
Salvatore, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ellsworth, p, c	4	0	2	4	0	0
Sangiovanni, c, 3b	4	0	3	7	3	0
Robertson, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fresia, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
zWinslow	1	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hote, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
zzMasina	1	0	0	0	0	0
Puntin, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	31	1	11	21	6	1

Besse-Clarke	200	021	2—8
Terminal	000	010	0—1

z—Hit intofielder's choice in 7th.
zz—Struck out for L'Hote in 7th.
RBI—Rustic 2, Kinnas 2, Lear 2, Zack, Pero, Sangiovanni. 2B—Rustic, Noetzel, Ellsworth. SB—Lear. DP—Kinnas, Dolle to Russo. LOB—Terminal Diner 13, Besse-Clarke 9. BB—Sullican ,2Ellsworth 2, Fresia 6. HO—Ellsworth, 3 in 4; Fresia, 6 in 3. HBP—Fresia (Kinnas), Sullivan (Robertson, Puntin). W—Sullivan. L—Ellsworth. U—Ricciarini and Mole. T—1h, 50m.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, ss	4	1	2	2	4	0
Rustic, 2b	3	1	0	5	1	1
Lear, 1b	4	1	1	4	0	1
Doyle, p	3	2	2	0	2	0
Kinnas, cf	4	3	4	1	1	0
Ali, c	3	1	0	6	0	0
Zack, 3b	4	1	4	2	1	0
Lucaroni, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Pero, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Teal, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	31	10	13	21	10	2

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	5	1	0	3	1	2
Simonelli, 3b	5	0	2	1	1	0
DeSantis, c	4	0	2	10	1	1
Kozack, ss	3	0	1	0	0	0
Lacy, 1b	2	1	1	1	0	0
Lemone, 1b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sarosy, p	4	1	1	1	1	0
Kearns, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
zzBrutnell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Albano, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
zDawley	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quinlan, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vosburgh, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
	33	4	10	18	4	3

Besse-Clark	042	108	—10
Imperial Lanes	010	001	2— 4

z—Walked for Albano in 4th.
zz—Reached on error for Kearns in 7th.
RBI—Kinnas 2, Teal, Russo 2, Zack 3, Doyle, Brutnell, Selva. 2B—Lacy. 3B—Doyle, DeSantis. SB—Russo, Doyle, Kinnas. DP—Russo to Zack. LOB—Imperial Lanes 13, Besse-Clarke 7. BB—Sarosy 3, Doyle 5. SO—Sarosy 10, Doyle 5. HBP—Sarosy (Teal). PB—Ali. W—Doyle. L—Sarosy. U—Strizzi and Brindle. T—2h.

VFW 448

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
DeLuce, ss	3	2	3	1	2	1
Mahan, 3b	4	1	0	1	1	0
Evans, p	4	2	3	0	1	0
Kelly, c	4	0	1	8	0	0
Rilla, cf	3	1	2	1	0	1
Ewings, 2b, 1b	3	1	1	3	1	0
Powers, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Wood, rf	1	0	0	2	0	1
Bresseft, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Reilly, 1b	2	1	1	2	0	0
xMassaconi	0	0	0	0	0	0
Archey, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	31	8	11	21	5	3

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Ellsworth, c	3	1	1	8	1	0
Boteze, p	3	2	2	1	2	0
Curley, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	0
Noetzel, rf, lf	3	0	2	0	0	1
Sangiovanni, ss	4	0	0	0	3	1
Robertson, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
zSelva	1	0	0	0	0	0
Masino, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hote, lf, rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
Mancivalano, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzWinslow	1	0	0	0	0	0
Frescia, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Puntin, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
	29	3	6	21	10	2

VFW 448	012	212	0—8
Terminal Diner	100	020	0—3

x—Struck out for Reilly in 7th.
z—Struck out for Robertson in 6th.
zz—Struck out for Mancivalano in 6th.
RBI—Evans 4, Rilla 2, Reilly, Kelly, Boteze, Noetzel. 2B—Boteze, DeLuce, Kelly. 3B—Evans. HR—Rilla. SB—DeLuce 2. DP—Boteze to Curley. LOB—VFW 9, Terminal Diner 10. BB—Evans 5, Boteze 5. SO—Evans 5, Boteze 6. HBP—Boteze (DeLuce, Massaconi). WP—Boteze. Balk—Evans. W—Evans. L—Boteze. U—Brennan and Pansecchi. T—1h, 45m.

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Dawley, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
xx—Brutnell, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
DeSantis, c	3	0	1	10	1	0
Kozack, p	1	1	0	1	1	0
Lacy, lf, 1b	3	1	0	0	0	0
Sarosy, 3b	3	0	2	3	0	2
Lemone, 1b	2	0	0	4	1	2
Kearns, lf	1	1	1	0	0	1
Vosburgh, cf	1	0	0	1	1	0
xQuinlan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
	24	3	7	21	6	5

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Pleau, lf, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Walsh, 1b, lf	4	1	2	1	0	1
Rohlfs, ss	4	1	1	1	0	0
Ladd, 3b	3	0	1	2	2	0
Sangiavanni, c	1	0	0	6	0	0
Sykes, cf, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jacoby, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Doolan, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	1
Shade, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Nagle, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hall, 1b	3	0	1	5	0	0
	27	2	5	18	5	2

Imperial Lanes	010	100	—3
Union Federal	000	002	0—2

x—Flied out for Vosburgh in 5th.
xx—Hit into double play for Dawley in 5th.
RBI—Sarosy 2, Ladd 2, Selva. 2B—Sarosy 2, Selva. SB—Rohlfs, Sangiovanni, Kozack, DeSantis. SAC—Doolan. DP—Vosburgh to Smith to Lemone; Doolan to Hall. LOB—Union Federal 7, Imperial Lanes 5. BB—Kozack 2, Shade 2. SO—Kozack 8, Shade 6. WP—Shade 2. Balk—Shade. PB—Sangiovanni. W—Kozack. L—Shade. U—Coppolino and Simeno. T—1h, 55m.

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
K. Williams, 2b	0	1	0	1	1	0
Schermerhorn, 2b	1	0	1	0	1	0
Bonavitacola, 2b, p	1	0	1	0	1	0
Bell, ss	3	1	1	1	2	1
Cook, lf	3	0	3	0	2	0
Ladd, cf	4	0	0	2	2	0
Lyons, 1b	4	1	2	6	0	0
Rilla, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Guarda, c, p, 3b	2	0	2	5	1	0
Klemansky, 3b, p	2	1	0	1	3	0
Moon, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Whittlesey, c	0	0	0	4	0	0
xMogavero	0	0	0	0	0	0
	27	6	11	21	14	1

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Frenchebois, cf	3	1	0	4	0	0
Clarke, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	1
Carlo, c	3	1	1	3	1	0
Van Jura, ss	4	0	0	4	1	0
Brennan, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
zRiccarini	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spina, 1b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Roberto, 2b	0	1	0	0	2	0
Cimini, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Williams, rf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Storie, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Clerici, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Carmel, p	2	0	2	0	2	0
	22	5	6*18		6	1

IUE	000	113	0—5
Ida & John's	210	100	2—6

x—Walked for Whittlesey in 7th.
zRan for Brennan in 4th.
RBI—Cook 2, Bell, Lyons, Klemansky, Mogavero, Spina, Cimini, Carlo, Roberto, J. Williams. 2B—Cook 3B—Bell. SB—Franchebois, Guarda 2. SAC—Roberto, Carmel. DP—Van Jura to Spina, Ladd to Guarda. LOB—IUE 13, Ida & John's 12. BB—Carmel 9, Moon 5, Klemansky 4, Guarda 5. SO—Carmel 2, Moon 1, Klemanski 1, Guarda 2, Bonacificola 1. HO—Moon, 3 in 32-3; Klemansky, 2 in 1 2-3; Guarda, 0 in 2-3; Bonivitacolo, 1 in 1. HBP—Klemansky (Spina). WP—Klemansky. Balk—Moon. D— Bonavitacola. L—Carmel. U—Mole and Ricciarini. T—2h, 15m.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	1	1	0	0	0	0
xBassi	1	0	0	0	0	0
Massacani, 2b	1	1	0	0	0	0
Powers, ss	2	1	0	0	0	0
Curletti, 1b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Curletti, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	1
Miller, rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
xxKellogg	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tetreault, rf, 1b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Lausier, 3b	3	0	1	2	1	1
Rivard, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
LaPointe, lf	2	0	0	1	0	1
O'Laughlin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farry, c	3	1	1	12	0	0
White, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
	24	3	3	19	4	4

ADAMS SUPERMARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Chesney, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Frydel, rf, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Boyd, cf	3	2	0	0	0	0
Farnsworth, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massaconi, p	3	0	0	0	3	2
Falkenbush, ss	3	1	2	1	0	1
Donahue, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
Carpenter, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zCarnevale	1	0	0	0	0	0
Russo, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olds, c	3	0	1	11	0	0
Luz, 3b	2	0	0	2	0	1
Flaherty, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	0
Reed, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	3	3*	19	4	4

Moldmaster	100	010	2—4
Adams Supermarkets	000	210	0—3

x—Struck out for Nilan in 5th.
xx—Ran for Miller in 7th.
z—Struck out for Carpenter in 6th.
*—One out in 5th when winning run scored.
RBI—Donahue, Tetreault 2. 3B—Falkenbush, Lausier. SB—Boyd 3, Carpenter, Powers 2, Massaconi, Tetreault, Farry, White. SAC—Donahue, Powers 2, Tetreault. LOB—Adams Supermarkets 5, Moldmaster 8. BB—White 3, Massaconi 5. SO—White 11, Massaconi 11. HBP—White (Boyd). WP—Massaconi. Balk—White. PB—Olds2 . W—White, Massaconi. U—Brennan, Miller, Pansecchi. T—1h, 27m.

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Walsh, cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Sangiovanni, 2b	3	1	0	2	1	1
Rohlfs, ss	4	3	2	0	2	1
Ladd, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	1
Giardina, c	3	1	1	7	0	0
Hall, 1b	3	0	2	8	0	0
Nicklaw, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Shade, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Carifey, rf	3	1	1	0	0	1
	30	8	9	21	9	4

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Royal, 3b	2	1	0	4	0	3
Washburn, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Daligian, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Goyette, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wheat, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Pierce, rf, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Downey, 1b	2	0	0	4	0	0
O'Neil, c	2	0	1	7	1	1
Charow, c	1	0	0	2	2	0
Papallo, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
McConnell, 2b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Doyle, p	2	0	0	2	3	1
Allen, ss	3	0	0	1	0	2
	25	1	3	21	6	7

Union Federal	010	402	—8
General Electric	001	000	0—1

RBI—Hall 2, Walsh 2, Ladd 2. 2B—Hall, Rohlfs 2. HR—Walsh. SB—Giardina, Rohlfs 2, Shade. SAC—Royal. DP—Doyle to Downey. LOB—Union Federal 5, General Electric 7. BB—Doyle 4, Nicklaw 3. SO—Doyle 7, Nicklaw 7. W—Nicklaw. L—Doyle. U—Brindle and Strizzi. T—2h.

Optimists Win 5th Game In Ruth League Second Half

AMERICAN STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Optimists	5	0	Gen. Electric	3	3
Besse-Clarke	5	2	Adams Super	2	5
Moldmaster	5	3	VFW	1	7

NATIONAL STANDINGS

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
GEAA	5	3	Imperial L.	3	4
IUE 255	5	3	Union Federal	3	4
Terminal D.	3	3	Ida & John's	1	4

GAMES TODAY

At Deming—VFW vs. Terminal Diner.
At Wahconah—Adams Super Markets vs. Moldmaster.

The Optimist Club took its fifth second-half win against no losses by beating Terminal Diner 5-3 yesterday afternoon in the second game of a Babe Ruth Baseball League double-header at Deming Field. A four-run fourth inning, in which the Optimists scored four runs on three walks and two triples did the trick. Frank Murray was the winning pitcher.

Steve Kruczkowski had two singles and a triple for the winners and Sam Russo belted a long triple. Kevin Curley had a single and a home run and drive in all the losers' scores.

In the first game Moldmaster took advantage of 13 bases on balls and five errors by the Ida and John's team to score an easy 11-5 victory. It was the seventh triumph of the season for pitcher Dick Powers. Gene Curletti led Moldmaster with two base hits. Roger Ladd had three singles for the losers.

Tommy Grieve paced GEAA with a grand slam homer, a triple and singles and drove across five runs as his team trounced Ida and John's 15-3 Saturday morning at Deming Field. Joe LaBrie held the restaurant team to four hits, all singles, to get the win.

Imperial Lanes was forced to forfeit its game to IUE Saturday morning at North Junior High as the Imperial club could field only eight men.

The scores:

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kruczkowski, lf	4	1	3	3	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	3	2	1	2	1	0
Russo, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Woitkoski, ss	3	0	1	2	2	0
Garstang, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Carey, cf	1	0	0	2	0	0
*Spiewak, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	0	1	7	0	0
Pleau, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Murray, p	2	1	0	1	1	0
	25	5	8	21	5	1

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Puntin, cf	3	1	1	3	1	0
Noetzel, p	2	1	1	0	1	1
Boteze, ss	4	0	1	0	1	1
Curley, 1b	4	1	2	4	0	0
Ellsworth, 2b, 3b, c	4	0	2	4	1	0
James, c, 2b	4	0	0	7	1	0
Masino, 3b, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Salvatore, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Bernardo, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
	28	3	8	18	5	2

OPTIMISTS	001	400	x—5
TERMINAL DINER	200	000	1—3

*Flied out for Carey in 3rd.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, ss, 2b	3	1	0	0	2	0
Powers, p	4	2	1	0	2	0
Curletti, cf, rf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Tetreault, c, 1b	3	2	1	10	0	1
Hurley, 3b	3	2	1	1	1	0
Bassi, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	1
xO'Laughlin, lf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Farry, lf, c	2	0	0	5	0	0
Kellogg, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lausier, cf, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
Miller, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
zRivard, 2b, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
	27	11	5	18	6	2

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bates, rf, p	3	1	0	0	0	0
Bonavitacola, 2b	4	1	2	0	2	1
Lyons, 1b	3	1	0	7	0	1
Ladd, cf	4	1	3	1	0	0
Martin, p, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Rilla, lf	3	1	1	2	0	1
Moon, ss	3	0	2	1	2	0
Klemansky, 3b	3	0	1	1	5	1
Schermerhorn, c	2	0	0	6	0	1
	28	5	9	18*10		5

MOLDMASTER	241	121—	11
IDA & JOHN'S	103	001—	5

xRan for Bassi in 4th.
zRan for Miller in 3rd.
*Called at the end of 6th. Time limit.

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Murphy, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cheever, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
LaBrie, p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Orazio, 3b, 1b	3	2	0	1	0	0
Grieve, cf	5	3	3	2	0	0
Southard, 1b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Jobson, 3b, 2b	0	0	0	2	0	2
Handerek, lf	3	3	0	1	0	0
Palmeri, ss	3	2	2	2	0	1
Boyer, c	3	3	2	12	0	0
Lewis, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chotniere, 2b, 3b	1	1	0	0	0	0
	28	15	8	21	2	3

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a
Bonavitacola, 2b, p	4	0	1	1	2
Mogavero, lf	2	0	0	0	0
Schermerhorn, lf, c	2	0	0	1	0
Cook, ss	2	2	1	1	0
Lyons, 1b	4	0	1	6	0
Ladd, p, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Martin, c, 2b	2	1	0	9	2
Rilla, cf	4	0	1	1	0
Moon, rf	2	0	0	1	0
Klemanski, 3b	3	0	0	1	2
	28	3	4	21	6

GEAA	032	242	2—15
IDA & JOHN'S	100	011	0— 3

General Electric Tops VFW, Creates BR First-Place Tie

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	8	2	Terminal	5	4
VFW 448	8	2	GEAA	5	4
Moldmaster	7	2	Ida & John's	6	5
Besse-Clarke	5	4	Imperial	3	8
GE	4	6	Union Fed.	2	7
Adams Mkts.	3	6	IUE 255	1	7

GAMES TODAY

At North—Adams Super Markets vs. Besse-Clarke.

The General Electric team dropped VFW 448 from first place in the Babe Ruth American League to a first-place tie with Optimist Club by downing the Veterans' squad 3-1 last night at North Junior High Field. Ed McConnell pitched a three-hitter for the winners and fanned 14. It was his third win.

Neddy Evans was charged with his first loss against three victories. GE made all its runs in the fifth on a walk, an error and three singles. Jim Downey's single drove in two runs.

Jim Mahan singled off McConnell in the first. McConnell then held the VFW hitless until the sixth when Mahan doubled. Evans drove him in for the only run for the losers.

Close Game at Deming

Ida and John's nipped Imperial Lanes 3-2 at Deming Field with Al Cook getting the win on a two-hitter. A two-run rally in the fourth with the score 2-1 did the trick for the restaurant team.

In the fourth Cook and Roger Ladd hit successive singles. They worked a double steal, and with one out, Johnny Rilla laid down a perfect squeeze bunt scoring Cook. As the throw went to first base, the hustling Ladd kept on coming and scored on the play also.

Cook led his club with two hits. Chuck Simonelli had two singles for Imperial Lanes.

The scores:

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Washburn, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Wheat, cf, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Downey, 1b	2	0	1	5	0	0
Pierce, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Goyette, cf	0	0	0	0	1	0
McConnell, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Royal, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
xO'Neil, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Charow, c	3	0	1	13	1	0
Allen, ss	2	1	0	0	1	0
	22	3	5	21	7	0

VFW 448

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Massaconi, 3b	2	0	0	1	2	0
xDeLuce, ss	1	0	0	1	1	0
Mahan, ss, 3b	2	1	2	1	1	0
Evans, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Kelly, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Rilla, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ewing, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Powers, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
zzHoeske	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzzArchey	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reilly, 1b	2	0	0	6	0	0
Kellar, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
aWood	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	1	3	18	7	1

GE	000	030	—3
VFW	000	001	0—1

x—Hit by pitch for Royal in 6th.
z—Struck out for Massaconi in 6th.

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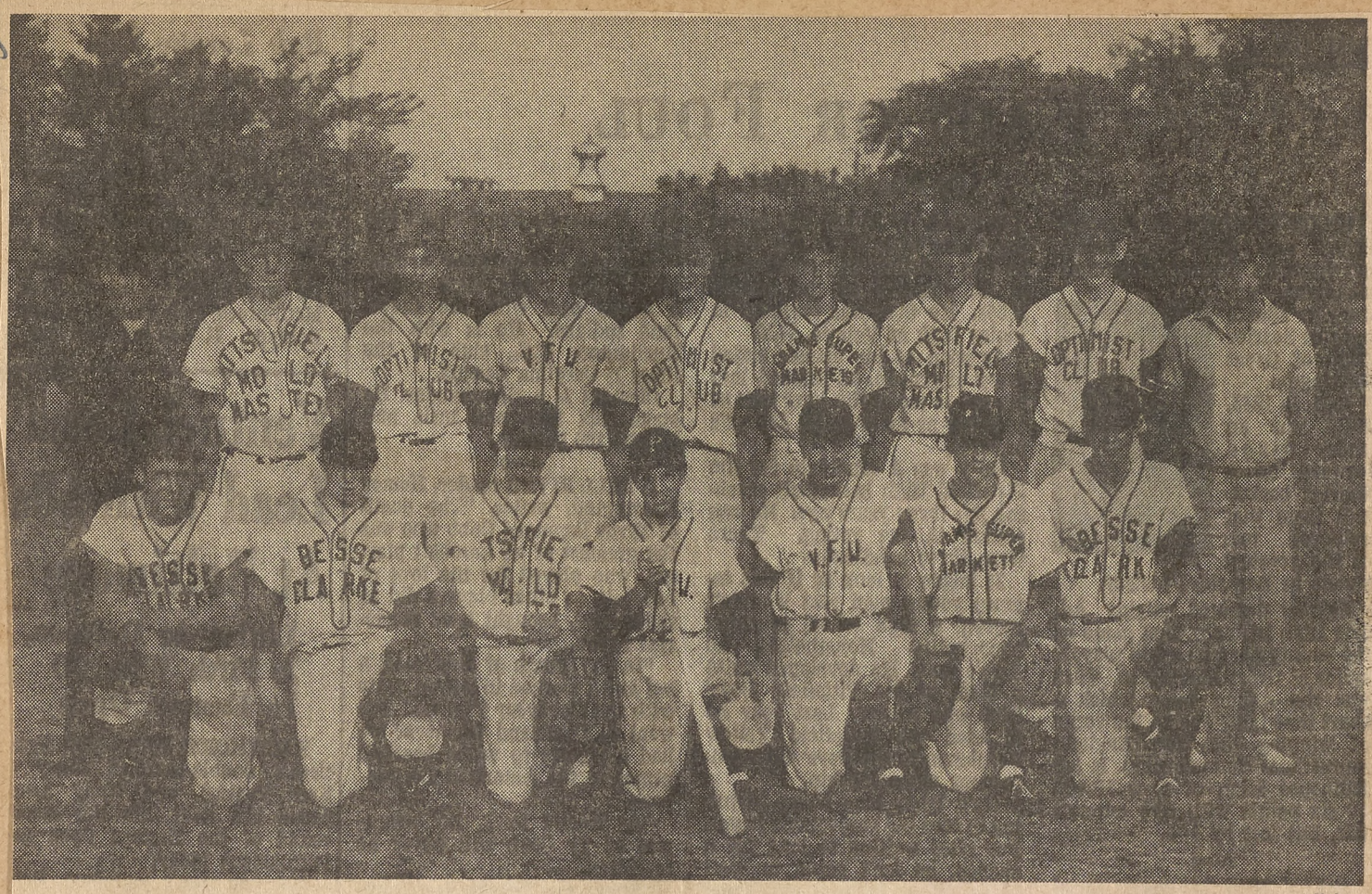
Drive just a few miles on a hot day then touch your tires — this same heat causes old tire



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BEST IN WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS, the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars play their first game in the Massachusetts Babe Ruth baseball tournament at Parkhill Park in Fitchburg tomorrow afternoon at 1:30. A second game matches teams from Quincy and Worcester. The winners of tomorrow's games meet Sunday afternoon for the state title with the losers of the first-round games playing a consolation contest. All-Star team personnel pictured are, left to right: first row, John Kinnas, Darryl Rustic, Dick Powers, batboy Skip Archey, Jim Mahan, Mike Massaconi, and Jack Doyle; second row, manager Ray Meandro, Dave Tetreault, Sam Russo, Denny Kelly, Len Spiewak, Dick Falkenbush, John Hurley, Collin Garstang and coach Harry Rustic. Missing from the picture are coach Tony Nugai and players Ed McConnell and Pete Rilla. The team travels to Fitchburg by private car tomorrow morning and will stay at the Raymond Hotel.

Motorists Have Choice Of Routes to Fitchburg

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Persons driving to Fitchburg for the Babe Ruth state finals tomorrow and Sunday have a choice of two routes. One way is from North Adams on Rte. 2 and east on Rte. 2 to Westminster. East of Westminster take Rte. 2A into Fitchburg.

Another way, probably a little shorter, is via Rte. 9 to Amherst, from Amherst to Pelham on Rte. 7, and from Pelham north to Rte. 2 on Rte. 202. The rest of the way is the same as the North Adams route.

According to information from the Fitchburg Chamber of Commerce, Parkhill Park, the site of the tournament can be reached as follows:

Follow Rte. 2A into Fitchburg where it becomes River Street. Continue past two sets of paper mills which are quite a distance apart. The second is the Fitchburg Paper Co. After the mills the street goes under a railroad bridge and soon comes into a small rotary. Turn right at the rotary into Daniels Street.

Where Daniels Street curves around to the right, keep straight into Woodland Street. Take the first left beyond the Aubuchon Funeral Parlor into Pratt Road. The park can be seen from that point.

There are also signs in the area giving directions to Billie Mundie memorial diamond, which is located in the park.

The trip from Pittsfield to Fitchburg is about 110 miles.

GE Tops IUE 255 in BR Play; All-Star Contest Tomorrow

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STANDINGS

American			National		
Besse-Clarke	1	0	Union Federal	1	0
Adams Sup.	1	0	Terminal Diner	1	0
Gen. Elec.	1	0	Imperial Lanes	0	0
Optimist Club	0	0	IUE 255	0	1
VFW 448	0	0	Ida & John's	0	1
Moldmaster	0	1	GEAA	0	1

SCHEDULE

Today—Imperial Lanes vs. Terminal Diner, Wahconah Park; Union Federal vs. Optimists, Deming Field.

Tomorrow—National League All-Stars vs. American League All-Stars, Wahconah Park, 2:30.

Yesterday's games in the Babe Ruth Baseball League, the first of the second half, ended in one-run decisions.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30, the American League all - stars will play the National League all-stars at Wahconah Park.

In the first contest, General Electric of the American League defeated IUE 255's hopes of raising its position by rejecting its bids 3-2. Jim Clark was the offensive spokesman for the union team with three singles and two RBIs. Ed McConnell protected the management's stand, giving up only four hits.

A seventh - inning proposal by IUE yielded only one run to fall short as General Electric held out.

Dave Allen paced the winners with two for two, one being a triple.

In the game at Wahconah Park, Besse-Clarke of the American division defeated GEAA of the American 4-3. Besse-Clarke led for the first five innings, 3-0 but had its lead dwindle to one run in the sixth as Louis Orazio tripled and tallied Tommy Grieve's sacrifice fly and a second run scored. The winning pitcher was Pete Sullivan.

In the top of the seventh, GEAA, put together two singles, an error and a sacrifice to tie the game. Besse-Clarke's winning run was scored by Darryl Rustic on an error.

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doyle, 3b	4	0	0	2	4	0
Washburn, rf	4	1	1	0	0	1
Wheat, lf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Downey, 1b	3	0	0	8	1	0
McConnell, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Royal, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	1
Goyette, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Charron, c	3	2	1	6	1	0
Allen, ss	2	0	2	0	0	0
	2	0	*2	0	0	0
	27	3	6	21	9	3

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Francheboise, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Clark, lf	4	0	3	1	0	0
Carlo, ss	4	0	0	3	0	0
VanJura, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
Carmel, 3b, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Williams, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Delmolino, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Barry, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brennan, 1b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Clericki, 1b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Spina, c	1	0	0	12	1	0
Ruberto, 2b	0	1	0	1	0	0
z-Farrell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Riccarini, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
zz-Cimini	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	2	4	21	2	1

Z—Struck out for Ruberto in fifth.
ZZ—Popped up for Riccarini in seventh.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, c	2	2	0	8	1	2
Rustic, 2b	4	2	2	1	3	1
Doyle, ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Kinnas, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Sullivan, p	2	0	0	0	2	1
Lear, 1b	2	0	0	8	0	0
Zack, 3b	3	0	0	1	0	0
A. Pero, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vanasse, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
x-Marshall	1	0	1	0	0	0
	24	4	4	21	9	4

GEAA

LaBrie, 1b	4	0	1	7	0	2
Boyer, c	3	0	0	7	1	0
Orazio, p	4	1	1	0	4	0
Grieve, ss, 2b	2	0	1	0	2	0
Southard, cf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Biasioli, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	1
Henderek, lf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Murphy, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
z-Hamilton,	1	0	0	0	0	0
zz-Choiner	1	0	1	0	0	0
Woodson, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzz—Palmeri	2	1	0	1	2	0
	27	3	5	20*	11	3

*Two out when winning run scored.
X—Singled for Vanasse in seventh.
Z—Struck out for Murphy in fifth.
ZZ—Singled for Hamilton in seventh.
ZZZ—Ran for Lewis in third.

Garstang, Sarosy Throw Two-Hit Ruth League Wins

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimists	6	0	IUE 255	5	3
Besse-Clarke	5	2	GEAA	5	4
Moldmaster	5	3	Imp. Lanes	4	4
Gen. Electric	3	4	Terminal Diner	3	3
Adams Sp. Mk.	2	5	Union Federal	3	4
VFW 448	1	7	Ida & John's	1	4

GAMES TODAY

IUE 255 vs. Ida & John's at Deming.
Union Federal vs. Besse-Clarke at North Junior High.

Collin Garstang and Ray Sarosy pitched two-hit victories in League games last night. The Optimist Club scored its sixth straight win behind Garstang over the GEAA 6-3 at Wahconah Park. It was Garstang's fourth victory.

Lou Orazio and Joe LaBrie did the pitching for GEAA and held the Optimists to two hits. Orazio went until the fifth and gave up the two safeties. He walked five and hit one batter. LaBrie walked two.

Steve Kruczkowski smacked a long double and Garstang a single for the winners' two hits. Dave Palmeri and LaBrie had singles for GEAA.

The game was held up for 33 minutes because the setting sun was blinding the batters and the catcher.

Sarosy mixed a slow curve with his fast ball to fan 15 batters as his Imperial Lanes team blanked General Electric 5-0 at Deming Field. He walked only one and the GE club could get only two balls out of the infield.

Imperial's four runs in the first were more than enough. Al Lemone paced the winners with two singles and two RBIs. Dave Allen pitched well in relief for GE.

The scores:

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kruczkowski, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	2	1	0	5	1	1
Russo, 2b	2	0	0	2	1	2
Woitkoski, ss	0	1	0	1	3	1
Garstang, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
Spiewak, 3b	2	1	0	0	1	1
Lucaroni, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	0	0	9	1	2
Martino, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pleau, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
	17	6	2	18	8	7

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cholnere, 2b	2	0	0	1	4	1
z-Jobson, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Palmeri, ss	2	1	1	1	0	0
Orazio, p, 3b	3	1	0	1	3	0
LaBrie, 1b, p	2	0	1	4	2	0
Southard, 3b, 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Murphy, cf	3	0	0	0	0	1
Henderek, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Boyer, c	3	0	0	7	1	0
Lewis, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cheever, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	3	2	18	11	2

z—Walked for Cholnere in 4th.

OPTIMISTS	022	110—6
GEAA	200	010—3

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Albano, 2b	3	1	0	1	0	0
Quinlan, 3b	4	1	0	0	0	0
Kearns, lf	2	1	0	1	0	0
DeSantis, c	4	1	1	15	1	1
Simonelli, ss	3	1	1	0	1	1
Sarosy, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lemone, 1b	4	0	2	4	0	0
Vosburgh, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Lacy, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	5	6	21	2	2

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Slonski, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Scago, 3b	1	0	0	1	2	1
O'Neil, c	3	0	0	7	0	1
Washburn, rf, lf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Downey, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Charrow, lf, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Royal, 2b	3	0	1	3	2	0
Allen, ss, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
Goyette, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gasson, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Doyle, p, ss	2	0	0	2	1	1
	25	0	2	21	9	3

IMPERIAL LANES	400	001—5

Rain Halts BR Tourney Game; Play Resumes Tomorrow

Babe Ruth Baseball League officials made every effort to get in the District 1A tournament game between the Pittsfield American League All-Stars and the Great Barrington All-Stars last night, but were thwarted by the heavy shower. The game was moved from soggy Wahconah Park to a drier Clapp diamond, but was a rain casualty after a scoreless inning and a half.

The contest has been rescheduled for tomorrow night at 6 at Clapp and will pick up from the point of interruption. The Pittsfield team was at bat in the last of the second with Jack Doyle on first and no one out.

The Pittsfield loop will have regular games tonight with VFW and Adams Super Markets at North Junior High Field and Imperial Lanes playing Moldmaster at Deming. League play will be suspended tomorrow night because of the All-Star contest.

Thursday night GEAA will meet General Electric at North, and Besse-Clarke and IUE will clash at Deming. Friday's games match Terminal Diner and Ida and John's at Wahconah and Adams Super Markets and Union Federal at Deming.

Massaconi Starts Strong

Pittsfield right-hander Mike Massaconi started strong by fanning the first two Great Barrington hitters on seven pitches. Tom Shultis then singled to center field and Rick Coons was hit by a pitch. On a bad throw from the catcher back to the pitcher the ball rolled to center field. Shultis tried to score from second and was nipped at the plate.

Big Jim McGarry was on the mound for the southern Berkshire team. Jim Mahan led off with a single to right. Sam Russo's sacrifice bunt went for a hit when McGarry fell in fielding the ball. Pete Rilla struck out and Dave Tetreault flied deep to center. Mahan tried to advance to third after the catch but was nailed on a fine throw from Coons.

Great Barrington went down in order in the second on an infield out and two strikeouts. Doyle led off with an infield single into the hole between third and short. At this point the deluge started and the game was halted. Umpires Ray Chamberland and Lou Scaramuzzi and Ruth officials decided shortly after that it would be impossible to play any more last night, and the new date was set.

Go, Go, Greenwoods

FAIR OR FOUL

By Roger O'Gara

THE DARIEN, Conn., team, New England's representative to the Babe Ruth Baseball League's national championship tournament at Glendive, Mont., next week, should be of more than passing interest to Pittsfield. For two Pittsfield natives and their two male offspring have a strong tie with the club.

To begin, 15-year-old Bobby Greenwood, star second baseman and one of the leading hitters, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. (Doc) Greenwood. Doc was an outstanding outfielder for the Morningside All-Stars of the Pittsfield City League and for Bates College in the 1930s. Mrs. Greenwood is the former Mildred Cowlin of Pittsfield.

Next, the coach is Ronald Greenwood, a 19-year-old Ithaca College sophomore. He is Bobby's older brother.

Then, dad Greenwood is president of the Darien Babe Ruth League.

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SO ALL FOUR Greenwoods are en route to Montana at the moment. The boys are riding in a bus. It'll take two and one-half days, with the only stops for dining and fueling.

"They'll live right on the thing," Doc said by telephone from New York Tuesday afternoon. We caught him at his office in the Lexington Avenue building of the General Electric Company. He's manager of production and procedures.

He wasn't happy about the bus as a means of transportation, but said a national rule in the Babe Ruth League provided such travel this year.

We noted that the 1960 Pittsfield American Legion team went in style — by plane — for most of the way to the national tournament in Hastings, Neb.

"That's the way our boys should be going," he said.

Glendive is farther than Hastings.

"This isn't an alibi, but it's a fact that the Darien team probably will be traveling a greater distance than any other tournament entry," he said. "The boys will be very tired after a haul like that."

Doc and Mildred decided to drive. They left Darien yesterday. The tournament will start Monday, but Darien isn't scheduled until Tuesday. Its first opponent will be Portland, Ore. Play will be double elimination.

Glendive, which is in the heart of the Wild West country, has made lavish plans for the event.

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DARIEN IS represented by the same team that went so far three years ago in the Little Baseball League World Series at Williamsport, Pa. At that time, Bobby Greenwood played second base and left field. Now he is exclusively a second baseman.

According to his father, Bobby stands five feet, nine inches, and weighs 140 pounds. A right-hander all the way, he batted .450 during the regular season. He hit "three or four triples but no homers," Doc said. He was four for nine in the regional tournament at Concord, N.H.

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BOBBY WILL BE a sophomore at Darien High in the fall.

He played all three major sports in his final year of junior high. He was quarterback on the football team, but his father says he won't play the sport in high school. He suffered a torn knee cartilage, and will undergo an operation as soon as he returns to Darien after the tournament. He was captain of his junior high basketball team, and will try for the varsity in high school.

Doc is enthused about Al Siemering, the team's No. 1 pitcher. Al stands six feet, and weighs 216 pounds.

He has allowed an average of only two hits a game, and didn't permit a run in the two contests he pitched in the Connecticut finals.

He also is a fair hitter, Doc reported.

"One of his home runs went 420 feet," he said.

Siemering's best pitch, Doc said, is a curve.

"He isn't as fast as you would expect, with all of that size," he noted.

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DOC WAS a Morningside All-Star teammate of such fine players as Archie Allen, Eddie Hickey, Floyd Hinckley, the late Vin Kearney, the late Tommy Curtin, Andy Corrinet, Jack Madden, Lew Wesley, Fran Pelkey and Lloyd Engle.

He also excelled in debating. He was a varsity competitor in that activity at Pittsfield High and Bates.

He was transferred by the GE from Pittsfield to New York in 1952.

Mrs. Adolph Greenwood of 152 Appleton Avenue is the paternal grandmother of the second baseman and the coach. Uncles are Raymond Greenwood of 154 Appleton Avenue and John (Doggy) Cowlin of 180 East Housatonic Street, Dalton. Doggy was a star football lineman at St. Joseph's High in the 1930s.

Massaconi, Garstang Star In American's Title Win

7/31/41

Scintillating relief pitching by Mike Massaconi and timely hitting by Collin Garstang were the big factors in the Pittsfield Babe Ruth American League All-Stars' 6-1 vicory over Holyoke for the Western Massachusetts championship Saturday afternoon at Wahconah Park. Massaconi pitched two-hit ball over the last five innings and Garstang had a single and double and drove across three runs.

State Tourney Next

The triumph gains admission for the local team to the state playoffs in Fitchburg. The Massachusetts event will take place next Saturday and Sunday.

Dave Tetreault, Pittsfield catcher was the only other two-hit batter in the game. He belted two doubles and drove in one run. He scored twice.

A three-run fourth inning for the local club which broke a 1-1 tie put Coach Ray Meandro's boys ahead to stay. They added two for insurance in the sixth. Pete Rilla led off the fourth with a single through the hole between short and third, Pittsfield's second safety of the game. Tetreault then belted his first double, a long smash to right, that enabled the speedy Rilla to score from first.

Jack Doyle singled, sending Tetreault to third. After Doyle stole second, Garstang, who had the Americans' first hit in the second, doubled far over the center fielder's head, scoring Tetreault and Doyle. Massaconi kept the rally alive with a base hit, Garstang stopping at third.

A Pitching Change

Bill Trudell came in at this point to relieve Holyoke starter Hank Piquette. Trudell got the visitors out of the inning without further trouble on a strike-out and a double play.

Garstang started on the mound for Pittsfield. Although he did not allow a hit, control was his problem and he was relieved by Massaconi in the top of the third when a Pittsfield error and two walks had loaded the bases. Jim Nordling, the first man to face Massaconi, hit a sacrifice fly to right that brought Jim Moore in with Holyoke's only run.

The valley team did not get a hit until the sixth inning when Dick Zajac singled between third and short. Holyoke's othe rsafety was a Texas Leaguer by Jim Machnik in the seventh.

Pittsfield opened the scoring in the first on two Holyoke errors and Rilla's sacrifice fly. The insurance scores in the sixth came on Tetreault's second double, an infield out, Garstang's sacrifice fly, walks to Massaconi and John Hurley and pinch hitter Denny Kelly's single.

The paid attendance was 105 and $52.50 was collected.

The score:

PITTSFIELD AMERICANS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Mahan, 3b	4	1	0	3	2	1
Russo, 2b	2	0	0	2	1	1
Rilla, cf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Tefreault, c	3	2	2	5	0	0
Doyle, ss	3	1	1	2	3	1
Garstang, p, lf	2	0	2	3	1	0
Massaconi, lf, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
Hurley, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
Kinnas, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
xKelly	1	0	1	0	0	0
zPowers	0	0	0	0	0	0
McConnell, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nordling, 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Palmer, 1b	2	0	0	8	2	1
Healy, c	3	0	0	5	1	0
Zajac, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Demuth, ss	3	0	0	1	2	0
Piquette, p	2	0	0	0	1	1
Trudell, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
	25	1	2	18	11	2

PITTSFIELD	100 302 x—6
HOLYOKE	001 000 0—1

xSingled for Kinnas in 6th.

zRan for Kelly in 6th.

RBI—Garstang 3, Rilla, Tetreault, Kelly, Nordling. 2B—Tetreault 2, Garstang. SB—Doyle, Moore, Machnik, Zajac. SAC—Garstang, Nordling, Rilla. DP—Piquette, Palmer and Healy; Palmer and Demuth. LOB—Holyoke 9, Pittsfield 4. BB—Garstang 4, Trudell 2. SO—Garstang 3, Massaconi 2, Trudell 3. HO—Garstang 0 in 2 innings, Massaconi 2 in 5, Piquette 6 in 3, Trudell 2 in 3. HBP—Garstang (Zajac). WP—Massaconi. PB—Tetreault. W—Mike Massaconi. L—Hank Piquette. U—Durand and Bruni. T—1 h, 57m.

Pete Sullivan, Jack Doyle Star in Besse-Clarke Win

7/13

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
GE	2	0	Terminal	2	1
Optimists	1	0	Imperial	1	1
Besse-Clarke	2	1	IUE 255	1	1
Adams Mkts.	1	1	Ida & John's	1	1
Moldmaster	1	1	Union Fed.	1	2
VFW 448	0	2	GEAA	0	2

GAMES TODAY

At Wahconah—Adams Super Markets vs. IUE 255.

At Deming—GEAA vs. Moldmaster.

The pitching arm of Pete Sullivan and the bat of Jack Doyle were the victory factors for Besse Clark last night in the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League game at Deming Field as Besse's edged Terminal Diner 2-1. Sullivan held the Diner team to three hits and Doyle belted a two-run homer in the first inning.

Carl Boteze started for Terminal. He was relieved by Paul Noetzel in the third. Noetzel allowed one hit and one walk the rest of the way.

Terminal did not get a hit until the fifth when Mickey Sangiovanni beat out a roller to short. He scored his club's run moments later on a throwing error. Bill Puntin and Kevin Curley made outstanding defensive plays for the losers. Puntin's catch of a line drive by Doyle in the third robbed the Besse Clark player of a possible second home run.

Ray Sarosy threw a four-hitter for Imperal Lanes in its 6-1 victory over Union Federal at Wahconah Field. He struck out 14 and walked only one. A muffed pop fly and two of the hits in the first inning robbed Sarosy of his shutout.

Back to back triples by Tom Dawley and Charlie Simonelli put Imperial Lanes ahead to stay in the fourth. Bill Kozack of the winners and Freddie Sangiovanni of the losers had a single and double apiece.

The scores:

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Kozack, ss	4	2	2	0	1	0
Kearns, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Lacy, 1b	1	0	1	0	0	0
DeSantis, c	3	0	1	15	0	0
Simonelli, 3b	3	1	1	1	1	0
Dawley, cf	3	1	1	0	0	1
Quinlan, cf, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Sarosy, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Selva, rf	1	0	0	1	1	0
Vosburgh, rf, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lemone, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	0
xAlbano, rf	2	1	1	1	0	0
	29	6	8	21	4	1

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sangiovanni, 2b	3	1	2	3	1	1
Walsh, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Rohlfs, ss, p	3	0	0	0	6	1
Giardina, c	3	0	1	5	0	0
Ladd, 3b, ss	3	0	1	0	4	0
Jacoby, 1b	0	0	0	4	0	1
Nagle, 1b	1	0	0	5	0	0
zDoolan	1	0	0	0	0	0
Shade, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
zzSykes	1	0	0	0	0	0
Caritey, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mowka, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carlo, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
Nicklaw, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	0
	25	1	4	21	14	3

Union Federal	100 203 0—6
Imperial	100 000 0—1

x—Singled for Lemone in 6th.

z—Struck out for Nagle in 7th.

zz—Struck out for Shade in 7th.

RBI—DeSantis 2, Dawley, Smith, Kozack, Lacy, Ladd. 2B—Kozack, Sangiovanni, Ladd. 3B—Dawley, Simonelli. SB—Jacoby, Vosburgh, Lemone. SAC—Smith, Simonelli, Sarosy. LOB—Imperial Lanes 9, Union Federal 4. BB—Sarosy 1, Carlo 1, Rohlfs 3. SO—Sarosy 14, Carlo 1, Rohlfs 3. HO—Carlo, 4 in 3 1-3; Rohlfs, 4 in 3 2-3. PB—DeSantis, Giardina. L—Carlo. U—Nestasia and Mole. T—2h, 5m.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, c	2	0	1	9	0	0
Rustic, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Doyle, ss	2	1	1	2	1	0
Kinnas, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sullivan, p	2	0	0	1	3	0
Lear, 1b	2	0	1	6	1	1
Zack, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Pero, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	20	2	4	21	7	1

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sangiovanni, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Noetzel, rf, cf, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Boteze, p, ss	3	0	1	1	1	0
Curley, 1b	3	0	0	5	1	0
Ellsworth, ss, lf	2	0	1	0	1	0
Crooks, 2b	3	0	0	3	2	0
Puntin, cf, lf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Mancivalano, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Robertson, 3b, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Fresia, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hofe, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Masino, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
	24	1	3	18	6	0

Besse-Clarke	200 000 —2
Terminal Diner	000 010 0—1

A MINOR MISHAP delayed one of the fire companies while the Holy Trinity Cadets Drum and Bugle Corps, winners of the Weatherby Memorial Trophy, march by, colors flying. The blue and white-clad group from Boston won first prize in the junior competition for the third year in a row. Antique Williamsburg fire truck rejoined parade after a wheel was replaced.

BICENTENNIAL THEME was a winner for the Pittsfield Jaycees who captured first prize for floats with this giant birthday cake. Presiding over the float is Miss Pittsfield of 1961, Miss Susan Olson, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Olson, 716 North St.

Photos by Librizzi

READY TO ATTACK the gasoline and oil fire during muster contest yesterday were Lee firemen. Hinsdale placed first in the new event but Lee still came out on top, winning two other events and $275.

Drum Corps Contests

Holy Trinity Cadets Capture 2nd Leg on Weatherby Trophy

By JOHN S. STEELE 7/5/61

The Holy Trinity Cadets of Boston won the second leg on the Capt. Charles A. Weatherby trophy at Wahconah Park yesterday afternoon. In the junior drum and bugle corps competition, sponsored by the Pittsfield Permanent Firemen's Association, the blue and white-clad Cadets won out rather handily over six other units to come within one victory of permanent possession of trophy offered in the name of the late Pittsfield firefighter. The trophy was presented by Mrs. Weatherby.

Rochester Crusaders Win

In second place, the interesting Pittsfield Boys' Club Cavaliers had a two-point margin over the Grenadiers of New Britain, Conn., and four pooints over the fast-rising Monarchs of this city, whose color guard is among the best in their class. Unranked, the Valiant Crusaders of Rensselaer, N.Y., the Millers Falls Conquerers, and the West Swanzey, N.H., Scarlet Marauders completed the roster of competing corps.

In the senior competition, the Crusaders from Rochester, N.Y., stood head and shoulders above two other New York State groups, the Matadors of Courtland and the Binghamton Vagabonds. The Crusaders, who appeared in this area several years ago without success, were an outstanding drum corps yesterday. On the basis of one-tenth of a point penalty for every deviation of cadence, alignment, or musicianship, the Crusaders scored an excellent 87.4 to win the $700 first prize. The Matadors won $600 for second place, and the Vagabonds took hom $450 third place money.

The Matadors featured an extremely talented soloist in a performance of Leroy Anderson's "Trumpeter's Lullaby." Neither they nor the Vagabonds could approach the all-around ability of the green and black-uniformed Crusaders, however. They have not been defeated so far this year and on their showing yesterday, have a great chance to remain unbeaten this season.

Holy Trinity, trim in blue and white uniforms featured 23 well-played bugles and a snappy 12-girl color guard. In fact, the fine Boys' Club Cavaliers were the only junior corps not to include girls.

The Boys' Club drill team started things off with an exhibition and were followed on the field by the Skyhawks, Pittsfield junior corps manned by 8 to 14-year-old youngsters who showed very well in their exhibition.

Cash Prizes Awarded

Prizes awarded to the juniors, in addition to trophies, were $300 for first place, $200 for second, and $100 for third. Schores for the juniors were: Holy Trinity, 79.5; the Cavaliers, 72.5; New Britain's Grenadiers, 70.5; and the Monarchs, 68.5. Trailing the Crusaders in the senior event, the Matadors scored an even 75.00, and the Vogabonds, 70.3.

Runners for the judges, who were members of the All-American Judges Association, were from the Imperials, local juniors. The Imperials announced following the competition that they had retired from competition for the balance of this year but will concentrate on building for next year.

Councilman John F. Fraser was master of ceremonies. Chairmen of the muster committee, Captain Paul L. Benham and Lieutenant Eugene F. Coty briefly addressed the crowd which numbered at least 5,000.

The only victim of the affair was Dennis Keneston of Rensselaer, bass drummer of the Valiant Crusaders, who toppled over during the Crusaders, drill and was taken to Pittsfield General Hospital where he was treated and released.

Bearded Brothers Make Plea For Waiver of Park Rules

7/27

The Bearded Brothers of Berkshire called today for a waiving of the Pittsfield Park Commission policy that rules out their use of Park Square to display a wooden "jail" and set of stocks as a means of promoting the city's bicentennial observance.

The stockade and stocks were erected on the green at the square without city permission last weekend, but following a complaint made to Dr. Robert J. Kirvin, chairman of the Park Commission, the Bearded Brothers have agreed to remove them. Dr. Kirvin Tuesday outlined what he said was a long-standing policy that prohibits commercial and promotional activity in the Park Square area.

In enforcing the policy, the Park Commission even barred a Pittsfield bicentennial sign on the green. Instead, the sign is to be put on the lawn at the Berkshire Athenaeum.

Cooper Issues Statement

As issued by Richard K. Cooper, leader of the Bearded Brothers, the group's statement said:

The Bearded Brothers didn't realize they were treading on someone's private domain, nor did we know Park Square was a sacrosanct village green. We wonder where Pittsfield would be if the first industrial promoter, Elkanah Watson, was denied the use of Park Square to exhibit two Merino sheep in 1806, thus establishing a thriving woolen industry.

We believe the Bearded Brothers to be the only active "public" — or heretofore unorganized — element of the Bicentennial Committee. We are looking for cooperation, we're trying to develop a "community spirit," and we shall not let the likes of a complainant to the Park Commissioners be a wet blanket to dampen our enthusiasm. We are removing the stocks and stockade — which, by the way, we don't own — and are petitioning the Park Commissioners for permanent installation of the new stocks we're having built.

Not Professionals

We are not professional promoters, but rather a few enthusiastic individuals, ready and willing to make Pittsfield's 200th birthday an event to be remembered for years to come. We welcome even "beardless wonders" to our group.

We feel our compliance with the commissioner's warning is based upon our lack of permission, and we plead for public support to dispense with policy for the duration of this 200th year. After all, what commissioner will be around to establish policy for the tercentenary observance?"

Mock Jail Removed From Park Square

7/28/61

The mock jail and stocks erected in Park Square by the Bearded Brothers of Berkshire were removed yesterday and stored in the City Yard.

The structure, originally used in Great Barrington, was to "punish" Pittsfield males who lacked evidence of beards during the bicentennial celebration. Lack of Park Department permission for construction of the jail and stocks resulted in dismissal of the idea. Reports indicate that Bennington, Vt., also celebrating a birthday, may be interested in purchasing the structures for a set price of $45.

Bearded Brothers Run Afoul Of City Policy on Park Use

7/25/61

A close shave with city policy was experienced by the Bearded Brothers of Berkshire, who without permission had erected a wooden "jail" and a set of stocks on Park Square in an attempt to intimidate clean-shaven Pittsfield men.

The "jail" and stocks were put on the green at the west end of the park last Friday. The idea was to use the punishment devices for men caught in Pittsfield without beards during the Labor Day bicentennial celebration.

Display of the devices now, according to Richard K. Cooper, the main brush of the Bearded Brothers, was intended as a warning. But it was Mr. Cooper who received a warning. It came in the form of a telephone conversation yesterday afternoon with the chairman of the Pittsfield Park Commission, Dr. Robert J. Kirvin.

Not Giving Up

As a result, the bearded men are intending to brush their stockade and stocks off the park sometime prior to Thursday's evening band concert. Mr. Cooper, however, hasn't given up the idea for using the devices for promoting the bicentennial celebration. He's offering them for use "by somebody, somewhere."

Park Chairman Kirvin told The Eagle this morning that if the Bearded Brothers had asked permission for use of the park area, they would have been told that long-standing policy prohibits it. For decades, Dr. Kirvin said, the commission has restricted use of the area; commercial and promotional displays and activities are ruled out.

Among the few exceptions, Dr. Kirvin said have been band concerts, the September-October "thermometer" that records progress in the Community Chest drives, snow and ice sculpture for th city-sponsored Winter Carnival, the community Christmas tree and nativity scene arranged by the city Parks and Recreation Department, and the flying of flags on various national holidays.

Dr. Kirvin noted that the commission gets requests regularly for use of the green and park area, and has rejected long lists of requests, including ones for the holding of art exhibitions and for various displays and events sponsored by non-profit civic agencies.

Arts Center Had Exhibit

In August 1960 an art exhibition was staged for two days by the Arts Center of Pittsfield under rigid rules prescribed by the Park Commission, prohibiting sale of art work, banning signs and requiring that nothing be left in the park overnight. Karl Schuman, a spokesman for the Arts Center, said there has as yet been no final decision on whether to attempt a show at the park this summer.

Nothing Doing Around Here

FAIR OR FOUL

1/28/61

By Roger O'Gara

"THERE'S NOTHING ever doing around here."

You've heard that often, haven't you?

It's usually uttered by a sophisticate with a bored, mouth of mush voice. He's attempting to create the impression that if something really worthwhile were offered, he would be up and at it. He really would, don't you know?

Chances are that the complainants haven't heard of the attractive sports schedule this section has in the next few weeks.

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THE LIST INCLUDES not only the most interesting contests on the local level, but three truly big events with nationally known stars as the headline performers.

Let's look at it chronologically.

Start with tonight at 5:30 at Wahconah Park. Pittsfield's American Legion baseball team will face Greenfield in the opening game of a best of three series in the first round of the state playdowns.

The second game of the series is scheduled for tomorrow afternoon at Greenfield. A coin toss prior to the start of play this evening will determine the site of a third contest, should one be necessary. This would be played on Sunday afternoon.

This is the beginning of the competition that will produce a state champion. The Massachusetts titlist will be an entrant in the regional tournament at Keene, N.H., where so many Pittsfield people spent so many pleasant hours late last summer.

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IF PITTSFIELD gets by Greenfield as it is favored to, it then will go aginst Chicopee or Grafton Hill, a suburb or Worcester. Chicopee is the choice in that series, which also will begin tonight. This second series probably would open early next week.

A Pittsfield - Chicopee series would be something. It would pit the last two state high school champions against eache other. Pittsfield won the title in 1960, Chicopee in 1961. Pittsfield was expected to play Chicopee in the finals, but suffered a surprising loss in the semifinals to St. Stephen's of Worcester. Chicopee beat St. Stephen's for Western Massachusetts honors. This didn't set well with Pittsfield's veterans, who had beaten Chicopee twice in a home-and-home series.

The Legion excitement could continue throughout August if the Pittsfield team can stay alive, as it did last year.

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HOWEVER, THE Legion isn't the only Pittsfield baseball team that offers high-grade entertainment. Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at Wahconah Park, the Pittsfield American Babe Ruth League All-Stars will oppose Holyoke in a state tounament game. The winner will be considered Western Massachusetts champion, and will go on in advanced play. The Pittsfield Americans already have beaten Great Barrington and Adams.

Pittsfield has a proud record in Babe Ruth League play. Back in the middle 1950s, it dominated the state.

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IN THE EVENING at Wahconah Park, Eddie Feigner, one of the great national novelty acts in sports, will be at Wahconah Park. Eddie and his four-man team, billed as the King & His Court, will face the Pittsfield City League All-Stars in what actually will be a grudge meeting.

That's because the locals had the nerve to beat Feigner a year ago. The great showman nonetheless was gracious enough to congratulate the Pittsfield team as a good one, the best he had faced in five visits here. The other four lost to him.

So Feigner really will put something on the ball all the way in this one. There'll be no string-pulling, as he does in some way stations against mediocre opposition.

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THE GREATEST GOLF match ever arranged for Pittsfield is scheduled for Tuesday at the Berkshire Hills Country Club, where Arnold Palmer will meet Gene Littler.

This should draw a tremendous crowd. For after all, you just can't see any better.

Palmer played a series of exhibitions last summer on Cape Cod courses. A straight fee of $5 was asked. Area enthusiasts will get this one for $3, providing they purchase their tickets before Monday. On the day of the match, the asking price will be $5.

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THERE'S ALSO another super golf show planned for Saturday, Aug. 12 at the Wahconah Country Club in Dalton. Paul Hahn, the successor to Joe Kirkwood as the nation's leading trick shot, will give one of his inimitable shows.

This is a great attraction, as all who have seen Paul in previous visits in the county will attest.

The man has great hands, and his narration is as clever as his shooting.

Naw, nothing ever happens around here.

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TODD SPOFFORD, star back for the past several seasons at Berkshire School, will enter Bucknell University in the fall. Todd is the son of Homer Spofford, who was an outstanding halfback at Berkshire in the early 1930s before going on to national stardom at Princeton University.

Coach Bob Guthridge of Berkshire thinks that young Spofford will win wide acclaim as a college runner. Bucknell plays in the tough Middle Atlantic Conference, which also numbers among others Rutgers, Lafayette, Lehigh and Delaware.

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MIKE KELLEY, left fielder for the Williamstown American Legion junior baseball team, is a son of Johnny Kelley, who was an outstanding little end for strong Williamstown High football teams in the middle 1930s. Kelley was a teammate of such greats as Hank Bunoski and Red Perry. He is traffic manager of the Cornish Wire Company in Williamstown.

Young Mike was graduated in June from Bennington Catholic High. He will enter St. Bonaventure College in the fall.

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FRANK JEVONS, the one-time athletic director at the Berkshire Farm in Canaan, N.Y., and a football and basketball official in Berkshire County, continues to drive well in the harness races at the Saratoga (N.Y.) Raceway. At last report, he had nine firsts, eight seconds and five thirds.

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JUDGING FROM the batting averages in the City Slow Pitch Softball League, the deliveries have been just as advertised. Fifteen men are batting .500 or better, and no less than four are in the .700 stratosphere.

Good For Louis Pia

FAIR OR FOUL

4/29/61

By Roger O'Gara

THE IMPRESSIVE win Lou Pia Jr. pitched for the University of Massachusetts against Amherst College should be just the tonic the big, strong right - hander needs.

The former Pittsfield High ace for the past two springs has been just another thrower at the university. His confidence was badly shaken, first because he had arm trouble and then because everyone seemed to conclude he was all done.

It seemed a strange fate for a young man who was a sensation through Little League, Babe Ruth League, American Legion and high school. However, many of the cynics concluded that insofar as an untimely end was concerned, Louis merely was joining the many good Pittsfield pitchers who suffered from arm miseries.

Right now, the six-foot, two and one-half inch Pia weighs 208 pounds. That's only five pounds above his high school figure. He has been as high as 220.

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NINE YEARS ago, Louis was throwing peas in the East Little League. He and Eddie Connolly Jr., his Massachusetts mound colleague, were on the Pittsfield all-star team that went farthest in tournament competition. This East League representative cleaned up all Massachusetts opposition, and lost in tournament play at Naugatuck, Conn., to Norwalk, Conn., 4-2. A week later, Norwalk won the Little World Series at Williamsport, Pa.

In 1957, Pia and Connolly were pitching superbly for the Pittsfield Legion team that came close to winning the Eastern title at Elkton, Md. In fact, Louis was the pitcher in the controversial loss to Washington, D.C. That was the day catcher Louis Airoldi dropped a third-out, third strike, and the umpire told him not to throw to first base. A run resulted, and that score necessitated overtime play.

Pia was watched by scouts at that tournament and when he was pitching for Pittsfield High as a senior in 1958.

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HE DIDN'T LIVE UP to expectations as a freshman at Massachusetts in the spring of 1959. He left school because of illness in the first semester of the 1959-1960 school year, and returned at the beginning of the second semester.

He was bothered by arm trouble, and didn't get into a game. He tried to work himself into good condition by pitching batting practice.

This spring, he didn't figure in Coach Earl Lorden's plans. However, he made the Southern trip, and was impressive in a relief stint of three and two-thirds innings against Southern Connecticut.

That earned him a start against Amherst. He threw a two-hitter, and struck out nine. He said he felt stronger in the closing innings, but admitted he was highly nervous when he started. The figures bear out his late effectiveness. He faced only 16 men in the last five innings.

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IF LOUIS CAN CONTINUE to pitch this way, Massachusetts should have a chance to fight for the Yankee Conference title. For Connolly is having a great year. He is four and one to date, and his loss certainly was no disgrace. He pitched a six-hitter against Southern Connecticut. He couldn't have won it. His team didn't score. Southern Connecticut won 2-0. One run was unearned. Eddie fanned 11 men.

Eddie has been a picture book pitcher since he broke into Little League more than a decade ago. He has form, and poise, a competitive heart, considerable speed and a sharp curve. He should receive some excellent offers by June if he continues at his present pace.

Pia's arrival gives Massachusetts a real Berkshire County tinge. For he's the fourth area resident to make good down there this spring. The others are Connolly, second baseman Bradford (Corky) Schmoyer of Pittsfield and shortstop Frank Pisiewski of Dalton.

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THIS PROBABLY has been Berkshire County's greatest sports year at Massachusetts.

There were four Berkshire men on the varsity football squad. Center Matty Collins of Lanesboro and guard Tom Brophy of Pittsfield were starters, and center Tom Kirby of North Adams and halfback Roger Benvenuti of Adams were important reserves.

The Pittsfield combination of Kirk Leslie and Mike Mole did much for the varsity basketball team. In fact, they were so well-regarded, they were named co-captains for next year.

Pittsfield area adults enthuse over the achievements of these good athletes on the college level. Youngsters in the county also should be happy. For Collins, Brophy, Benvenuti, Kirby, Leslie, Mole, Connolly, Schmoyer, Pisiewski and Pia have done much to increase Berkshire prestige at a school where good varsity athletes from this section were rarities. Their good records should open the door for many present high school boys at Massachusetts.

Auxiliary To Conduct Ticket Sale

Annual Campaign Of Babe Ruth Loop Opens Tomorrow

The newly formed Women's Auxiliary of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League will take over the league's annual season ticket campaign which is scheduled to open tomorrow. Mrs. Henry O'Neil is the general chairman of the sale. Mrs. Robert Boyer is cochairman of arrangements in the National League and Mrs. James Garstang is cochairman in the American League.

The women will supply the tickets to the players for sale and will keep the records of the returns. Prizes will be given to the boys that sell a specified number of tickets. The prizes are: 10 tickets, Babe Ruth League Baseball; 20 tickets, Louisville Slugger bat; 35 tickets, pair of spiked shoes, and 75 tickets, a $25 gift certificate. The campaign ends June 24.

A copy of a letter written by league president Louis Russo will be given to each player. The letter explaines that need for the campaign and requests the cooperation of the Babe Ruth League, to be courteous and polite and to tell prospective customers the value of the Babe Ruth program.

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FIRST PRESIDENT of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. Peter Downey, sells the first season ticket for the league to Colin Keegan, one of the original organizers of Little Bigger League baseball in Pittsfield and an active worker in Babe Ruth baseball, which developed from the LBL program. The newly formed auxiliary has taken over running of annual ticket campaign, which will open officially tomorrow. Auxiliary is made up of wives of coaches and officials and mothers of players.

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THE ORIGINAL

Bench Warmer

By LOU RUSSO

Women and children first—men to the rear! And that about keynotes the contents of today's column which we turn over in its entirety to two local organizations which feature gals from 18 to 80 years old and boys from 13 to 15. The Women's Club now in its 71st year and the Babe Ruth League in its 10th are our features and if we can but nudge their endeavors on success' road, fine.

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Babe Ruth League Opens

This city is definitely baseball conscious, and of course responsible is not the Boston Red Sox, but last year's American Legion and Pittsfield High School teams and what appears to be equally as strong representatives in both organizations this year. No little amount of credit is due the Coaches of these fine teams—Red Pleau and Nick Morris—but not to be overlooked are two programs which did more than show these same youngsters how to get into a baseball uniform. Of course we refer to the Little and Babe Ruth leagues. Having been affiliated with the latter league since its birth in 1952, as a coach for five years and as its president for an equal amount of time, I naturally am closer and more familiar with the boys after their graduation from the Little League. Tomorrow at 1:30 the Ruth League opens its 1961 season at either Wahconah Park if playing conditions are favorable or Deming Park if Wahconah is inundated per usual at this time of the year. Last year's city champions—the Moldmaster Nine—will meet the team they defeated for the title - runner up, Terminal Diner. In the second half of the double leader, the Imperial Alleys, will meet the Optimist Club.

Perhaps it would be appropriate at this time to welcome the new arrival General Electric team and to both thank and congratulate the Company on undertaking a sponsorship in our league. Their entry marks the third affiliation of plant employees with the program. Already sponsoring teams are the IUE 255 and GEAA organization. We'd like to publicly thank Lee Guitter, manager of Community Relations and Communication and captain of Columbia University's 1953 diamond team, for the part he played in securing the sponsorship. Without people like this, who are aware of the vital role that organizations such as the Little League and BRL play on a community, success would be difficult to achieve. We feel that we are contributing to the growing up of many of our youth. Not because we assisted in cultivating the talents of such boys as Joe Costanzo, Ed Connolly, Corky Schmoyer, Lou Pia, Mark Belanger, Ray Woitkowski and many others. More important because we helped teach these and other boys, the majority of whose baseball days ended with their last Ruth game, how important teamwork is, how to control their emotions, how to respect rules, and how to develop sportsmanlike conduct. We hope that the formative years spent in our league will help these boys someday to become better citizens.

Babe Ruth League Opens Tomorrow

5/19/61

Haughey, Kirvin In Ceremonies At Deming at 1:30

Mayor Raymond Haughey will be on the mound and Dr. Robert Kirvin, Park Commission chairman, will be behind the plate for opening ceremonies of the ninth season of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 at Deming Field. The color guard of VFW Post 448 will raise the flag with the teams playing the first game of the opening day double-header lined up on the first and third base lines.

League President Louis Russo will be the master of ceremonies. The Moldmasters, 1961 league champions, will meet Terminal Diner, the National League champs last year, in the first game. The second game, which will begin at 3:30, will match Imperial Lanes, runner-up in the National League, against Optimist Club, which finished second in the American division last year.

Officials hoped to have the opening at Wahconah Park, but the diamond there is not dry enough for play yet.

Inter-League Games Slated

This year for the first time inter-league games have been scheduled. The results will count in the records. Night games will begin at 6 and Sunday double-header tilts will take place at 1:30 and 3:30. Saturday morning games will have a 10 o'clock starting time. No new inning may be started in any contest after the game has been in progress for two hours.

American League teams are Moldmasters, Besse-Clarke, Optimist Club, Adams Super Markets, VFW 448 and General Electric. The National division includes Terminal Diner, Ida and John's, Imperials Lanes Union Federal, GEAA and IUE 225.

Next week's schedule is as follows:

TOMORROW
1:30—Moldmasters vs. Terminal Diner.
3:30—Imperial Lanes vs. Optimist Club.

SUNDAY
Deming, 1:30—Union Federal vs. VFW 448.
Deming, 3:30—Ida & John's vs. Adams Super Markets.

MONDAY
North Junior High—General Electric vs. IUE 255.
Deming— GEAA vs. Besse-Clarke.

TUESDAY
North Junior High—Optimist Club vs. Union Federal.
Deming — Terminal Diner vs. Imperial Lanes.

WEDNESDAY
North Junior High—Besse-Clarke vs. Moldmasters.
Deming—VFW 448 vs. Ida & John's.

THURSDAY
North Junior High—Adams Super Markets vs. General Electric.
Deming—IUE 255 vs. GEAA.

FRIDAY
North Junior High—Terminal Diner vs. Besse-Clarke.
Deming—Imperial Lanes vs. Union Federal.

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GEAA, Besse's Win Handily

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW	4	1	GEAA	4	0
Optimist Club	4	1	Ida & John's	3	2
Moldmaster	3	1	Terminal	2	2
Besse-Clarke	2	2	IUE 255	1	3
GE	2	3	Imperial	0	4
Adams Mkts.	1	3	Union Fed.	0	4

GAMES TODAY

At North—Union Federal vs. Adams Supermarkets.
At Deming—Ida & John's vs. Terminal Diner.

A couple of lop-sided scores were recorded in the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League last night when the GEAA trounced the General Electric 15-2 in an inter-league game at North Junior High Field and Besse-Clarke rapped IUE 255 10-2. The victory put GEAA in first place with four wins and no losses.

It was the third victory for pitcher Lou Orazio. Paul Procopio was the offensive star for GEAA with a home run, a double and a single and five RBIs. Mike Handreck had two doubles and a single for the winners and Orazio, Bill Hamilton and Joe LaBrie had wto singles apiece.

Besse-Clarke exploded with 10 runs in the last two innings to take the victory in an inter-league contest at Deming Field. The game was a scoreless pitchers' duel for five innings between Darryl Rustic of Besse's and Jim Carlo of IUE. Each team scored twice in the sixth.

Besse's made its eight runs in the seventh on four walks, an error and singles by Jack Doyle, Bob Lear and two by Pete Sullivan. Doyle came in in the seventh to pitch after IUE had loaded the bases with none out and retired the side without score.

Sullavan and Russo of Besse's and Carlo of IUE had two singles apiece. IUE's Fran Spina had a triple, the only extra-base blow of the game.

The scores:

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Southard, rf	2	2	0	0	0	0
Grieve, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Orazio, p, 3b	4	2	2	4	2	0
Hamilton, 1b	3	3	2	7	1	0
Procopio, 2b, ss	4	2	3	1	1	0
LaBrie, cf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Palmeri, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
xJobson, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Boyer, c	3	1	0	8	2	0
Handerek, lf	3	2	3	0	0	0
Woodson, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lewis, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Blasioli, 3b, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
	31	15	13	18	9	2

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Slonski, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	1
zPapallo	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washburn, lf	1	1	0	1	1	0
zzGasson	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wheat, cf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Goyette, cf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Downey, 1b	1	0	1	4	0	0
McConnell, 2b, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Pierce, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Royal, 2b	0	0	0	1	1	0
Doyle, ss	2	0	2	2	1	1
Charow, c	2	0	0	7	1	0
zzzO'Neil, c	1	0	1	1	0	0
Allen, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Daligian, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
	22	2	5	18	5	2

GEAA 630 132—15
General Electric 000 020— 2

x—Walked for Palmeri in 3rd.
z—Walked for Slonski in 6th.
zz—Struck out for Washburn in 6th.
zzz—Singled for Charow in 5th.

RBI—Procopio 5, Handerek 2, LaBrie 2, Hamilton 2, Orazio, Jobson, McConnell, O'Neil. 2B—Handerek 2, Procopio. HR—Procopio. SB—Southard 2, LaBrie 2, Orazio, Jobson, Handerek, Procopio, Goyette 2, Washburn, Doyle. DP—Washburn to McConnell. LOB—GEAA 9, GE 11. BB—Orazio 6, Blasioli 3, Allen 8, Daligian 1. SO—Orazio 7, Blasioli 1, Allen 7. HO—Orazio, 5 in 5; Blasioli, 0 in 1; Allen, 10 in 4 2-3; Daligian, 2 in 1 1-3. HBP—Daligian (Woodson). WP—Allen, Orazio. Balk—Allen. WOrazio. L—Allen. U—Mole and DeLeo. T—2h, 20m.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Marshall, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Rustic, p, ss	3	1	2	1	4	0
Doyle, ss, p	5	1	1	0	3	0
Sullivan, cf	3	2	2	2	0	0
Lear, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	0
Pero, lf, rf	2	2	0	0	0	0
Teal, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zack, 3b	3	2	0	2	1	0
Ali, c	3	0	1	6	2	0
Vanesse, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Nicholson, lf	1	1	0	0	0	0
	29	10	8	21	10	0

IUE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Clark, rf, lf	3	0	0	5	0	0
Carlo, p	3	1	2	0	1	2
Brennan, 1b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Spina, c	2	0	1	8	1	0
Clerici, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cimini, 2b	3	0	1	2	1	1
Ruberto, ss	3	0	1	2	1	0
Riccarini, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
zStorie	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carmel, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
	24	2	5	21	4	3

Besse-Clarke 000 002 8—10
IUE 000 002 0— 2

z—Struck out for Riccarini in 5th.

RBI—Ali, Spina 2, Nicholson, Rustic, Doyle 2, Sullivan, Lear 2. 3B—Spina. SB—Spina, Franchebois, Vanesse, Carlo, Sullivan 2, Ali, Doyle. SAC—Zack. DP—Doyle to Ali to Lear. LOB—IUE , Besse-Clarke 10. BB—Carlo 11, Rustic 5. SO—Carlo 8, Rustic 4, Doyle 1. HO—Rustic, 5 in 6; Doyle, 0 in 1. WPCarlo 2. Balk—Rustic. PB—Spina. W—Rustic. L—Carlo. U—Meandro and Russo. T—2h, 25m.

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Costanzo Pitches 1st Win; Yields 2 Runs in 11 Innings

5/13/61

Joey Costanzo, former Pittsfield High and American Legion ace, this week pitched his first win in organized baseball. He didn't allow a run in a five-inning relief stint for Stockton, Calif., of the Class C California State League.

Joey has yielded but two runs in 11 innings of work. He has yet to lose.

He has made four appearances as a fireman. He worked 10 consecutive scoreless innings before the opposition made two runs. This came his last time out. He went to the mound in the eighth inning with the bases full and no one out, and escaped unscathed. He was reached for the two scores in the ninth.

Joey's stints in this order have been three, one, five and two innings.

Stockton has won only three while losing eight.

Babe Ruth Games Rained Out, Reset Saturday Morning

5/27/61

It did not take long for the weather to catch up with the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League. Its third days schedule was rained out last night. The game between GEAA and Besse-Clarke has been resecheduled for Saturday morning at 10 at Deming Field. The General Electric and IUE has been reslated for the same day and time at North Junior High Field.

Tonight at 6 at North , Optimist Club meets Union Federal and at Deming Terminal Diner plays Imperial Lanes.

Twelve Games In Ruth Loop Next Week

5/27/61

Twelve games, including a holiday double header, are scheduled for the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League for next week. The Memorial Day games Tuesday will be played at Wahconah Park if the field is ready. In the event Wahconah is not yet playable the contests will be shifted to Deming Field. The first game is slated for 1:30.

Games will be on at Deming and North Junior High Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights and Saturday morning at 10. The night contests start at 6.

The schedule is as follows:

MONDAY

North Junior High: Moldmaster vs. GEAA. Deming Field—Adams Supermarkets vs. IUE 255.

TUESDAY

Wahconah Field: First game, 1:30 p.m., VFW vs. Optimist Club.. Deming Field: Second game, 3:30 p.m., General Electric vs. Ida & John's.

WEDNESDAY

North Junior High: Union Federal vs. Moldmaster. Deming Field: Terminal Diner vs. IUE 255.

THURSDAY

North Junior High: GEAA vs. Adams Supermarkets. Deming Field: Imperial Lanes vs. VFW.

FRIDAY

North Junior High: Besse-Clarke vs. General Electric. Deming Field: Optimist Club vs. Ida & John's.

SATURDAY

North Junior High: Moldmaster vs. Imperial Lanes. Deming Field: Adams Supermarkets vs. VFW.

Besse's Rallies To Take Extra-Inning Game 7-6

6/3/61

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW	4	0	GEAA	2	0
Optimist Club	3	1	Terminal	2	1
Moldmaster	2	1	Ida & John's	2	2
Besse-Clarke	1	1	IUE 255	1	1
GE	1	2	Union Fed.	0	3
Adams Mkt.	0	3	Imperial	0	3

GAMES TODAY

Moldmaster vs. Imperial Lanes at North. Adams Supermarket vs. VFW at Deming.

GAMES TOMORROW

DEMING

1:30 p.m.—General Electric vs. IUE 255. 3:30 p.m.—GEAA vs. Besse-Clarke.

The Besse-Clarke Babe Ruth League baseball team, trailing by six runs in the sixth inning, came from behind to nip General Electric 7-6 in an extra-inning ball game last night at North Junior High field.

Catcher Faisal Ali's third straight single drove in winning pitcher Jack Doyle with the winning run. It was Ali's second RBI of the contest.

Doyle came on in relief in the fifth inning. The first batter he faced singled, but Doyle slammed the door and did not give up a hit the rest of the way. He fanned nine in the three and two-thirds innings he worked.

Jim Downey with two RBIs and Bob Doyle with a triple were best for General Electric.

Sam Russo scattered four hits to gain his first triumph of the season as Optimist Club trounced Ida and John's 10-4 in a game at Deming Field.

Al Cook started for Ida and John's but was relieved by Dick Klemansky in the first. Roger Ladd, who was slated to start the game but was late in arriving, went in in the second and finished up.

Hitting stars for the winners were Dick Vaccaro with two singles and three RBIs, Russo with two singles and Steve Kruczkowski with a long triple and two RBIs. Cook had two singles for the losers.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rustic, 2b, ss	5	0	1	1	0	0
A. Pero, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	2	1	0	1	0	0
J. Doyle, p, ss	3	2	0	1	4	0
Kinnas, cf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Ali, c	4	1	3	12	1	0
Lear, 1b	3	1	1	4	1	0
J. Pero, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Nicholson, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Teal, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vanness, p	1	0	1	2	3	0
Marshall, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
	32	7	9	24	9	1

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Slonski, 3b	3	1	1	1	1	0
Washburn, lf	3	2	1	3	0	0
Wheat, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Downey, 1b	3	0	2	3	0	0
Dalligian, p, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	1
McConnell, lf, ss, p	4	0	1	1	1	1
Royal, 2b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Gasson, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
O'Neil, c	4	0	0	12	1	0
Pierce, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Papalo, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
R. Doyle, ss	2	1	1	1	0	1
Allen, p, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
	31	6	7*23	4	4	

Besse-Clarke	000	003	31—7
General Electric	100	050	00—6

*—Two out when winning run scored.

RBI—Slonski, Washburn, Downey 2, McConnell, R. Doyle, Kinnas, Ali 2, Lear. 2B—Kinnas 2. 3B—R. Doyle. SB—Slonski, Washburn, Wheat, Downey 2, McConnell, N. Doyle, Kinnas, Teal. SAC—Russo. LOB—General Electric 6, Besse-Clarke 12. BB—Vanness 3, N. Doyle 2, McConnell 6, Allen 2. SO—Vanness 3, J. Doyle 9, McConnell 9, Allen 3. HO—Vanness, 6 in 4 1-3; J. Doyle, 1 in 3 2-3; McConnell, 6 in 6; Dalligian, 2 in 0; Allen, 1 in 1 2-3. WP—Doyle. Balk—Vanness. W—J. Doyle. L—Allen. U—Simons and Brindle. T—2h, 14m.

Leaders Win In BR League

5/24/61

Optimist Club Tops Union Federal 9-1; Diner on Top 16-2

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	2	0	Ter. Diner	2	0
VFW 448	1	0	Ida & John's	1	0
Besse-Clarke	0	0	IUE 255	0	0
GE	0	0	GEAA	0	0
Moldmasters	0	1	Imperial	0	2
Adams Mkt.	0	1	Union Fed.	0	2

The Optimist Club and the Terminal Diner boosted themselves into first place in the American and National leagues respectively of the Babe Ruth Baseball League last night with decisive victories.

The Optimists pasted Union Federal 9-1 at North Junior High Field as Frank Murray, with 16 strikeouts, collected his second win of the season. He gave up only three hits, one a triple by Mike Rohlfs.

Sam Russo led the winners with two hits for three times at bat and two runs scored. One hit was a long triple in the Optimists' six-run rally in the fourth.

In the second game, Terminal did away with the Imperial Lanes 16-2 at Deming Field.

The Diner team got off to a running start with a seven-run first inning and a six-run second.

The foursome of Dave Robertson, Bob L'Hote, Kevin Curley and Mickey Sangiovanni collected a total of eight hits and scored seven runs between them.

Winning pitcher Paul Noetzel struck out seven. Tom Dawley was the loser.

In games tonight, the VFW will play Ida and John's at Deming, and Besse-Clarke will face Moldmasters at North Junior High. Both games begin at 6.

The scores:

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
M. Murray, 2b	2	1	0	2	1	0
Eulian, 2b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Woitkowski, ss	1	0	0	0	1	0
O'Laughlin, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Spiewak, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Mowka, ss	1	0	1	0	6	0
Kinnas, 1b	2	2	1	2	0	0
Carey, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	1	0	17	0	0
Kruczkowski, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Kane, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
F. Murray, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
	27	9	8	21	4	0

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Shade, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	1
Sangiovanni, 2b	1	0	0	3	3	1
Rohlfs, ss	3	1	1	2	2	1
Giardina, c	3	0	0	6	2	1
Nicklaw, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Jacoby, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Doolan, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Pleau, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Caritey, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nagle, 1b	1	0	0	5	0	1
Carlo, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	1	3	18	9	5

Optimists	000	621	—9
Union Federal	000	100	0—1

RBI—Nicklaw, Russo 2, Lucaroni 2. 3B—Rohlfs, Russo. DP—Sangiovanni to Nagle. LOB—Optimists 7, Union Federal 6. BB—F. Murray 4, Nicklaw 8. SO—F. Murray 16, Nicklaw 6. W—Frank Murray. L—Dave Nicklaw. U—Gwinnell, Brindle. T—1h, 50m.

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Robertson, ss	2	2	2	2	0	0
Winslow, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hote, lf, cf	3	1	2	1	1	0
Noetzel, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Curley, 1b	3	2	2	3	0	0
Sangiovanni, 2b	2	2	2	1	1	0
Bernardo, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ellsworth, 3b	2	2	1	0	0	0
Masino, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Puntin, cf	1	2	1	0	0	0
Salvatore, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Fresia, c	2	1	0	8	0	0
Mancivalano, rf, lf	0	3	0	0	0	0
	24	16	10	15	3	0

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, rf, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
zBrutnell, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
zDeSantis	1	0	0	0	0	0
zzSelva, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
zzKozack	1	0	1	0	0	0
Simonelli, 3b, p	3	0	1	3	3	0
Kearns, c	2	0	0	5	1	0
Barry, ss, rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Dawley, p, 3b	2	1	1	1	0	0
Albano, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	1
zzzVosburgh	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lemone, 1b	1	0	0	3	0	0
zzzzLacy	0	0	0	0	0	0
	19	2	5	12	5	2

Imperial	000	02—	2
Terminal Diner	763	0	—16

z—Struck out for Brutnell in 5th.
zz—Singled for Selva in 5th.
zzz—Walked for Albano in 5th.
zzzz—Walked for Lemone in 5th.

RBI—Robertson 5, L'Hote 3, Sanglovani 3, Curley, Ellsworth, Puntin, Smith, Kozack. 2B—Roberison, Curley. 3B—Simonelli, Daw-

Moldmasters, IUE Triumph In Ruth Loop

6/1/61

Nine-Run 3rd Inning By Engineer Team Settles Contest

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW	3	0	GEAA	1	0
Moldmaster	2	1	Ida & John's	2	1
Optimist Club	2	1	Terminal	2	1
GE	1	1	IUE 255	1	1
Besse-Clarke	0	1	Imperial	0	2
Adams Mkt.	0	2	Union Fed.	0	3

GAMES TODAY

At Deming—Imperial Lanes vs. VFW. At North Junior High—GEAA vs. Adams Supermarkets.

In Babe Ruth baseball last night the Moldmasters downed the Union Federal 12-7 in an interleague game at North Junior High field and IUE 255 defeated Terminal Diner 8-3 in a National League contest at Deming Field.

Moldmasters engineered the win mainly on a nine-run third inning. A bases-loaded triple by Craig Lausier high-lighted the rally. Gene Curletti and Pat Bassi had three hits apiece for the winners. Curletti's included a double and triple. Dick Powers' shutout pitching over the last two and two-thirds innings earned him the win in relief. The game was called by darkness after five innings.

IUE pitcher Jim Carlo augmented his fine hurling with two singles and two RBIs. He was also helped by good fielding, especially by centerfielder Johnny Franchebois, who made two sparkling catches. Jimmy Clark also had two singles for IUE.

Pete Ellsworth started for Terminal Diner but was hurt by wildness. Carl Boteze and Paul Noetzel followed but Diner errors spoiled any chance it had of coming back. Kevin Curley had two base hits for the losers.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	2	0	0	1	0
Powers, ss, p	3	1	0	1	0	1
Curletti, 1b	3	2	3	3	0	1
Lausier, c	2	1	1	9	1	1
White, c, ss	3	2	0	0	0	0
Massaconi, 3b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Kellogg, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
LaPoint, cf	0	2	0	1	0	2
Bassi, rf	4	1	3	0	0	0
	24	12	9	15	3	5

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nicklaw, lf, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
zGarrity	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sangiovanni, 2b	3	1	0	1	0	0
Rohlfs, ss	3	1	1	1	1	1
Ladd, 3b	3	1	1	1	3	0
Giardella, c	2	1	1	7	4	0
Shade, p, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Walsh, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Hall, 1b	2	1	1	5	1	0
Pleau, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zzJacoby, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	7	6	15	9	1

Moldmaster	109	11—12
Union Federal	223	00— 7

z—Walked for Nicklaw in 5th.
zz—Grounded out for Pleau in 3rd.

RBI—Powers, Curletti 2, Lausier 3, Massaconi, Kellogg, LaPoint, Bassi 2, Giardella, Hall, Jacoby. 2B—Curletti, Ladd, Giardella. 3B—Curletti, Lausier. SB—LaPoint, Rohlfs 2, Giardella, Shade, Walsh. DP—Giardella, Hall, Giardella. LOB—Moldmaster 9, Union Federal 8. BB—White 4, Powers 3, Shade 8, 4. SO—White 5, Powers 5, Shade 1, Nicklaw 4. HO—White, 4 in 2 1-3; Powers, 2 in 2 2-3; Shade, 4 in 2 1-3; Nicklaw, 5 in 2 2-3. HBP—Shade (Powers). WP—White. W—Powers. L—Shade. U—Perrone and Powers. T—2h, 2m.

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	2	1	0	3	1	0
Carmel, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
xWilliams	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxFarrell	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cimini, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carlo, p	4	0	2	0	3	0
Van Jura, ss	2	1	0	1	3	0
Brennan, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
Clerici, 1b	1	1	0	1	0	0
Clark, lf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Riccarini, 3b	3	1	1	0	2	0
Roberto, 2b	3	1	1	3	0	0
Spina, c	3	1	1	4	1	1
	27	8	7	18	10	1

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Robertson, ss, cf	2	1	1	0	0	1
Boteze, 3b, p, lf, c	3	0	1	0	1	0
Noetzel, cf, p	2	1	1	0	0	1
Curley, 1b	3	1	2	3	0	1
Sangiovanni, c	2	0	0	16	0	2
Bernardo, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Ellsworth, p, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
L'Hote, lf	1	0	0	0	0	1
zWinslow	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salvatore, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Mancivalano, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Masino, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	3	6	18	2	6

IUE	040	112—8	
Terminal Diner	100	002—3	

x—Walked for Carmel in 5th.
xx—Ran for Williams in 5th.
z—Walked for L'Hote in 5th.

RBI—Carlo 2, Clark, Spina, Boteze, Curley, Ellsworth. SB—Robertson, Curley, Franchebois, Van Jura, Clark, Spina. DP—Carmel, Riccarini, Carlo to Roberto. LOB—Terminal Diner 5, IUE 10. BB—Carlo 3, Ellsworth 3, Boteze 3, Noetzel 3. SO—Carlo 5, Ellsworth 5, Boteze 4, Noetzel 4. HO—Ellsworth, 3 in 3 2-3; Boteze, 2 in 2 1-3; Noetzel, 2 in 2. WP—Carlo 2. PB—Spina 2. L—Ellsworth. U—Doucette and Mole. T—1h, 55m.

Ruth Games Postponed Second Night

6/23/61

Officials Announce Remainder of First Half Schedule

For the second straight night wet weather forced the postponements of both Babe Ruth League baseball games. Tonight's schedule calls for games between Imperial Lanes and Adams Super Markets at North Junior High Field and Moldmaster and Ida & John's at Deming Field.

Tomorrow morning at 10 Besse-Clarke will meet the Optimists at North and Adams Super Markets will play IUE 255 at Deming.

The remainder of the first half slate was released by league officials last night. Sunday's contest will be make-up games as will the games next Thursday and Friday. Saturday, July 1, and Sunday, July 2, have been held open for make-up games.

The slate is as follows with home teams listed first: Sunday, North, 1:30, Moldmaster vs GEAA; 3:30 Optimists vs General Electric; Deming, 1:30, VFW 448 vs Besse-Clarke, 3:30 3:30 Union Federal vs IUE 255: Monday, North, General Electric vs VFW; Deming, Ida and John's vs Imperial Lanes: Tuesday, North, Adams Super Markets vs Besse-Clarke: Deming, IUE vs Optimists: Wednesday, North, Terminal Diner vs General Electric; Deming, GEAA vs Union Federal: Tuesday, North, Besse-Clarke vs Union Federal; Deming, IUE vs Moldmaster: Friday, VFW vs Moldmaster; Deming, GEAA vs Terminal Diner.

Postponed BR Games To Be Played Later

5/27/61

The rained out Babe Ruth Baseball League games last night between Terminal Diner and Besse-Clarke, and Imperial Lanes and Union Federal will be played on dates to be announced.

Tuesday's doubleheader will be played at Deming Field. VFW will oppose the Optimist Club in the first game at 1:30, and General Electric will meet Ida & John's in the second, at 3:30.

Monday night at North Junior High, Moldmaster will meet GEAA, and at Deming Field Adams Supermarket will play IUE 255.

BRL Tryouts Begin Tonight at 6

5/3/61

Tryouts for the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League will be conducted according to the following schedule:

Tonight at 6, 14- and 15-year-olds on the Common; and tomorrow and Friday nights at 6, 13-year-olds, on the Common and at Deming Field.

VFW Defeats Imperial 3-1 In BR Game

6/2/61

Ned Evans Edges Ray Sarosy In Mound Duel

AMERICAN	W	L	NATIONAL	W	L
VFW	4	0	GEAA	2	0
Optimist Club	2	1	Terminal Din.	2	1
Moldmast	2	1	Ida & John's	2	1
Gen. Electric	1	1	IUE 255	1	1
Besse-Clarke	0	1	Union Federal	0	3
Adas Super	0	3	Imp. Lanes	0	3

The VFW, currently riding an unbeaten streak, stopped the Imperials Lanes last night 3-1 in Babe Ruth Baseball League play at Deming Field. The VFW sits on top of the American division with a 4-0-1 record. Imperial is in the cellar of the National with an 0-3 mark.

Winning pitcher Ned Evans and losing pitcher Ray Sarosy struck out 10 and 9 and walked 4 and 3 respectively in the well-played game. An Imperial error in the first inning let in VFW's first two runs, the winning margin.

Mike Ewing led the winners at the plate with two doubles and one run scored.

Tonight the Optimists will meet Ida and John's at Deming and Besse Clarke will meet General Electric at North Jr. High.

Tomorrow Adams Supermarket will play VFW at Deming and Moldmaster will play Imperial Lanes at North.

Next week's schedule:

Sunday, Deming Field — Makeup doubleheader. First game, 1:30 p.m.—General Electric vs. IUE 255. Second game, 3:30 p.m.—GEAA vs. Besse-Clarke.

Monday at North—Terminal Diner vs. Optimist Club.

Monday at Deming—Ida & John's vs. Union Federal.

Tuesday at Deming—IUE 255 vs. Besse-Clarke.

Tuesday at North—General Electric vs. GEAA.

Wednesday at Deming—Ida & John's vs. Terminal Diner.

Wednesday at North—Union Federal vs. Adams Super Market.

Thursday at Deming—IUE-255 vs. Moldmaster.

Thursday at North—Optimist Club vs. General Electric.

Friday at Deming—Besse-Clarke vs. Imperial Lanes.

Friday at North—VFW vs. GEAA.

Saturday at Deming, 10 a.m.—Besse-Clarke vs. Imperial Lanes (makeup game).

Saturday at North, 10 a.m.—Terminal Diner vs. Besse-Clarke (makeup game).

The score:

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Archey, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rilla, lf	0	1	0	1	0	0
Ewing, 2b, 1b	4	1	2	2	3	1
Evans, p	4	0	1	2	0	0
Kelly, c	3	1	2	10	0	0
DeLuce, ss	2	0	1	1	2	0
Massaconi, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Reilly, 1b	2	0	0	5	0	0
Hoeske, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bressett, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Woods, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Victor, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kellar, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	27	3	6	21	7	1

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith	2	0	0	0	0	0
Brutnell, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Simonelli, 3b	4	0	2	3	1	0
DiSantis, c	4	0	2	9	2	0
Kozack, ss	2	0	0	1	0	1
Sarosy, p	3	0	0	0	5	1
Dawley, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
z-Kearns, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Lemone, 1b	1	0	0	5	0	0
zz-Barry	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lacy, 1b	1	1	1	2	0	0
	27	1	7	21	8	2

Z-Struck out for Selva in 4th.
ZZ—Struck out for Lemone in 5th.

VFW	200	000	1—3
Imperial Lanes	000	000	1—1

RBI—Ewing, Brutnell. 2B—Ewing 2, Lacy. SB—DeLuce 2, Kelly, Rilla. DP—DeLuce to Ewing. LOB—Imperial 9, VFW 6. BB—Evans 4, Sarosy 3. SO—Evans 10, Sarosy 9. Wild Pitch—Evans. WP—Ned Evans. LP—Ray Sarosy. U—Mole and Magi. T—1h, 45m.

GEAA Wins 8-5 On 5-Run Rally

A five-run first inning helped the GEAA to an 8-5 victory over Adams Super Market in the second game played yesterday.

Dave Southard led the winners with three hits, one a triple and one a double. Pitcher Lou Orazio smacked another triple to help his own cause.

Mike Massaconi led Adams bat with two hits.

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FIRST PITCH of the 1961 Babe Ruth Baseball League season was whipped across the plate by Mayor Raymond Haughey Saturday in opening game ceremonies at Deming Field. Dr. Robert Kirvin, Pittsfield Park Commission chairman, was the catcher. Members of the Pittsfield Moldmasters and Terminal Diner teams, contestants in the first game of a double-header, lined the third and first base lines, respectively, for the ceremonies. A color guard from the Pittsfield VFW raised the flag.

Traditional Ceremonies Open Babe Ruth Season

5/22/61

The Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League opened its ninth season Saturday afternoon at Deming Field with a double-header played before a small crowd. In opening day ceremonies Mayor Raymond Haughey threw the first ball with Dr. Robert Kirvin, Park Commission chairman, catching. A five-man color guard from the Pittsfield VFW raised the flag in center field. The Babe Ruth League developed from Little Bigger League baseball, which ran here one year.

Weekend Results

In the opening day double-header Terminal Diner came from behind to edge Moldmasters 5-4 and the Optimist Club walloped Imperial Lanes 9-0. Results of a second double bill yesterday were VFW over Union Federal, 6-3, and Ida and John's downing Adams Super Markets 5-4.

Strong relief pitching by Carl Boteze was a big factor in Terminal's win over Moldmasters. In the third inning he relieved starting pitcher Pete Ellsworthy, who had given up eight walks and three hits. Boteze scattered three hits the rest of the way and was never in trouble.

Moldmaster starter John Hurley cruised along for four innings allowing only two hits, both to Kevin Curley. Hurley had a four-run lead. In the fifth Dave Robertson's double and John Crook's single scored one run off Hurley. In the sixth a double by Boteze, two singles, a walk and a fielder's choice pushed over the tying runs.

Diner Wins in 7th

The Diner team scored the clincher in the seventh on a walk and two singles with Tony Sangiovanni's second single of the game driving in the winning run. Hitting stars for Moldmasters were Dave Tetreault and Gene Curletti with two singles apiece, Bob Rivard with a two-run double, and Craig Lausier with a double and one RBI.

Optimist pitcher Fran Murray was the boss in the second game as his team rolled to an easy win over Imperial Lanes. Murray fanned 11 and struck out seven consecutive batters between the second and fourth innings. The first hit off Murray was pitcher Bill Kozack's double in the fifth. Danny DeSantis reached the Optimist hurler for a single in the sixth.

Victor Wins

The Optimists decided the issue in the third with five runs on five singles and Collin Garstang's double. Heavy hitters for the winners were Sam Russo with three singles and Dave Lucaroni, Bruce Eulian, Ronnie Kinnas and Dick Vaccaro with two singles apiece. Lucaroni had three RBIs.

In yesterday's action VFW hurler Bill Victor bested Union Federal right-hander Ronnie Ladd. Errors behind Ladd gave the VFW a two-run lead but the Union Federal tied it up at 3-3. VFW sent across the winning runs in the fifth inning on a hit batsman, and three singles. Jim Mahan, Mike Ewing and Victor led the VFW attack with two singles apiece. Mike Rohlfs and Matt Giardina hit doubles for the losers.

Pitcher Ronnie Ladd of Ida and John's was in trouble frequently, but bore down in the clutches. His team belted out six hits and four runs in the second off Dick Falkenbush. Mike Massaconi relieved Falkenbush and didn't allow a hit for the rest of the game.

Ida and John's put over the winning run on a hit batsman, a stolen base, an infield out and a sacrifice bunt. Massaconi had three singles and Falkenbush belted a long triple.

In games tonight the GEAA meets Besse-Clarke at Deming and General Electric plays IUE 255 at North Junior High. Both games are at 6.

The scores:

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Puntin, cf	4	0	0	3	1	0
Boteze, 3b, p	3	2	1	0	0	0
Noetzel, rf	3	0	1	1	0	1
Curley, 1b	1	0	2	3	1	0
Sangiovanni, c	4	1	2	10	1	0
Ellsworth, p, 3b	2	1	0	2	0	0
Robertson, ss	4	1	1	2	1	1
L'Hote, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
	30	5	9	21	5	2

MOLDMASTERS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	0	0	3	0	0
Powers, ss	4	0	0	2	2	0
Curletti, 1b	3	1	2	4	0	0
Tetreault, c	4	1	2	9	1	0
Rivard, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Hurley, p	3	1	0	0	4	0
Lausier, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Massacani, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
O'Laughlin, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Farry, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	26	4	6	21	7	0

Terminal Diner 000 013 1—5
Moldmasters 202 000 0—4

RBI—Sangiovanni 2, L'Hote 2, Rivard 2, Crooks, Nilan, Lausier. 2B—Boteze, Robertson, Lausier. SB—Massaconi. LOB—Moldmasters 9, Terminal Diner 9. BB—Ellsworth 8, Hurley 4. SO—Boteze 6, Ellsworth 3, Hurley 8. HO—Ellsworth, 3 in 2 2-3; Boteze, 3 in 4 1-3. HBP—Hurley (Ellsworth). WP—Ellsworth. W—Boteze. L—Hurley. U—Mole and Coppolino. T—1h, 50m.

SECOND GAME

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
M. Murray, 2b	3	1	1	2	0	0
Woitkowski, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Russo, ss, 1b	4	2	3	3	1	0
Eulian, lf	2	1	2	1	0	0
Kane, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carey, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garstang, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	3	1	2	1	0	0
O'Laughlin, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vaccaro, c	3	2	2	11	0	0
Kruczkowski, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mowka, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	3	0	2	1	0	0
F. Murray, p	3	1	0	1	2	0
	30	9	13	21	4	0

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	2	0	0	2	4	0
Brutnell, cf	3	0	0	1	1	0
DeSantis, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Sarosy, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Simonelli, ss	3	0	0	4	1	1
Kozack, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Kearns, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Selva, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vosburgh, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zDawley	1	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lacy, 1b	1	0	0	5	1	1
zzLemone, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	0
	23	0	2	21	11	2

Optimists 015 110 1—9

z—Struck out for Vosburgh in 5th.
zz—Struck out for Lacy in 5th.

RBI—Eulian 2, Garstang 2, Lucaroni 3, Russo, Kinna. 2B—Kozack, Garstrang. SB—Kinnis 2, Russo, Eulian, Vaccaro, Lucaroni, SAC—Lucaroni, Kruczkowski. DP—Kozack, Lacy to DeSantis. LOB—Optimists 7, Imperial 4. BB—F. Murray 2, Kozack 4. SO—F. Murray 11, Kozack 5. HBP—Kozack (Vaccaro). WP—Kozack. PB—DeSantis. W—Murray. L—Kozack. U—Gwinnell and Mole. T—1h, 40m.

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bressett, cf	4	2	0	0	0	0
Powers, lf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Mahan, 3b	4	2	2	2	0	2
P. Rilla, 1b	3	1	1	0	1	0
DeLuce, ss	4	0	1	3	1	0
Kelly, c	3	1	0	9	0	0
Reilly, rf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Ewing, 2b	3	0	2	1	0	1
Victor, p	2	0	2	0	0	0
	27	6	8	18	3	2

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Shade, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Jacoby, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
xxRohlfs, ss	3	0	1	1	0	0
Ronny Ladd, p	2	1	0	0	4	0
Giardina, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Hall, 2b	2	1	1	5	0	1
Nagle, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Walsh, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Caritey, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Doolan, 2b	1	0	0	1	1	2
Sangiovanni, 2b	1	0	1	0	1	0
	24	3	6*	18	3	4

High-Scoring Games Feature Babe Ruth Weekend Slate

6/5/61

AMERICAN	Won	Lost
VFW	4	1
Optimist Club	3	1
GE	2	2
Besse-Clarke	1	2
Adams Mkts.	1	3

NATIONAL	Won	Lost
GEAA	3	0
Terminal	2	1
Ida & Johns	2	2
IUE 255	1	2
Union Fed.	0	3
Imperial	0	4

GAMES TODAY

At Deming—Ida & John's vs. Union Federal

At North—Terminal Diner vs. Optimist Club.

High scoring games were the order of the weekend in the Pittsfield Babe Ruth League, with the final count running into double figures in three of the four games. Yesterday in a double-header at Deming Field General Electric beat IUE 255 20-5 and GEAA defeated Besse-Clarke 14-9.

In a contest at North Junior High Field Saturday morning Moldmaster downed Imperial Lanes 14-6. At Deming Field Saturday morning Adams Supermarkets won its first game by giving VFW its first loss 2-0 in a well-played contest.

GE pitcher Bob Doyle had IUE under control as his teammates rapped out 12 hits, drew 15 walks and had three batsmen hit. Doyle had four hits in five times at bat. Jim Wheat had a single and a triple and five RBIs for the winners. Jim Carlo, with a single and triple, and Kevin Brennan, with a double, paced the IUE.

Procopio Stars

GEAA pitcher Paul Procopio starred for his club in its win over Besse's. In addition to getting the victory in relief he helped himself with a triple and home run and drove in five scores. Other GEAA hard hitters were Bill Hamilton with two singles and Lou Orazio with a single and double. John Kinnas and Jack Doyle had a single and triple apiece for losers.

Catcher Dave Tatro blasted two home runs, a triple and a single, and drove in six runs in Moldmaster's triumph over Imperial Lanes. Ran DeSantis led the losers with a triple and two runs batted in.

After Adams Supermarkets pitcher Mike Massaconi got out of a bases-loaded situation in the first inning without a score, he was in charge the rest of the way in edging VFW. Both Adams runs were unearned. John Reed had a single and double and scored both of the winners' runs. Denny Kelly hit a long double for VFW.

The scores:

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Slonski, 3b	4	2	2	1	2	0
Washburn, lf	1	4	0	0	0	0
Goyette, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wheat, cf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Downey, 1b	3	1	1	6	1	0
McConnell, 2b, rf	4	2	2	1	3	0
Pierce, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Royal, 2b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Gasson, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doyle, p	5	3	4	0	1	0
Charow, c	2	3	0	6	0	0
O'Neil, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, ss	2	3	1	1	1	0
xPapallo	0	0	0	0	0	0
	27	20	12	15	8	0

IUE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Francebois, cf, p	3	1	1	3	0	0
Clark, p, cf, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Riccarini, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carlo,ss	2	2	2	1	1	0
Van Jura, 3b	2	1	0	1	2	0
Brennan, 1b, p, lf	2	0	1	2	0	1
Cimini, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Williams, p	1	0	1	0	1	0
Carmel, lf, rf, p	2	0	0	0	0	1
Ruberto, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Farrell, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spina, c	2	0	0	2	0	0
Storie, c	0	0	0	1	0	0
	19	5	6*	13	4	2

General Electric 204 59—20
IUE 255 200 03— 5

x—Walked for Allen in 5th.
*—Game called because of run limit in last of 5th.

RBI—Wheat 5, Slonski 2, Downey 2, McConnell, Allen 2, Gasson, Doyle, Papallo, Royal, Williams 2, Carlo, Brennan. 2B—McConnell, Allen, Brennan. 3B—Wheat, Carlo. SB—Carlo 2, Francebois, Clark, Van Jura, McConnell 2, Charow 2, Doyle 2, Slonski, Washburn, Downey. SAC Ruberto. DP—Slonski to Downey. LOB—GE 12, IUE 5. BB—Doyle 4, Clark 3, Francebois 4, Williams 3, Brennan 3, Carmel 2. SO—Doyle 6, Francebois 1, Carmel 1. HO—Clark, 2 in 1-3; Francebois, 6 in 3; Brennan, 3 in 0; Carmel, 1 in 1-3. HBP—Clark (McConnell), Williams (Wheat), Carmel (Gasson). WP—Doyle, Clarke 2, Brennan, Francebois. W—Doyle. L—Francebois. U—Brennan, Riccarini. T—2h, 5m.

GEAA

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Grieve, cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hamilton, cf	2	2	2	0	1	0
Orazio, 3b	3	2	2	1	1	1
LaBrie, p	3	1	0	0	2	1
Lewis, 2b	1	1	1	1	0	0
Procopio, 2b, p	3	3	2	1	1	2
x-Southard, 1b	3	0	0	5	0	0
Palmeri, ss	3	2	1	2	1	0
Boyer, c	3	1	1	11	2	0
Handerek, lf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Blasioli, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
	28	14	9	21	8	4

BESSE-CLARKE

Russo, 3b	3	1	0	1	3	1
Rustic, 2b	4	1	0	1	1	0
Doyle, ss	3	3	2	0	0	1
Kinnas, cf, p	4	1	2	1	0	0
Vanesse, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Lear, 1b	2	1	0	6	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Ali, c	4	0	1	7	2	2
Nicholson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sullivan, p, cf	2	1	0	1	0	0
	28	9	7	18	6	4

GEAA 400 037 —14
Besse-Clarke 000 162 0— 9

x—Reached first on catcher's interference in 3rd.

RBI—Procopio 5, Orazio 2, Palmeri 2, Southard, Boyer, Kinnas 3, Vanesse 2, Lucaroni. 2B—Doyle, Orazio, Palmeri. 3B—Procopio, Kinnas. HR—Procopio. SB—Palmeri 3, Rustic, Lear. SAC—Orazio. LOB—Besse-Clarke 5, GEAA 3. BB—Nicholson 3, Sullivan 2, LaBrie 5, Procopio 1. SO—Sullivan 5, Kinnas 1, LaBrie 7, Procopio 2. HO—Nicholson, 1 in 1-3; Sullivan, 5 in 4 2-3; Kinnas, 3 in 2-3; LaBrie, 5 in 5; Procopio, 2 in 2. HBP—LaBrie (Lear). Balk—Kinnas. PB—Boyer. W—Procopio. L—Sullivan. U—Riccarini and Brennan. T—2h.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	2	0	3	2	0
Miller, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Kellogg, ss	2	0	0	1	3	0
Hurley, 3b	2	1	1	0	2	0
Curletti, 1b	3	3	2	7	0	0
Tatro, c	4	3	4	3	0	0
Farry, c	0	0	0	1	0	0
Lausier, ss, 3b	4	0	2	0	2	1
White, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rivard, cf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Massaconnie, rf lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
LaPointe, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0
O'Laughlin, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Bassi, p	3	2	1	1	4	0
	32	14	14	21	11	3

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 1b	4	1	1	3	0	2
Dawley, p	2	2	1	0	0	0
zVosburgh	1	0	0	0	0	0
Simonelli, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	0
DeSanfis, c	5	2	2	8	1	1
Kozack, ss	2	0	0	1	0	3
Sarosy, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Lacy, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Albano, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Kearns, lf	2	0	0	3	1	0
Lemone, lf	2	0	0	3	1	0
Selva, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barry, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Brutnell, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
	30	6	7	18	4	6

Moldmaster 201 542 x—14
Imperial Olleys 002 202 0— 6

z—Struck out for Dawley in 7th.

RBI—Hurley 2, Curletti, Tatro 6, Lausier, Simonelli, DeSantis 2, Lacy, Sarosy. 2B—Curletti, Lausier, Bassi. 3B—Hurley, Tatro, Lausier, DeSantis. HR—Tatro 2. SB—Nilan, Smith. LOB—Moldmaster 5, Imperial Lanes 13. BB—Bassi 9, Dawley 4. SO—Bassi 4, Dawley 2. HBP—Bassi (Simonelli). Balk—Dawley. U—Brennan and Coppolina. T—1h, 54m.

ADAMS SUPERMARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Carnevale, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Farnsworth, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Luz, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	1
Falkenbush, ss	3	0	1	3	6	0
Boyd, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Mike Massaconi, p	3	0	1	2	0	0
Donahe, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	0
Frydel, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Chesney, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reed, c	2	2	2	11	1	0
Russo, rf, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0
	23	2	5	21	8	1

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Hoeske, 2b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Archey, ss	3	0	0	1	1	1
Mahan, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Rilla, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Evans, 1b	3	0	1	9	1	1
Bressett, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, c	3	0	1	10	0	0
Woods, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reilly, rf, 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, lf, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Mike Massaconi, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
zKellar	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	0	3	18	3	3

Adams Supermarkets 010 100 —2
VFW 000 000 0—0

z—Struck out for Mike Massaconi in 7th.

2B—Reed, Kelly. SB—Reed. SAC—Woods. LOB—VFW 8, Adams Supermarkets 10. BB—Massaconi 5, Mahan 6. SO—Massaconi 9, Mahan 9. HBP—Makan (Farnsworth). Balk—Mahan. PB—Reed. W—Massaconi. L—Mahan. U—Semeno and Mole. 4T—1h, 40m.

Moldmaster Ties for Top

6/24/61

GAMES TO[illegible]

10 a.m., North—Besse-Cla[illegible]timists.
10 a.m., Deming—Adams Mark[illegible]vs. IUE 255.

GAMES TOMORROW

1:30 at North—Moldmaster vs. GEAA.
3:30 at North—Optimists vs. General Electric.
1:30 at Deming—VFW vs. Besse-Clarke.
3:30 at Deming—Union Federal vs. IUE 255.

Moldmaster went into a tie for first place with the Veterans of Foreign Wars in the American division of the Babe Ruth Baseball League by scoring a 10-6 victory over Ida & John's last night at Deming Field. Adams Super-Market beat the Imperial Lanes 7-1 in the other league game at North Junior High Field.

Ida & John's rallied for five runs in the final inning, but pitcher Dick Powers held on to gain a route-going win. Dick also was a batting star, with two of his team's five hits. One was a double. Dave Tetreault drove in three runs for the Moldmasters.

Pat Bonavitacola and Joe Martin had two hits apiece for Ida & John's.

Dick Falkenbush, completely recovered from a sore arm, didn't allow a hit until there was one out in the sixth. Bill Kozack, the rival pitcher, made it with a double down the left field line. Falkenbush finished with a three hitter. He fanned 11.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Kellogg, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Powers, p	2	3	2	0	3	0
Curletti, 1b	2	2	1	9	0	0
Bassi, 1b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tatro, c	4	1	1	6	0	0
Lausier, 3b	2	0	0	0	3	0
LaPointe, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hurley, ss	3	1	1	3	2	0
Rivard, cf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Miller, cf	0	0	0	0	0	1
O'Laughlin, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
xMassacani, lf, 3b	1	0	0	1	1	1
White, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Farry, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	10	5	21	10	2

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bonavitacola, 2b	3	0	2	1	2	0
Williams, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bell, ss	4	1	1	0	0	3
Cook, p, rf, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	1
Ladd, rf, p	4	1	1	0	0	0
Martin, 1b	4	0	2	5	0	0
Rilla, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Guarda, c	2	2	0	10	4	0
Klemansky, 3b	1	0	0	2	1	1
zLyons, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
zzBates	1	1	0	0	0	0
Moon, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
zzzMogavero	0	1	0	0	0	0
	30	6	7	18	9	5

Moldmaster 150 400 —10
Ida & John's 000 010 5— 6

x—Batted for O'Laughlin in 4th.
z—Singled for Klemansky in 5th.
zz—Reached on error for Lyons in 7th.
zzz—Walked for Moon in 7th.

RBI—Tatro 3, Nilan, Powers 2, Bonavitacola, Bell, Martin. 2B—Bonavitacola, Powers, Ladd, Tatro, Martin. SB—Nilan, Rivard. LOB—Ida & John's 7, Moldmaster 5. BB—Powers 4, Cook 6, Ladd 5. SO—Powers 5, Cook 1, Ladd 9. HO—HO—Cook, 2 in 1 2-3; Ladd, 3 in 4 1-3. Balk—Ladd 2, Powers. PB—Guarda. U—Russo and Deleo. T—2h, 5m.

ADAMS SUPERMARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Farnsworth, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
xOlds, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reed, c	4	1	0	11	0	0
Massaconi, ss	3	1	2	1	3	0
Falkenbush, p	2	1	1	0	1	0
Donahue, 1b	4	1	2	6	0	0
Chesney, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Boyd, rf, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Luz, 3b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Russo, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxFrydel, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carnevale, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Carpenter, 2b	1	1	1	0	1	0
	28	7	8	21	6	0

IMPERIAL LANES

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Smith, 2b	1	1	0	0	2	0
Kozack, p	3	0	1	1	3	0
Simonelli, ss, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
DeSantis, c	3	0	0	14	2	1
Lacy, 1b	2	0	0	3	0	1
Albano, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lemone, 1b	1	0	1	0	0	0
Vosburgh, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Sarosy, 3b	2	0	0	3	0	1
Quinlan, ss	1	0	1	0	0	0
Kearns, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brutnell, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
zSelva, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
	23	1	3	21	7	3

Adams 000 040 3—7
Imperial 000 001 0—1

x—Struck out for Farnsworth in 6th.
xx—Struck out for Russo in 5th.
z—Struck out for Brutnell in 6th.

RBI—Massaconi 3, Donahue, Carpenter, Luz 2, Simonelli. 2B—Donahue, Kozack. 3B—Massaconi. SB—Luz, Frydel. SAC—Simonelli. DP—Kozack to Lacy. LOB—Adams Markets 7, Imperial Lanes 5. BB—Falkenbush 3, Kozack 6. SO—Falkenbush 11, Kozack 14. HBP—Kozack (Frydel). WP—Kozack. Balk—Kozack. U—Mole and Brennan. T—1h, 45m.

VFW 210 030—6
Union Federal 111 000—3

*—Game called at the end of 6th. Time limit.

RBI—Ewing 2, Rilla, DeLuce, Ron Ladd, Giardina. 2B—Rohlfs, Giardina. SB—Mahan 2, Bressett, Shade. SAC—Powers. SF—Don Ladd. LOB—VFW 8, Union Federal 8. BB—Ron Ladd 3, Victor 3. HBP—Laa (P. Rilla). W—Victor. L—Ladd. U—Ricciarini and Semeno. T—2h, 7m.

SECOND GAME

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Rilla, cf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Bonavitacola, 2b	3	0	1	0	3	0
Bell, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Roger Ladd, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Lyons, 1b	3	1	1	5	0	1
Cook, ss	3	1	1	2	1	0
xMoon, lf	2	1	1	1	0	1
xxMenin	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Klemansky, rf, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Guarda, c	1	0	0	11	2	0
	21	5	6	21	8	2

ADAMS SUPERMARKET

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Carnevale, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Donahue, 1b	4	0	0	4	0	0
Falkenbush, p, ss	3	2	1	1	1	0
Massaconi, ss, p	4	1	3	1	2	0
Boyd, cf	3	1	1	0	1	0
Luz, 3b	3	0	1	3	0	0
Seed, c	3	0	0	9	1	0
Russo, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Farnsworth, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Frydel, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carpenter, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zFlaherty, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzChesney	1	0	0	0	0	0
Strizzi, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	26	4	6	18	6	0

Ida & John's 040 100 —5
Adams Supermarket 102 010 0—4

x—Struck out for Menin in 6th.
z—Struck out for Flaherty in 6th.

RBI—Massaconi 2, Rilla 2, Boyd, Luz, Bell, Cook, Guarda. 2B—Lyons. 3B—Falkenbush. SB—Klemansky, Massaconi 3, Boyd 2, Falkenbush, Russo, Carpenter. SAC—Guarda, Rilla. DP—Ladd to Lyons, Massaconi, Boyd to Luz. LOB—Ida & John's 3, Adams Supermarket 8. BB—Falkenbush 1, Ladd 6. SO—Roger Ladd 12, Falkenbush 1, Massaconi 8. HO—Falkenbush, 6 in 1 2-3; Massaconi 0 in 4 1-3. HBP—Ladd (Russo), Massaconi (Klemansky, Ladd). W—

Adams, Terminal Diner Victorious by Single Runs

6/8/61

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	4	1	GEAA	4	0
VFW 448	4	1	Terminal	3	2
Moldmaster	3	1	Ida & John's	3	3
Besse-Clarke	2	2	IUE 255	1	3
GE	2	3	Imperial	0	4
Adams Mkts.	2	3	Union Fed.	0	5

GAMES TODAY

At North—Optimist Club vs. General Electric.
At Deming—IUE 255 vs. Moldmaster.

Single runs determined the winners in the two Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League games last night as Adams Super Markets edged Union Federal 5-4 at North Junior High Field and Terminal Diner nipped Ida & John's 8-7 at Deming Field.

Adams pitcher Mike Massaconi threw a three-hitter and had a no-hitter going until the fifth inning to record his second win of the season. After a shaky start in the first inning in which he gave up three hits, Union Federal pitcher Dave Nicklaw settled down to pitch good ball. The damage was done, however, and the bank team never could catch up despite a last-inning rally.

Dick Falkenbush led the Adams hitters with a single and a triple. Tom Donahue hit a double and drove in two runs. Massaconi had two singles. Nicklaw rapped two singles for the losers. The fielding gem of the game was Phil Jacoby's sparkling catch that robbed Donahue of an extra-base blow.

Diner Rallies

Terminal Diner pushed across three runs without benefit of a hit in the seventh inning to down Ida & John's.

Relief pitcher Mike Sangiovanni got the win and also contributed a sacrifice fly to the cause in the third inning.

Losing pitcher Roger Ladd was hampered by wildness and poor support. He walked 11, five in the last inning, and his mates made four errors.

Pete Ellsworth was the offensive star for the winners with a double and two RBIs. Al Cook had a triple for Ida & John's in the sixth, but was thrown out at the plate on a neat relay when he tried to go all the way.

ADAMS SUPERMARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boyd, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Reed, c	3	1	1	7	1	2
Falkenbush, ss	4	2	2	0	0	0
Massaconi, p	3	2	2	2	3	0
Donahue, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Frydel, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Strizzi, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Russo, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	1
Luz, 3b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Carpenter, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
	28	5	8	21	6	3

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Sykes, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Sangiovanni, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	1
Carifey, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
zShade, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Rohlfs, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Doolan, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Giardina, c	2	0	0	7	1	0
Ladd, 3b, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Nagle, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
zzJacoby, 1b	2	1	1	3	0	0
aWalsh, cf	2	1	0	3	0	0
Pleau, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hall, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
zzzNicklaw, p	2	1	2	1	2	0
	26	4	4	21	3	2

Adams Supermarkets	200	001	2—5
Union Federal	000	010	3—4

z—Struck out for Carifey in 6th.
zz—Flied out for Nagle in 5th.
zzz—Reached on catchers interference in 3rd.
a—Reached on catchers interference in 5th.

RBI—Donahue 2, Luz, Massaconi, Falkenbush, Nicklaw, Hall, Sangiovanni. 2B—Donahue, Reed. 3B—Falkenbush. SB—Jacoby, Nicklaw, Donahue. SAC—Reed. DP—Jacoby (unassisted). LOB—Union Federal 2, Adams Supermarkets 7. BB—Massaconi 2, Nicklaw 1. SO—Massaconi 9, Nicklaw 7. HBP—Nicklaw (Frydel). W—Massaconi. L—Nicklaw. U—Riccarini and Powers. T—1h, 38m.

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	1	2	0	2	1	1
Noetzel, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
Masino, 3b	1	1	0	0	0	0
Boteze, ss	2	2	0	2	1	0
Curley, 1b	4	2	1	5	0	0
Ellsworth, 3b, c	3	1	1	5	3	0
Sangiovanni, cf	1	0	0	6	3	2
Robertson, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
L'Hote, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Mancivalano, rf	2	0	0	0	2	0
	23	8	4	21	10	4

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bonavitacola, 2b, 3b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Bell, ss	3	2	0	4	2	2
Cook, 1b	2	1	1	1	0	1
Schermerhorn, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ladd, p, 1b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Rilla, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Guarda, c	2	2	1	9	4	0
Moon, lf, p	0	0	0	2	1	0
Klemansky, 3b, 1b, lf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Mogavero, rf	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bates, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
	23	7	4	21	11	4

Terminal Diner	014	000	3—8
Ida & John's	300	210	1—7

RBI—Ladd, Gardner 2, Ellsworth 2, Sangiovanni, Curley, Robertson, Klemansky. 2B—Ellsworth. 3B—Cook. SB—Bell 2, Guarda 3, Ladd 2, Cook. SAC—Noetzel, Sangiovanni. DP—Bell to Cook. LOB—Ida & John's 8, Terminal Diner 6. BB—Ladd 9, Noetzel 5, Sangiovanni 5. SO—Ladd 8, Noetzel 5, Sangiovanni 5. HO—Noetzel, 1 in 3; Ladd, 4 in 6 2-3; Sangiovanni, 3 in 4; Moon, 0 in 1-3. HBP—Noetzel (Mogavero), Ladd (Sangiovanni). WP—Sangiovanni 4, Ladd. PB—Sangiovanni 2. W—Sangiovanni. L—Ladd. U—Mole and Simeno. T—2h, 35m.

Ruth All-Stars To Be Picked Thursday Night

6/20/61

National and American Babe Ruth League All-Star teams will be picked Thursday night by the coaches of both leagues at a meeting at Springside House starting at 8:15. The teams will represent their respective leagues in tournament play.

Last season the American League All-Stars defeated the National League club for the Berkshire County championship, but were beaten by Agawam in the Western Massachusetts playoffs.

Frank Reappointed Director In Mass. Babe Ruth League

6/28/61

James J. Frank of 95 Chickering St. has been reappointed Section 1A director of the Massachusetts Babe Ruth Baseball League, Inc., for a sixth term. Frank held the post for five years up until last year, when he resigned for business reasons.

Paul Brindle Jr. succeeded Frank last year, but resigned to devote more time to his Pittsfield league duties. Section 1A covers Berkshire County.

A meeting of representatives of all Babe Ruth leagues in the county has been called for Sunday afternoon at 3 at Springside House to make plans for the district tournament. Invited to attend or send a representative were Stanley Kustra of Adams, James Harris of Great Barrington, Mrs. Peter Haven of Lee, Francis Tassone of North Adams and Louis Russo of Pittsfield.

Pairings for the tourney, play-off dates and selection of umpires will be set Sunday.

James J. Frank

At a recent meeting of the Massachusetts group in Wellesley, the state tournament was set at Fitchburg Saturday, Aug. 5, and Sunday, Aug. 6. On Saturday the Area 1 champ will meet the Area 4 team at 1 and the Area 2 and Area 3 champions will play at 3:30. The championship contest will be at 3:30 Sunday with a consolation tilt going on at 1.

District play begins July 8 in most areas. Area championships must be decided by July 30. The New England regionals will take place at Concord, N.H., Aug. 10-13.

Changes Made In BR Slate

6/9/61

Games of June 19 Set for North Field Sunday, June 18

The Babe Ruth Baseball League games for Monday, June 19, have been moved up one day and will be played as a doubleheader Sunday, June 18, at North Junior High Field, it was announced today in a schedule change. The change was made because of the junior high school proms on June 19.

In the first contest at 1:30, Moldmaster will meet Adams Supermarkets; in the 3:30 contest Terminal Diner will play VFW.

Both games last night were rained out before they went far enough to be official. General Electric was leading the Optimists 2-0 in the third, and Moldmaster was ahead of IUE 2-1 in the second when the rains came.

Tonight Besse-Clarke meets Imperial Lanes at Deming, and VFW plays GEAA at North Junior High Field. Make-up contests tomorrow morning at 10 match Terminal Diner and Besse-Clarke at North Field and Imperial Lanes and Union Federal at Deming field.

Sunday at North Junior, 1:30 p.m.—VFW vs. IUE 255.
Sunday at North Junior, 3:30 p.m.—Besse-Clarke vs. Ida & John's.
Monday at Deming—Terminal Diner vs. Adams Supermarkets.
Monday at North—Moldmaster vs. Optimist Club.
Tuesday at Deming—Imperial Lanes vs. GEAA.
Tuesday at North—General Electric vs Union Federal.
Wednesday at Deming—Adams Supermarkets vs. Optimist Club.
Wednesday at North—VFW vs. Besse-Clarke.
Wednesday at Deming—Union Federal vs. Terminal Diner.
Thursday at North—General Electric vs. Moldmaster.
Friday at Deming—IUE vs. Imperial Lanes.
Friday at North—GEAA vs. Ida & John's.

Late Rallies Give Optimists 16-9 Triumph

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Winners Do Job On 11 Hits, 14 Walks In Wild Contest

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	6	1	GEAA	4	2
Moldmaster	4	1	Terminal	4	2
Optimists	5	2	Ida & John's	3	4
Besse-Clarke	3	3	Imperial	1	4
GE	2	3	IUE 255	1	4
Adams Mkts.	2	5	Union Fed.	0	5

GAMES TODAY

At North—General Electric vs. Moldmaster.
At Deming—Union Federal vs. Terminal Diner.

Optimist Club rallied for 10 runs in the last two innings to down Adams Super Markets 16-9 in a wild Babe Ruth League game last night at Deming Field. The Optimists put together 11 hits and 14 walks for their 16 runs.

Sam Russo and Ron Kinnas had two hits apiece for the winners. Russo and Joe Woitkowski had the only extra base hits of the game for Optimists, both doubles. Dick Falkenbush rapped a double and single for the losers.

The winning pitcher was Steve Kruczowski, who came on in relief of Russo in the fourth inning. He went the final four innings giving up just one hit and striking out six.

The score.

OPTIMIST CLUB

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kinnas, 1b	4	0	2	6	0	1
S. Russo, p, 2b	4	3	2	2	1	0
Garstang, 3b	2	3	1	2	1	0
Woitkowski, ss	2	3	1	0	1	1
Kruczowski, lf, p	4	2	1	1	0	0
Vacarro, c	2	2	0	10	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Spiewak, cf, lf	3	1	1	0	1	0
Carey, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
F. Murray, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Eulian, 2b	2	0	1	0	1	0
O'Laughlin, 2b, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
	31	16	11	21	3	2

ADAMS SUPERMARKETS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Falkenbush, ss	3	3	2	1	1	0
Boyd, cf	2	3	1	0	0	0
Donahue, 1b	3	1	1	6	0	0
Massacani, p, 3b	4	1	1	0	3	1
Chesney, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Flaherty, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carpenter, lf, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Frydel, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Luz, 3b, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
J. Russo, 2b, lf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Farnsworth, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Olds, c	4	1	0	13	1	0
	30	9	7	21	7	1

Optimist Club	202	206	4—16
Adams Supermarkets	205	200	0— 9

RBI—Kinnas Woitkowski 2, Kruczowski 2, Lucaroni, Spiewak 2, F. Murray 2, Eulian 2, O'Laughlin, Falkenbush, Donahue 2, Massacani 2, Carpenter, Luz, J. Russo. 2B—S. Russo, Woitkowski. SB—Falkenbush, Donahue, Frydel 2, Luz, J. Russo, Kinnas, S. Russo 4, Garstand 2, Vacarro. LOB—Optimist 9, Adams 6. BB—S. Russo 5, Massacani 14. SO—S. Russo, Kruczowski 6. Massacani 13. HO—S. Russo, 6 in 3; Massacani, 10 in 6 2-3; Kruczowski, 1 in 4; Luz, 1 in 1-3. HBP—Massacani (Lucaroni), Kruczowski (Farnsworth). WP—S. Russo, Massacani 4. PB—Olds 3, Vacarro. W—Kruczowski. L—Massacani. U—Simeno and Riccarini. T—2h, 30m.

Errors Figure In Babe Ruth Games' Results

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Besse-Clarke, VFW Top Ida and John's, IUE in Double-Header

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	6	1	GEAA	4	1
Optimist Club	4	1	Terminal	3	2
Moldmaster	3	1	Ida & John's	3	4
Besse-Clarke	3	2	IUE 255	1	4
Adams Mkt.	2	3	Imperial	0	4
GE	2	3	Union Fed.	0	4

GAMES TODAY

At North—Moldmaster vs. Optimists.
At Deming—Terminal Diner vs. Adams Supermarkets.

6/12/61

Errors were a big factor in the results of both games of the Babe Ruth Baseball League doubleheader yesterday afternoon at the North Junior High Field. VFW defeated IUE 255 12-5 and Besse-Clarke beat Ida and John's 9-3.

Because of rained out games Friday and Saturday the remainder of the first-half schedule will be revised.

The VFW team, although outhit by the IUE, took advantage of opposition miscues to score an easy win in a loosely played contest. Ned Evans started for the Veterans but hurt a muscle in his back in the second inning. He gave way to Jim Mahan, who finished up and was credited with the victory.

Heavy Hitters

Mike Ewing, with a double and three RBIs, and Joe Powers, with two singles and two RBIs, were the main offensive contributors for the winners.

Gary Van Jura pitched well for IUE but errors had him in hot water in nearly every inning. Johnny Franchebois and Jimmy Clarke had two singles apiece for the losers.

Besse-Clarke right-hander Jack Doyle scored his second win of the year in his team's game with Ida and John's. Doyle was helped by timely hitting of Darryl Rustic, who had three singles and three RBIs, Bob Lears, with a double and single, and by Pete Russo with two singles. The B-C pitcher helped his cause with two base hits.

Roger Ladd was the loser, his second defeat. Johnny Lyons was the best hitter for the losers with a double and single. Each team was charged with four errors.

The scores:

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
DeLuce, ss, lf	2	1	0	1	1	1
Keller, lf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mahan, 3b, p	3	2	1	0	1	0
Evans, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Massacani, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, c	3	2	0	7	2	0
P. Rilla, cf	1	3	1	0	1	1
Ewing, 2b, rf	3	2	1	2	1	0
Powers, rf	2	0	2	0	0	0
Hoeske, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bresselt, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Archey, ss	1	0	0	2	0	0
Reilly, 1b	3	0	0	4	0	0
	23	12	5	18	6	2

IUE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Franchebois, cf	2	2	2	1	0	1
Clark, lf, 3b	3	1	2	2	1	0
Brennan, 1g	1	0	0	2	1	2
Williams, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Van Jura, p, 1b	4	1	0	3	0	0
Spina, c	3	0	0	2	2	1
Carmel, ss	3	1	1	1	2	0
Ruberto, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Farrell, 2b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Cimini, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Storie, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Riccarin, 3b	2	0	0	2	1	2
Clerici, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
	25	5	6	15	7	6

VFW	450	21	—12
IUE	100	022	— 5

RBI—Ewing 3, Powers 2, Rilla, Carmel 2, Storie. 2B—Ewing. SB—DeLuce 3, Rilla, Powers, Van Jura. YOB—VFW 6, IUE 11. BB—Van Jura 6, Williams 3, Evans 1, Mahan 7. SO—Van Jura 3, Williams 1, Evans 2, Mahan 5. HO—Van Jura, 5 in 4; Williams, 0 in 1; Evans, 4 in 2; Mahan, 3 in 4. HBP—Mahan (Ruberto). WP—Mahan. PB—Spina 3. W—Jim Mahan. L—Gary Van Jura. U—Riccarini and Brennan. T—2h.

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, ss	3	3	2	1	1	1
Rustic, 2b	4	0	2	2	0	0
Doyle, p	3	0	2	0	3	0
Kinnas, lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Sullivan, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Vanesse, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
A. Pero, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Ali, c	3	1	0	7	1	2
Zack, 3b	0	2	0	2	2	0
Lear, 1b	3	2	2	6	0	1
	27	9	9	21	8	4

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Rilla, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Bell, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Cook, ss	4	0	1	2	4	0
Ladd, p	3	2	1	0	2	0
Lyons, 1b	4	1	2	5	0	0
Whittlesey, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	1
zWilliams	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mogavero, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guarda, c	1	0	1	5	1	2
Moon, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Schermerhorn, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Klemansky, rf, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	28	3	7	18	8	4

Besse-Clarke	121	320	—9
Ida & John's	020	100	0—3

z—Grounded out for Whittlesey in 6th.

RBI—Rustic 3, Kinnas, Lear, Lyons. 2B—Lyons. 3B—Lear. SB—Zack 2, Lear, Kinnas, Ladd 2, Bell, Guarda. SAC—Lear. LOB—Besse-Clark 7, Ida & John's 8. BB—Doyle 4, Ladd 6. SO—Doyle 7, Ladd 4. W—Jack Doyle. L—Ladd. U—Brennan and Riccarini. T—2h.

Super Markets Wallop IUE By 18-3 Score

6/3/61

FINAL STANDINGS OF FIRST HALF

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	9	2	Terminal	7	4
Moldmaster	9	2	Ida & John's	6	5
VFW 448	8	3	GEAA	6	5
Besse-Clark	7	4	Imperial	3	8
Adams Mkts.	4	7	Union Fed	2	9
GE	4	7	IUE 255	1	10

GAMES WEDNESDAY

At North Junior—Optimists vs. Imperial Lanes.
At Deming Field—Terminal Diner vs. Moldmaster.

Adams Super Markets walloped IUE 255 by an 18-3 score Saturday morning at Deming Field in a Pittsfield Babe Ruth League make-up game that closed out the regular first half schedule. The game was called after six innings.

Dick Falkenbush limited IUE to five hits. Mike Massaconi was the batting star for the Super Markets with a single and double and three RBIs. Hank Frydel and John Reed smacked two-baggers for the winners.

Ron Clerici had a double for IUE, and Pete Riccarini drove across two scores for the losers.

The score:

ADAMS SUPER MARKET

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boyd, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Chesney, rf	4	2	1	0	0	1
Farnsworth, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Falkenbush, p	3	2	1	0	2	0
Massaconi, ss	4	3	2	2	0	0
Frydel, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	0
Olds, c	3	1	1	5	3	0
Strizzi, lf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Carpenter, lf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Reed, lf, c	1	1	1	2	0	0
Luz, 3b	2	2	0	0	1	0
Flaherty, 2b	3	2	0	0	0	0
Russo, 2b	1	0	1	0	1	0
	32	18	10	18	7	1

IUE 255

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Clark, cf, c, p	3	0	0	4	1	0
Carmel, lf, p, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	1
Franchebois, p, cf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Van Jura, ss	2	0	0	1	0	1
Spina, c, 1b	3	1	1	4	0	1
Ruberto, 2b	2	1	0	0	2	3
Clerici, 1b, cf, lf	2	1	1	2	0	0
Riccarini, 3b	2	0	1	0	1	1
zWilliams, c, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cimini, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Farrell, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	22	3	5	17	5	7

AramsSuper Market	072	613	—18
IUE 255	010	200	— 3

z—Ran for Riccarini in 4th.

RBI—Riccarini 2, Boyd 2, Falkenbush 2, Massaconi 3, Olds, Carpenter 2, Chesney 2, Frydel 2, Russo, Reed. 2B—Clerici, Massaconi, Frydel, Reed. SB—Boyd 2, Carmel, Chesney, Spina, Williams, Frydel, Van Jura, Massaconi. LOB—IUE 255 4, Adams 9. BB—Franchebois 7, Falkenbush 2, Clark 1, Williams 3. SO—Franchebois 1, Falkenbush 10, Carmel 1, Williams 3. HO—Franchebois, 3 in 1 2-3; Clark, 4 in 2-3; Carmel, 1 in 1 1-3; Williams, 2 in 2 1-3. HBP—Falkenbush (Clerici), Williams (Reed). WP—Falkenbush 3; Franchebois 2, Carmel 2, Williams 2. L—Franchebois. U—Riccarini and Coppoino. T—2h, 15m.

Terminal, Moldmaster BRL Winners

Paul Noetzel Has 2-Hit Shutout; Curletti 2 for 2

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
VFW 448	6	1	Terminal	5	2
Moldmasters	5	1	GEAA	5	2
Optimists	5	2	Ida & John's	3	4
Besse-Clarke	3	2	Imperial	1	4
GE	2	4	IUE 255	1	4
Adams Mkts.	2	6	Union Fed.	0	6

SCHEDULE

Saturday at Deming, 10 a.m.—Imperial Lanes vs. Union Federal.
Saturday at North, first game, 1:30—Terminal Diner vs. Besse-Clarke; second game, 3:30, Ida & John's vs. IUE 255.
Sunday at Deming, first game, 1:30—Besse-Clarke vs. Imperial Lanes; second game, 1:30, General Electric vs. Union Federal.
Sunday at North, first game, 1:30—Moldmaster vs. Adams Markets; second game, 3:30, Terminal Diner vs. VFW 448.
No games Monday, June 18, Junior High Proms.
Tuesday at North—Optimists vs. GEAA.
Tuesday at Deming—Imperial Lanes vs. General Electric.
Wednesday at North—Besse-Clarke vs. Union Federal.
Wednesday at Deming—GEAA vs. Terminal Diner.
Thursday at North—VFW 448 vs. Moldmaster.
Thursday at Deming—Union Federal vs. IUE 255.
Friday at North—Imperial Lanes vs. Adams Markets.
Friday at Deming—Moldmaster vs. Ida & John's.

Paul Noetzel came through with a two-hit shutout last night as Terminal Diner held onto its share of the National League lead in the Babe Ruth Baseball League by beating Union Federal Savings Bank 1-0 at Deming Field.

Losing pitcher Ron Ladd spaced 8 hits and struck out 11.

The only run came in the fourth after Bob L'Hote reached after being hit by a pitch. He moved to third on Bill Puntin's single and scored on John Crooks' ground out.

Crooks and Puntin had a pair of singles apiece to pace the winners.

In the second game last night, Moldmaster topped the General Electric 8-5 in American League play at North Junior High Field.

Gene Curletti was the winners' big man with a bat with two for two and two runs scored. Bob Rivard had a single and a double in four times at bat.

The scores:

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, 2b	4	0	2	2	2	0
Noetzel, p	3	0	1	1	1	0
Boteze, ss	4	0	1	0	1	0
Curley, 1b	3	0	1	8	0	0
Ellsworth, c	3	0	0	9	0	0
M. Sangiovanni, 3b	2	0	1	0	2	0
Robertson, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hote, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Puntin, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
	28	1	8	21	6	0

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
F. Sangiovanni, 2b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Walsh, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hall, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Giardina, c	2	0	1	10	2	0
Ladd, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Rohlfs, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Jacoby, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Shade, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Doolan, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
zNicklaw, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
	23	0	2	21	7	0

Terminal Diner	000	100	0—1

z—Grounded out for Doolan in 6th.

RBI—Crooks. SB—Giardina, Curley. DP—F. Sangiovanni to Hall. LOB—Terminal 10, Federal 3. BB—Noetzel 1, Ladd 2. SO—Noetzel 8, Ladd 11. HBP—Ladd (Ellsworth, L'Hote). PB—Giardina. U—Cianfrini and Magi. T—1h, 50m.

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	1	0	0	0	0
xMassacani, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, ss, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Curletti, 1b	2	2	2	1	0	0
Tetreault, c	0	2	0	13	1	1
Lausier, lf, 3b	3	1	1	2	0	2
Rivard, cf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Hurley, 3b, ss	3	0	1	3	1	0
Bassi, p	0	1	0	0	0	0
O'Laughlin, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kellogg, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Farry, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
White, rf, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	8	6	21	4	4

GENERAL ELECTRIC

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Slonski, 3b	4	1	1	0	3	0
Washburn, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Wheat, rf, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Downey, 1b	4	0	0	5	0	0
Doyle, ss	3	0	0	1	0	1
Allen, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
zGasson	1	0	0	0	0	0
McConnell, p	4	2	3	0	1	0
Royal, 2b	4	2	3	1	2	0
Charow, c	3	0	1	8	1	1
zzO'Neil, c	1	0	1	2	0	1
Goyette, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
zzzPierce, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
	34	5	11	21	6	4

Moldmasters	030	020	3—8
General Electric	032	000	0—5

x—Struck out for Nilan in 6th.
z—Struck out for Allen in 7th.
zz—Singled for Charow in 6th.
zzz—Walked for Goyette in 6th.

RBI—Curletti 2, Powers, Tetreault, White, Rivard, Hurley, Charow 2, Downey, Washburn. 2B—Washburn 2, Rivard. SB—Curletti 3, Tetreault. SAC—Powers, Tetreault, White. LOB—Moldmaster 8, GE 15. BB—McConnell 9, Bassi 5, Powers 9. SOMcConnell 10, Bassi 3, Powers 9. HO—Bassi, 3 in 1 2-3; Powers, 9 in 5 1-3. HBP—McConnell (Hurley). WP—Powers. PB—Charow. W—Powers. L—McConnell. U—Mole and Levine. T—2h, 10m.

Dr. Robert J. Kirvin Elected Chairman Of Park Commission

Dr. Robert J. Kirvin

Dr. Robert J. Kirvin of 6 Richard Drive was elected chairman of the Park Commission at its annual meeting yesterday at Springside House.

The local dentist succeeds Francis G. Nichols as head of the commission. Dr. Kirvin was appointed a park commissioner by Mayor Raymond L. Haughey in 1958.

He has been practicing dentistry in Pittsfield 10 years. A native of Pittsfield, Dr. Kirvin is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts and Baltimore College of Dental Surgery at the University of Maryland.

In other business, the commissioners authorized Supt. Vincent J. Hebert of the Department of Parks and Recreation to study the need for Saturday opening of the Senior Citizens' Center; approved use of Wahconah Park for separate events planned by St. George's Greek Orthodox Church and the Cavaliers Drum and Bugle Corps in June; and heard a progress report on the winter carnival.

Returnees Dominate Parks Staff

A large proportion of the summer staff for the Department of Parks and Recreation will be made up of personnel returning from last year, it was disclosed yesterday by Supt. Vincent J. Hebert.

The interview results for applicants for more than 70 jobs on the city playgrounds and beaches were reviewed last night by the Park Commission at its regular meeting at Springside House.

While the names of those who will be hired have not yet been released, Mr. Hebert reported that 17 of last year's employes will be returning to the beaches, 32 to the playgrounds.

The veteran employes were among 35 applicants for 21 positions on the beach staffs, leaving only four vacancies to be filled with new job-seekers; and 90 applicants for playground jobs, allowing room for 19 new staffers.

Muster Dates Approved

In other business, the commissioners granted the Pittsfield Permanent Firemen's Association permission to use Wahconah Park June 30 through July 4 for the annual Firemen's Muster and heard the final report for the winter sports season.

The commissioners had high praise for the winter work of the maintenance crews of the Park Department, Recreation Supervisors John C. Marchesi and Jean M. Loveland, instructors in the ski program, volunteers who organized the winter carnival and participants in the hockey program.

Park Board Eyes Onota Water Rights

Pittsfield's Park Commission is interested in the water rights to Onota Lake now held by the Berkshire Woolen Co.

At a meeting last night in the new Senior Citizens Center on North Street, the commission voted to make inquiries into the matter of acquiring these rights, if the company decides to release them. Berkshire Woolen has been liquidating since Aug. 17 when the stockholders of the 50-year-old textile company voted to cease operations in both its Pittsfield and Moncks Corner, S.C., mills.

The commission also voted to ask the Public Works Committee of the City Council to study the possibilities of increasing lighting on the Common.

The facilities of the Senior Citizens Center were viewed by the commissioners, and they heard a report on the activities conducted there. Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation, reported that eight lectures had been held at the center on such topics as Social Security and the White House Conference on the Aging.

Daniel R. Lee Reappointed to Park Board

Mayor Haughey today reappointed Daniel R. Lee to the Park Commission for a third five-year term. Mr. Lee was originally placed on the commission in 1951. His term will expire in May of 1966.

City Council action on the appointment is expected at Tuesday's meeting.

Gallipeau Resigns From Park Dept.

The Pittsfield Park Commission last night accepted the resignation of Francis J. Gallipeau of 46 Glenwood, Ave., 70, a Park Department working foreman with 22 years of service.

Mr. Gallipeau will be honored by his fellow workers at a testimonial dinner Saturday night at the Polish Falcon Hall. Approximately 70 are expected to attend.

The commission also decided last night to view the two small parcels of land between Broadview Terrace and Tanner Street given to the department by General Electric Co. and consider what to do with them. Park Supt. Vincent J. Hebert said the department has had several inquiries from persons interested in buying the two lots, which, measure 200 by 50 feet. He said a 300-square-foot lot also given to the city by GE will be added to the park property.

The commission voted to reduce the size of the bus waiting shed at Pontoosuc Lake near the North Street - Hancock intersection. Mr. Hebert said the commission investigated the situation after complaints had been received by the City Council about the shed obstructing the view of the traffic light. He said a check of the number of people who use the shed indicated that it could be reduced in size and still serve the section adequately.

The commission also authorized Mr. Hebert and two Park Department supervisors, John Marchesi and Miss Jean Loveland, to attend a New England Area Recreation Conference in Manchester, Vt., May 22-25.

Summer Job Applications Open for Park Department

Applications for summer jobs on the city playgrounds and beaches are being accepted at Springside House by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

The Park Commission announced after its meeting last night that a schedule of interviews for applicants would be set up at some future date.

No deadline for applications has been announced. The jobs include those of supervisors, leaders and assistant leaders for the playgrounds and beachmasters and for Onota and Pontoosuc lakes.

Use of GE Gift Discussed

The commissioners also discussed use of a newly acquired tract of land adjacent to Springside Park on the southeastern side, recently given to the city by the General Electric Co. The parcel is the largest of six included in the gift, but action was temporarily postponed by the commission.

In other business, Supt Vincent J. Hebert reported that he had investigated the matter of insurance coverage for persons using the city recreational facilities and had learned that individuals would have to carry their own accident insurance. No coverage is given by the city.

Mr. Hebert and Dr. Robert J. Kirvin were named representatives to United Community Services, and the Kiwanis Club was granted permission to use Wahconah Park for a circus on July 10.

88 Get Jobs On City Parks And Beaches

Summer List Announced by Supt. Hebert

A total of 88 persons have been hired by the Department of Parks and Recreation to supervise beach and playgrounds activities here this summer.

Heading the list are Philip Messer of 19 Alcove St., named assistant recreation supervisor; and James Quirk of 137 Hancock Road, appointed aquatic supervisor.

Other playground supervisors will be Raymond Guidi, arts and crafts; Maureen Hannigan, music and dance; James Archey, publicity; Thomas Farley, sports.

Six Sports Directors

Sports directors for the playgrounds include Penny Fall, Carolyn George, John Luzis, George Pellerin Jr., Donald Reynolds and David Volin.

Susan Lewis is instructor for the beaches and pools staff, with James Chanen and David Waters as beachmasters. Assistant beachmasters will be Michael Samale and David White.

Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Park Department, said announcement would be made at a later date concerning arrangements for the special playground for retarded youngsters, formerly conducted at the Crosby Estate.

Other employes are:

Lifeguards: Maureen Carmell, Elaine Downing, Suzanne Haughey, William Jette, Peg Madden, Cynthia Malins, Bryan Peffer, Allen Skogsberg, Patti Smith, David Winslow, Don Wyatt.

Part-time Lifeguards: John Allen, Christopher Barrett, Regina Belland, Michael Brogan, James Collins, Donna Fenton, Anne Grogan, William Holt, Peter Jahn.

Bathhouse Attendants: Margaret Coyne, Henry Ross, Jack O'Gara, Anne Quirk, Lane Voloscove.

Playground Leaders: Gladys Archey, Theresa Battaini, Maxine Bookless, Patricia Cimini, Peter Clement, Maureen Connelly, Marilyn Dastoli, Marsha Gaffey, Thomas Geary, Linda Jacoby, Wilma Katz, Nicoletta Koussonecolis, Mary Jane McGovern, JoAnn McMahon, Carol Madison, Vivian Najimy, Diane Rushbrook, Mary Jane Vickery, Linda Windover.

Assistant Leaders: Mary Arpante, Jean Archey, Connie [illegible], Cherie Goyette, Kathleen Griffin, Arthur Hebler, Sheila Kaye, Anne Kelly, [illegible] Kathleen Marby, Susan Milne, Francis Monterosso, Susan Murphy, Arthur Marcisz, Jane Proper, Carol Sacchetti, Mary Sarmuk, Patricia Sokop, Patricia Wetzel, Judy Wetkoski.

Alternate Assistant Leaders: Jean McEneany, Judybeth Menue[illegible], Beatrice Steady, Dianne Swaine, Jean Tully.

Park Board Sets Dates for Job Interviews

The first rounds of interviews for summer beach and playground jobs will be conducted March 29 and 30 and April 4 and 5, the Park Commission decided at its meeting last night.

The interview dates were set up to coincide with spring vacations of college students applying for supervisory posts in the Department of Parks and Recreation's summer program.

Job seekers must have their applications at Springside House by Friday to be scheduled for the first two sets of interview dates, Supt. Vincent J. Hebert said today.

The commissioners also reviewed their 1961 capital outlay requests, which will be submitted to Mayor Haughey tomorrow.

Other Business

Other business included approval of a request from Thomas O'Connell, director of Berkshire Community College, for erection of a sign directing attention to the school, either near or on the Common.

The commission agreed to work with Mr. O'Connell in determining a location for the proposed sign.

Adjourning early, commission chairman Dr. Robert J. Kirvin, Daniel R. Lee and Mr. Hebert attended the Coltsville Community Association meeting to discuss a proposed rezoning that would allow construction of a motel on Cheshire Road.

The property involved is adjacent to West Memorial Playground.

Legion Denied Use of Park For Game With N.J. Club

The local American Legion junior baseball team was turned down last night on its request for use of Wahconah Park Saturday night, July 1, for an exhibition game with its Brooklawn, N.J., counterpart.

Meeting at Springside House, the Park Commission refused the Post 68 request for use of Wahconah Park because the Firemen's Muster would be under way on that date.

The commissioners said it was "a matter of policy" to avoid having baseball games at the park during the annual muster because of the possible danger of stray foul balls injuring patrons of the midway.

Both Were at Hastings

Brooklawn was the only Eastern team other than Pittsfield last year at the American Legion national tournament in Hastings, Neb. While the New Jersey team did not meet Pittsfield on the field, the two groups stayed at the same hotel and became well-acquainted during the tournament.

The July 1 date was sought because Brooklawn would at that time be en route to Keene, N.H., for an exhibition game with American Legion juniors there.

The commissioners asked Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation, to communicate with the local team manager, August H. Kiligas, to see if an alternate date could be arranged.

In other requests for Wahconah Park, the commissioners voted against co-sponsorship of boxing matches, and granted the use of the park for an exhibition four-man softball game.

Roger V. Sala of Pittsfield asked the Park Department to consider sponsorship, with him, of boxing at Wahconah Park. The commissioners said budget problems and the already heavy nature of the department's schedule contributed to their refusal.

Albert DeSantis, manager of Northern Enterprises, Inc., of Schenectady, was granted use of the park July 29 for a game between the four-man team known as the King and His Court and a local group to be made up of outstanding softball players.

Park Board Asks $25,929 For 7 Projects

Baseball Field Sought for Coltsville Area

The Pittsfield Park Commission today filed a 1961 capital outlay budget request with the mayor asking for $25,929 to finance seven projects.

Last year the commission asked $87,715 for 10 projects and was granted $17,000. Most of the projects in this year's proposal were contained in the commission's 1960 capital outlay budget request.

The largest single appropriation asked this year is $7,095 for a regulation baseball field at West Memorial Playground in the Coltsville section. Park Supt. Vincent J. Hebert said this allocation would finance the rebuilding of an area 300 feet square, including a cover of four inches of loam, seed and fertilizer.

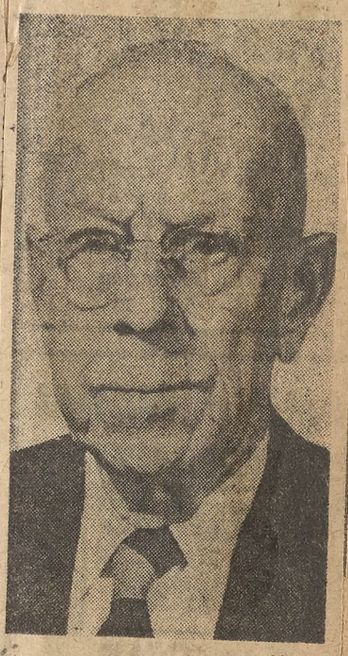
Basketball Courts Sought

The next largest request, also a repeat from last year, is $6,310 for construction of asphalt basketball courts at the Common, Clapp and Springside Parks. One of the three courts would be equipped with lights.

The commission also is asking for $3,836 for the erection of two chain-link backstops at the Lakewood Playground, one for the regulation baseball field and one for the softball diamond.

The Park Department also is asking $3,588 for improvements in parking facilities at Pontoosuc Lake Park; $3,450 for Springside Park, including $850 for parking improvements, $800 for installation of a new fire hydrant and $1,800 for construction of a picnic area in the northeast section of the park; $850 for repairs to the Crane wading pool and $800 for a fishing pier at the Onota Lake pumping station.

Francis Gallipeau To Be Honored By Park Associates



Librizzi

Francis J. Gallipeau

Francis J. Gallispeau of 46 Glenwood Ave. whose retirement from the Parks and Recreation Department was accepted Monday night by the Park Commission, will be honored tomorrow night by his associates at a dinner in Polish Falcon Hall on Bel Air Avenue. Fred P. Dellert is chairman of the committee arranging the dinner which is scheduled for 6:30.

Mr. Gallipeau, 70, has been with the Parks and Recreation Department for 22 years. He was working foreman at the time of his resignation.

Ida and John's Nips UF Team With 11th Hour Uprising

6/6/61

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	4	1	GEAA	3	0
VFW 448	4	1	Ida & John's	3	2
Moldmaster	3	1	Terminal	2	2
GE	2	2	IUE 255	1	2
Besse-Clarke	1	2	Imperial	0	4
Adams Mkts.	1	3	Union Fed.	0	4

GAMES TODAY

At North—General Electric vs. GEAA.
At Deming—IUE 255 vs. Besse-Clarke.

Ida and John's scored three runs after two men were out in the seventh inning to defeat Union Federal 6-5 in a National Babe Ruth League game at Deming Field. The last-inning runs ended a good pitching battle between winner Al Cook and loser Ron Ladd.

Holding a 5-3 lead, Ladd retired the first two batters for Ida and John's on strikes in the last of the seventh. However, Dick Klemansky reached when he was hit by a pitch. Pat Bonavitacola singled and Ray Bell drew a walk to load the bases for pitcher Cook. Cook sliced a line single to right to score two runs and the winning run came in when the ball skipped through the right fielder.

Ron Ladd had the only extra base hit for the winners, a triple to center in the fourth. He scored their third run on John Rilla's beautiful squeeze bunt. Mike Rohlfs had a perfect night for Union Federal with two hits and two walks. Union Federal center fielder Dick Walsh made the fielding play of the game with a fine back-hand grab of Bonavitacola's drive to left center in the third.

All Runs in 5th

In an inter-league contest at North Junior High Field last night a five-run fifth inning spelled the difference in a fine pitchers' battle betwen Optimist Club hurler Collin Garstang and Terminal Diner moundsman Carl Boteze. The Optimists won 5-0.

Garstang gave up 3 scattered hits and fanned 17. He was never in trouble. Boteze allowed 4 hits and struck out 12. A walk, a hit batsman, two singles and three straight successful squeeze bunts gave the Optimists their runs. Two runs scored on one of the bunts.

Extra-base hits in the game were by Diner batters Pete Ellsworth, who had a triple and Boteze who rapped a double.

The scores:

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bonavitacola, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	1
Bell, ss	3	1	1	0	1	1
Cook, p	4	0	1	0	1	1
Roger Ladd, 1b	2	1	1	6	0	0
Lyons, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rilla, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Guarda, c	3	0	0	10	1	0
Moon, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Klemanski, 3b	1	2	0	1	1	1
	25	6	5	21	7	4

UNION FEDERAL

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Doolan, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	0
Walsh, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Rohlfs, ss	2	1	2	0	3	0
Giardina, c	4	0	1	7	1	0
Ron. Ladd, p	3	0	1	0	2	1
Sangiovanni, 2b	4	1	0	1	2	1
Hall, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	0
Shade, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Nicklaw, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Carlo, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Jacoby, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
	28	5	5	20	8	3

Ida & John's	002	100 3—6
Union Federal	002	002 1—5

RBI—Rohlfs, Bell, Rilla, Jacoby, Ron. Ladd. 2B—Rohlfs, Ron Ladd. 3B—Roger Ladd. SB—Rohlfs 2, Guarda, Roger Ladd, Klemansky. SAC—Rilla. DP—Bonavitacola to Roger Ladd. LOB—Union Federal 8, Ida & John's 4. BB—Ron. Ladd 3, Cook 5. SO—Ron. Ladd 7, Cook 10. HBP—Cook (Doolan), Ron. Ladd (Klemanski). PB—Guarda. W—Cook. L—Ron. Ladd. U—Mole and Strizzi. T—2h.

OPTIMISTS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Woitkoski, ss	1	1	1	0	0	0
xKane, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Russo, 3b	2	1	1	0	1	0
Spiewak, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
O'Laughlin, 2b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Garstang, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
Kinnas, 1b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Kruczkowski, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Lucaroni, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Vaccaro, c	2	0	0	17	0	0
Eulian, 2b	2	1	1	0	1	0
xxCarey	1	0	0	0	0	0
M. Murray, ss	0	0	0	0	1	0
	23	5	4	21	3	0

TERMINAL DINER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Crooks, ss	3	0	0	0	2	0
Noetzel, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Boteze, p	3	0	1	1	2	0
Curley, 1b	3	0	1	7	0	0
Ellsworth, c	3	0	1	12	2	0
Robertson, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
zMessina	1	0	0	0	0	0
L'Hote, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
zzBernardo	1	0	0	0	0	0
Puntin, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mancivalano, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
zzzWinslow, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
	24	0	3	21	6	0

Optimists	000	050 0—5

x—Struck out for Woitkoski in 6th.
xx—Struck out for Eulian in 6th.
z—Struck out for Robertson in 7th.
zz—Struck out for L'Hote in 7th.
zzz—Struck out for Mancivalano in 8th.

RBI—Spiewak, Garstang, Kinnas, Kruczkowski 2. 2B—Boteze. 3B—Ellsworth. SAC—Garstang, Kinnas, Kruczkowski, Vaccaro. LOB—Optimists 8, Terminal Diner 5. BB—Boteze 6, Garstang 2. SO—Garstang 17, Boteze 12. HBP—Boteze (Lucaroni). WP—Boteze 2. Balk—Boteze. PB—Ellsworth 3, U—Semeno and Perrone. T—2h.

Soccer Group To Hold Three Local Meetings

The first of three soccer officials' meetings will be held Monday at 7:30 p.m. at Springside House, Park Department headquarters.

Sponsored by the Pioneer Valley Soccer Officials Association, Springfield, the Monday meeting will feature interpretations of soccer rules.

On May 15 the second meeting will be held, during which there will be a discussion of the mechanics of officiating. The last of the three meetings will be held May 22 during which tests will be given for qualification as soccer officials.

Anyone interested in attending the meetings is welcome.

Evans Wins For VFW In 1st Start

5/25/61

STANDINGS

AMERICAN	Won	Lost	NATIONAL	Won	Lost
Optimist Club	2	0	Ter. Diner	2	0
VFW 448	2	0	Ida & John's	1	1
Moldmaster	1	1	IUE 255	0	0
GE	0	0	GEAA	0	0
Adams Mkt.	0	1	Union Fed.	0	2
Besse-Clarke	0	1	Imperial	0	2

GAMES TONIGHT

At North Junior High—Adams Super Markets vs. General Electric.
At Deming Field—IUE 255 vs. GEAA.

VFW pitcher Ned Evans, making his first start in Babe Ruth League baseball, shut out Ida and John's 9-0 last night in an American League game at Deming Field. Southpaw Evans, a North Little League star last year, was in charge all the way.

The VFW team was helped by eight opposition errors. Losing pitcher Allan Cook had considerable control difficulty. Dick Klemansky came in relief in the seventh.

Pete Rilla led the Veterans' attack with a triple and three RBIs. Denny Kelly and Jim Mahan had two singles apiece. Gery Guarda clouted a triple for the losers.

Eight Besse-Clarke errors helped the Moldmaster team grab the victory in the National League contest at North Junior High last night by a 7-4 score. Dave Tetreault, though bothered by wildness, gained his first win. Darry Rustic of Besse's struck out seven and walked five.

Jack Doyle belted a home run and a double in the losing cause. Dave Whitetripled for the winners.

The score:

MOLDMASTER

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Nilan, 2b	2	1	0	2	2	0
Kellogg, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Powers, ss	3	2	1	0	0	0
Tetreault, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Rivard, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Massacani, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Curletti, 1b	4	0	0	5	0	0
Lausier, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Hurley, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Bassi, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
xO'Laughlin, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
White, rf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Miller, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
xFarry, c	3	1	1	13	0	0
	30	7	8	21	6	0

BESSE-CLARKE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Russo, ss	1	0	0	0	0	1
J. Pero, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Rustic, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Lear, 1b	3	1	0	8	0	1
Doyle, 3b, ss	4	1	2	0	2	2
Kinnas, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
Vanasse, rf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Teal, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0
A. Pero, lf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Lucaroni, lf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Ali, c	2	0	0	8	0	1
Marshall, 2b	2	0	1	0	5	0
	23	4	3	21	9	5

Moldmaster	201	202 0—7
Besse-Clarke	000	103 0—4

x—Ran for Bassi in 4th.
xx—Reached on catcher's interference in 6th.

RBI—Marshall 2, Ali, Doyle, White, Farry. 2B—Doyle. 3B—White. HR—Doyle. SB—Russo. DP—Rivard to Curletti. LOB—Moldmaster 8, Besse-Clarke 6. BB—Tetreault 9, Rustic 3. SO—Tetreault 10, Rustic 7. WP—Tetreault 4. W—Tetreault. L—Rustic. U—Semeno and Bruni. T—1h, 50m.

VFW

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bressett, cf	2	2	0	0	0	0
Archey, 2b	2	0	1	2	0	0
Powers, lf	2	2	0	0	0	0
Massaconi, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Mahan, 3b	4	0	2	0	3	0
P. Rilla, 1b, fc	2	0	1	5	0	0
DeLuce, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Kelly, c	2	2	2	8	2	0
Ewing, 2b, 1b	3	1	1	2	1	0
xHoeske	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kellar, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reilly, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Victor, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Evans, p	4	1	2	1	1	0
	28	9	9	21	9	0

IDA & JOHN'S

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
J. Rilla, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bonavitacola, 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyons, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	1
Menin, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Boyer, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, rf	1	0	0	0	0	1
Schermerhorn, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bell, ss	3	0	1	4	0	3
Cook, p, 3b	2	0	0	1	1	1
Moon, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Guarda, c	2	0	1	11	3	2
Klemansky, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
	22	0	3	18	6	8

VFW	130	131 —9

x—Struck out for Ewing in 6th.

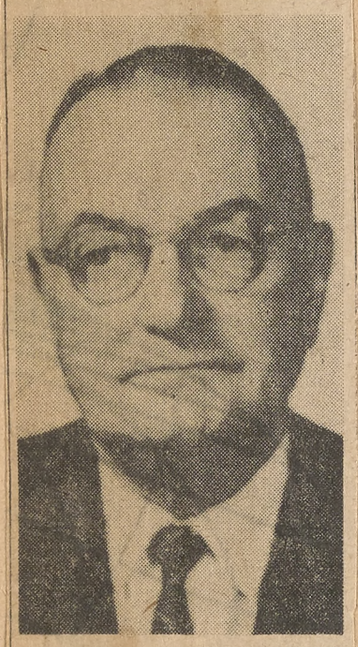
RBI—P. Rilla 3, Kelly, Evans. 3B—P. Rilla, Guarda. SB—Bressett, Mahan, Cook. LOZ—VFW 11, Ida & John's 6. BB—Evans 4, Cook 7. SO—Evans 7, Cook 9, Klemansky 2. HO—Cook, 6 in 5; Klemansky, 3 in 1. HBP—Cook (Bressett, Massaconi, P. Russo); Evans (Bonavitacola). WP—Cook 3. W—Evans. L—Cook. U—Riecarini and Mole. T—1h, 55m.

Catholic Unit To Open Salvage Store

6/5/61

William J. Carrigan To Manage Outlet On Columbus Ave.

The Most Rev. Christopher J. Weldon, bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Springfield,



Librizzi

William J. Carrigan

will be in Pittsfield Friday at 1:30 to officiate at the opening of a retail outlet at 112 Columbus Ave. for the St. Vincent de Paul Salvage Bureau.

The Rev. Vincent M. O'Connor of Springfield, spiritual director for the society's diocesan central council, today announced the appointment of William J. Carrigan of 257 Peck's Rd. manager of the Pittsfield store.

This will be the third facility for the society's salvage bureau in the diocese. A retail store and a warehouse were opened in Springfield earlier this year.

Help for Needy

"The salvage bureau is one of the works of the St. Vincent de Paul Society in the Springfield diocese," Father O'Connor said. "Its main purpose is to help the needy and, to this end, give needed material to the unfortunate at the request of clergy of any denomination and at the request of any recognized social agency. In addition to this giving, the salvage bureau operates retail stores that provide the opportunity to the thrifty to purchase needed articles at greatly reduced prices."

The Pittsfield store will serve all of Berkshire County. "The society needs usable material," Father O'Connor said, "and donations can be made at the store or larger articles will be picked up in the society's trucks."

He said usable clothing, furniture, shoes, bedding, washing machines, refrigorators and rags are needed by the society. Arrangements to have trucks pick up the articles may be made by calling the Columbus Avenue store.

Father O'Connor will be at the Pittsfield store Wednesday at 1 to speak to a group of women volunteers.

Mr. Carrigan, a native of Pittsfield, graduated from Pittsfield High School in 1916. He was employed at the Berkshire Woolen Co. for 30 years before it closed last summer. He was the first president of Textile Workers Union of America Local 301 at Berkshire Woolen, served in that post five years and then held the office of secretary-treasurer until the plant closed. He has been a member of the Pittsfield Park Commission 18 years.

Mr. Carrigan is married to the former Evelyn M. Campbell of Belleville, Ontario, Can. They have five children and 10 grandchildren.

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An unbiased witness looking at yesterday's picture of that singularly attractive crop of Pittsfield Winter Carnival snow queen contestants might well feel strongly inclined to cast a vote for the whole lot of them . . . Representative Tom

Queen Contestants Are Introduced

The annual queen contestants dinner of the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department was held Wednesday night at the Wendell Sherwood Hotel, Pittsfield. The Misses Linda Syrette and Patricia Norton, chairmen of the annual queen contest introduced the 10 young women who will be on the streets selling the carnival buttons which annually finance the carnival. Left to right seated are, Alice M. Ward, Shirley A. Valenti, Arleen J. O'Donnell, Kathleen Nicholas, standing, Miss Syrette, Shirley A. Wellspeak, Nina A. Ballardini, Maureen A. Healy, William Litty, chairman of the winter sports carnival, Brenda Hoar, Carmen S. Lemone, Paula Sangiovanni, and Miss Norton.

12/29/60

Nina Ballardini Wins Bond in Queen Contest

1/25/61

A $25 U.S. Savings Bond was presented last night to Miss Nina A. Ballardini, carnival queen contestant selling most buttons last week.

The 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Ballardini of 84 Adelaide Ave. sold 208 buttons during the special contest-within-a-contest.

The award was made at Springside House where the 10 candidates for carnival queen and their mothers were entertained at a buffet dinner.

Contestants were given final instructions for the remainder of the button-selling competition, which ends Friday. The girl selling most for the entire contest automatically is entitled to be lady-in-waiting to the queen.

William S. Litty, chairman of the winter sports committee, reported candidates have sold 10,800 buttons to date. The proceeds are a major aid in defraying carnival expenses.

Queen Contestants Sell 12,366 Buttons To Benefit Carnival

The 10 candidates for winter carnival queen sold a total of 12,366 buttons this year, it was reported this week by the Pittsfield winter sports committee.

The button sale brought in $3,090.50, which will be used to help defray expenses of the 16th annual carnival.

In 1960, queen contestants sold 15,399 buttons for a total of $3,349.75. The goal each year is 12,000 buttons.

At the winter carnival ball Feb. 10, the contestant who has sold most buttons will be named lady-in-waiting of the queen's court. If she is selected the queen, the runner-up salesgirl will become chief attendant.

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BUTTON SALE IS UNDER WAY FOR CARNIVAL

12/29/60

10 Young Women Are in Competition for Queen Title

PITTSFIELD — The annual button sale to support the park and recreation department's winter carnival got under way Wednesday night when the 10 young women who are competing for the honor of carnival queen met at the Wendell Sherwood Hotel with William Litty, general chairman of the carnival, and the Misses Lynda Syrett and Patricia Norton, co-chairmen of the queen contest.

Picture of Symbol

This years button contains a picture of the carnival symbol "Pierre the Bear" and a total of 17,000 have been ordered. The sale will continue until Feb. 10 when the carnival ball at which the queen is chosen will be held.

The weatherman seems to have stepped in to the carnival's corner this year as good skiing and good skating are already in evidence in the city with a promise of more to come.

Temperatures Wednesday night were above the zero mark for the first time in four nights.

One of the carnival events, the winter sports sale has already been held and was very successful. Other events listed for the carnival are Berkshire Hills speed skating championships Jan. 28 and 29. A competitors dinner will be held the first night and a teen-age dance on the second night.

Fishing Derby

The ice fishing derby under direction of James H. Frank will be Feb. 5 with the city sled races also scheduled for that afternoon. The local ski meet will be Feb. 4 and the Berkshire County Interscholastic Ski Meet will take up two days Feb. 10 and 11. The winter carnival square dance at the Wendell will be Feb. 4.

The committee reports that it can still use volunteers for many of the events and any interested person can contact parks and recreation Supt. Vincent J. Hebert at Springside House the city recreation center on upper North St.

Queen Candidates Compete for Savings Bond

1/18/61

The 10 contestants for winter carnival queen are competing this week for a $25 U.S. Savings Bond that will be given the candidate selling the most buttons by Monday.

More than 10,000 buttons have already been sold by the queen contestants, according to the Misses Patricia A. Norton and Linda R. Syrett, chairman of the queen committee.

A number of the candidates have sold the minimum 1,000 buttons required to make them eligible for judging at the winter carnival ball.

The girl who sells the largest number of buttons in the entire contest will automatically be named lady in waiting to the queen. If she is selected as queen, the runner-up becomes her chief attendant.

Queen Contestants in 16th Annual Winter Carnival

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The 10 queen contestants started immediately after a kickoff dinner last night to sell winter carnival buttons. Front row, left to right: the Misses Brenda D. Hoar, Paula M. Sangiovanni, Carmen S. Lemone, Shirley A. Wellspeak; rear, same order, the Misses Kathleen A. Nicholas, Nina A. Ballardini, Arleen J. O'Donnell, Maureen A. Healey, Alice M. Ward, Shirley A. Valenti.

12/29/60

Would-be queens were given 500 buttons apiece last night at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel as the annual winter carnival queen contest officially began.

The 10 candidates were honored at a banquet at 6:30 p.m., and sale of the polar-bear-decorated buttons started immediately after the dinner.

Each girl is required to sell 1,000 buttons to be eligible for judging in the queen-contest finals at the winter carnival ball in February. The sale will end Jan. 28.

Among last night's guests were Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Marchesi, Miss Jean Loveland and Mr. and Mrs. William S. Litty.

Speakers included the Misses Patricia A. Norton and Linda R. Syrett, chairmen of the queen's committee.

Eleven girls were originally slated to compete for the queen's crown, but Miss Zita Kelly of Lee has dropped out of the running.

The buttons, sold for 25 cents each, help finance the winter carnival, annually operated by the Pittsfield winter sports committee.

Miss Norton Is Fiancee of Robert Cancilla

1959 Carnival Queen To Marry Teacher July 8 at St. Joseph's

Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Norton of 20 Lake St. today announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Robert Michael Cancilla, son of Mrs. Anna M. Cancilla of 84 Francis Ave. The wedding will take place July 8 at St. Joseph's Church.

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Miss Patricia A. Norton

Miss Norton was 1959 queen of the winter carnival sponsored by the Park Department. She graduated from St. Joseph's High School in 1956 and now is dental assistant for Dr. Charles R. Volk.

A teacher at South Junior High School, Mr. Cancilla graduated from Pittsfield High School in 1955 and from Providence College with a B. A. degree in economics in 1959. He is a member of the Army Reserve and the Knights of Columbus.

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Candidates for Queen of the 16th Annual Winter Carnival

Kathleen Nicholas | Paula Sangiovanni | Shirley Valenti | Arleen O'Donnell | Alice Ward

Photos by Van Dyke

Maureen Healy | Brenda Hoar | Shirley Wellspeak | Nina Ballardini | Carmen Lemone

Eight Pittsfield girls, one from Lanesboro and one from Adams are competing for the title of queen of the 16th annual winter carnival sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

They are the Misses Nina A. Ballardini, Maureen A. Healy, Brenda D. Hoar, Carmen S. Lemone, Kathleen A. Nicholas, Arleen J. O'Donnell, Paula Sangiovanni, Shirley A. Valenti, Alice M. Ward of Lanesboro and Shirley A. Wellspeak of Adams.

Chosen from among 18 applicants, the 10 contestants now are selling 17,000 winter carnival buttons, the proceeds from which help to defray carnival expenses. The contestant who sells the most buttons automatically is lady in waiting at the winter carnival ball, where the queen will be chosen by a board of judges.

Ball Is Feb. 10

This year's ball will be Friday evening, Feb. 10, at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel.

Miss Ballardini, 17½, daughter of Charles J. Ballardini of 84 Adelaide Ave., is a senior at Pittsfield High School. She is girls' sports editor for the school yearbook, cochairman of the senior class play, has been on election committees and chairman of the program committee of the junior prom. She also has taken part in after school sports and has been in gym exhibitions. Miss Ballardini is a member of the Girls Club, Catholic Youth Center, church sodality pep club and girls athletic association. She enjoys skiing, golf, swimming, dancing, bowling and letter writing.

Employed at Capitol

Employed part-time at the Capitol Theater, Miss Healy, 17½, is the daughter of Mrs. Winifred I. Healy of 67 Elaine Drive and the late Daniel Healy. She is a senior at St. Joseph's High School, where she belonged to the upperclassmen's club last year. She also has belonged to the Catholic Youth Center, where she taught sewing last year to high school girls. She was a member of the Singer sewing class last year and won first prize in the area contest. She has belonged to the Girls Club for many years and enjoys sewing, reading, cooking, swimming and tennis.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoar of 25 Kenwood St., Miss Hoar, 17, is a senior at St. Joseph's High School and works at the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. She is a cheerleader, active in dramatics, and enjoys bowling and dancing. She is a member of the CYC.

On Class Council

Miss Lemone, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lemone of 838 Williams St., is a senior at Pittsfield High School and employed at Pittsfield General Hospital. She is a member of Beta Tri-Hi-Y, Gamma Tri-Hi-Y, class council and representatives, pep club and Mount Carmel Sodality. She also is on the school bowling team.

A Pittsfield High School graduate, Miss Nicholas, 18, is employed in the display department of England Brothers. She is the daughter of Donald E. Nicholas of 1608 West Housatonic St. At school, she was a member of the girls athletic association and a senior class councilor. She also is publicity manager of DECA Club, of which she is a member.

GE Ordnance Employe

Miss Wellspeak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wellspeak of Adams, is employed at the GE ordnance department. She graduated from Adams High School, where she was in the Pro Merito honor society, on the yearbook staff, a member of the school chorus and class play committee, Hi Tension, school paper, and crimson key society. She is a member of the GEAA and GE Engineering Social Club. Miss Wellspeak's hobbies are dancing, designing, sewing, writing short stories and bowling.

St. Joseph's Graduate

Employed in the office of Dr. Joseph E. George, Miss O'Donnell, 17½, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. O'Donnell of 48 Howard St. She graduated from St. Joseph's High School, where she was in the operetta and passion play, and also belonged to Tri-Hi-Y and was a member of the Girls Club. Her hobbies are bowling, swimming and music.

Miss Sangiovanni, 17, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Sangiovanni of 55 Cleveland St. A St. Joseph's High School graduate, she is employed at the Atlantic & Pacific Co. While in school, she was in the passion play, a member of the French Club, belonged to Sigma Tri-Hi-Y and 4-H Club. She enjoys sewing and collecting stuffed animals.

PHS Senior

A senior at Pittsfield High School, Miss Valenti, 17, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geno L. Valenti of 72 Delancy Ave. She belongs to the Mount Carmel Sodality and pep club and enjoys ice skating, bowling, dancing, basketball and volleyball.

Miss Ward, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Ward of Lanesboro, is a senior at Pittsfield High School. She was on the refreshment committee for the junior prom, and this year belongs to pep club and girls athletic association and is on the advertising staff of Students' Pen. She is a member of Zeta Tri-Hi-Y, secretary of the Tri-Hi-Y Cabinet, in the junior and senior choir of St. Luke's Church, and a former member of the Lanesboro Girls Club.

Parachute Jumps Considered for Winter Carnival

1/19/61

A repeat performance of the parachute-jumping exhibition held here last year as part of the winter carnival is being considered by the Pittsfield Winter Sports Committee.

At its meeting Wednesday night, the group voted to investigate the possibility of having the parachute jumpers as the special carnival event.

A group from Orange attracted about 3,000 spectators at the Pittsfield Airport last winter with a demonstration of jumping into the snow.

The Misses Patricia A. Norton and Linda R. Syrett, chairmen of the queen's committee, reported that candidates for carnival quee had already sold $1,600 worth o the buttons that help finance the various events.

For the first time in its history, the sports committee will be working under a constitution, which was adopted at Wednesday night's meeting.

Winter Carnival Event

1/19/61

Parachute Jumping Show Scheduled Sunday Afternoon

Parachute jumpers from the Orange Airport are scheduled to perform at the Pittsfield Airport starting at 1:30 p.m. Sunday.

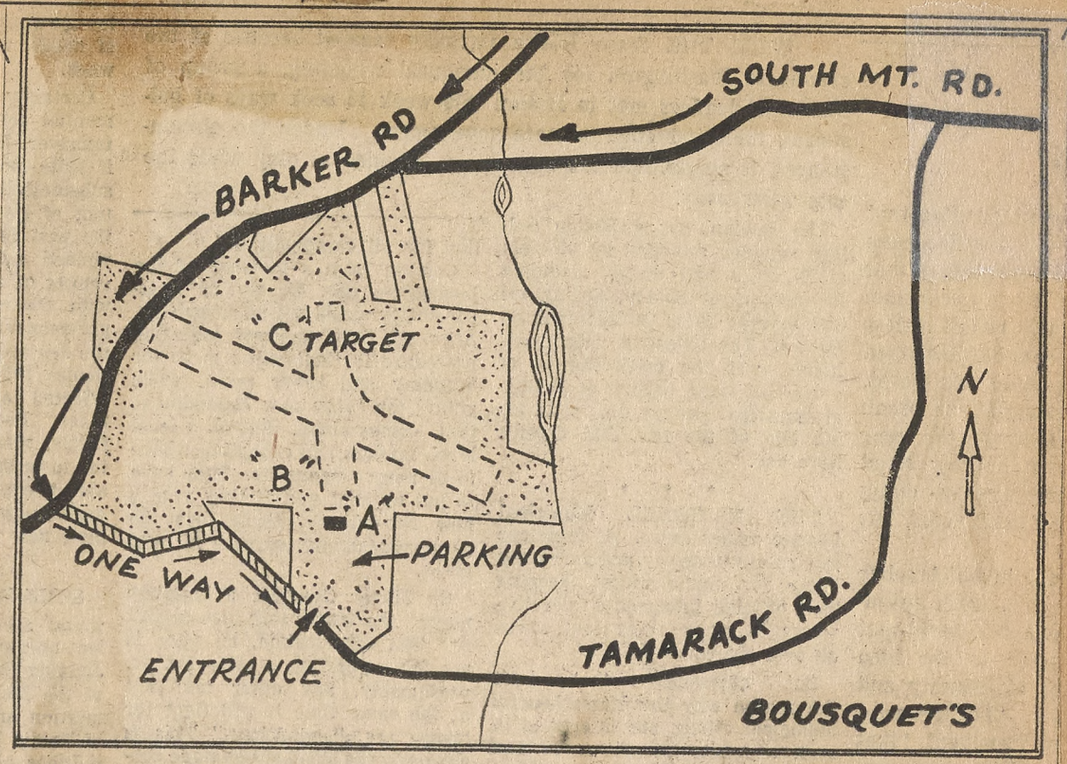
Three jumpers will give a three-hour show as this year's special event of the winter carnival, providing the weather is suitable for the demonstration.

The parachutists made their first local appearance last year when they drew a large crowd at the local airfield.

According to chairmen William Plouffe and Barbara Burke of the winter sports committee, the men will make six jumps from 7,000 feet, unless the ceiling is lower.

They plan to open their chutes at 2,200 feet after trailing smoke for a 30-second free fall.

It is also expected that Dexter Sears of Lake Placid, N.Y., will be on hand wtih his dog team and sled, selling rides to the spectators as he did last year.



MAP OF ROUTES TO AIRPORT shows best roads to take to free fall parachute jumping exhibit. Arrows show one-way traffic section between Barker Road and airport entrance.

Approximately 2,000 Watch Parachute Jumpers as Winter Carnival Opens

The Berkshire Eagle, Monday, Jan. 23, 1961—17

Three Men Land in Woods, But No One Is Injured

Gusts of Wind Take Jumpers Off Course; Half Hour Required To Free Chutes From Trees; Instruments Freeze in Air

Gusts of wind carried three parachute jumpers off course on their first plunge at Pittsfield Airport yesterday, and landed them in the woods just north of the runway.

It took a half hour to extricate the chutes from the trees, but none of the jumpers was hurt. About 2,000 spectators turned out for the demonstration, first sports event of the 16th winter carnival.

Seven Jumps

Four jumpers from the Orange Sport Parachute Center, Inc., o Orange made a total of seven jumps. They were Jacques Istel Nathan Pond, Robert Spatola and Skip Doolittle.

The Pittsfield event marked Doolittle's first experience with winter jumping, as well as his first landing in trees. He is a 19-year-old student of the sport, while the other three men each have several hundred jumps to their credit.

Istel made the second jump alone, landing about 500 feet from the spectators in a large snowbank that he had named as his target.

Two Hit Target

In the third demonstration, three men aimed for the same pile of snow. Two hit, and the third landed in the parking area, missing the front row of parked vehicles by 30 feet.

The parachutists left their Cessna 170 at an altitude of 7,000 feet. With a free fall of 30 seconds, they opened their chutes at 2,200 feet where the temperature was estimated at 10 below zero. One of the jumpers said his altimeter and stop watch froze in the air.

With more than 1,000 spectators at the airport and many more lining Barker and Tamarack roads, a rotary traffic system was set up and kept organized by two police officers and ten Civil Defense auxiliaries.

William F. Plouffe and Barbara Burke were chairmen for the winter sports committee. Supt. Vincent J. Hebert of the Department of Parks and Recreation was master of ceremonies: and Istel, president of the Orange group, provided a running commentary on the demonstration.

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SNOWBANK TARGET was hit on the nose at the Pittsfield Airport yesterday by Jacques Istel, one of four parachutists who entertained about 2,000 spectators. Istel's altimeter and stop watch froze en route from an altitude of 7,000 feet. Istel says the jumpers go about 30 m.p.h. once the chutes are open, and the sensation is not unlike skiing.

Parachute Jumping To Open Winter Carnival on Sunday

1/21/61

Free-fall parachute jumping will open Winter Carnival events here, if weather permits. The Orange Sport Parachuting Center, Inc. of Orange will bring three jumpers to the airport tomorrow.

Jumpers will be led by veteran jumper Nathan Pond, who has more than 350 jumps to his credit. He is also a vice president of the Orange group and instructor.

There will be a minimum of six free falls executed by three jumpers. They will leave the plane from a height of from 5,000 to 6,000 ft. and will not open their chutes for at least 30 seconds, when they will have reached about 2,000 feet. They will leave smoke trails, and cross each other's paths as they free-fall. As a safety measure, each jumper will carry a spare chute on his chest, along with an altimeter and a stop watch. The ceiling must be at least 2,500 feet, and winds on the ground must be less than 20 m.p.h. or events will be canceled.

Opening ceremonies will be held near the administration building with Vincent J. Hebert, Parks superintendent, acting as master of ceremonies introducing the park commissioner; William S. Litty, general chairman of the Winter Carnival, and referee Nathan Pond, who will explain jumping details. A parachute-packing demonstration will also take place at this time.

One Way Traffic

Chief Thomas H. Calnan has authorized one-way traffic on Tamarack Road between the airport entrance west to Barker Road, between the hours of 12 and 4 p.m. (or until the event is over). Cars may enter the airport from either entrance, but no one will be able to travel west. Cars may park on the south side of this road, providing there is enough room to allow one-way traffic. Two regular policemen and a contingent of 10 CD police under Cmdr. Quentin Thompson will be on traffic detail. Members of the Winter Sports Committee will wear special arm bands and be working with the police to keep persons off the runways.

The 1961 Winter Carnival pictorial and program booklet will make its debut at this event, with the queen contestants selling buttons to help defray expenses. Each button buyer will be given a book. There is no charge for this event, although the jumping will cost approximately $300.

Dog Sled, Maybe

Committee officials say that there is a possibility that one dog sled will arrive from Saranac Lake to give rides again this year. This event is a private enterprise, and a charge of 50 cents will be made.

All members who are to help, and all candidates for queen who are selling buttons are asked to report to the airport before 12:30 p.m. Arm bands will be given out at the airport office by the chairmen. Red Cross First Aid will be represented.

Speed Skating Tomorrow at 7

1/24/61

Winter Carnival's Annual City Meet To Include 24 Events

The annual city speed skating meet will be held tomorrow evening at 7 on the Common. Twenty-four events have been listed. Competition will be held in six age divisions.

All contestants should report to the Common rink at 6:30.

The meet is being run in conjunction with the winter sports carnival. The festivities began Sunday with a parachute exhibition at the Pittsfield Airport.

1 Senior men, 220 yards.
2 Senior women, 220 yards.
3 Juvenile boys, 220 yards.
4 Juvenile girls, 220 yards.
5 Special midget boys, 110 yards.
6 Special midget girls, 110 yards.
7 Junior boys, 220 yards.
8 Junior girls, 220 yards.
9 Midget boys, 110 yards.
10 Midget girls, 110 yards.
11 Intermediate boys, 220 yards.
12 Intermediate girls, 220 yards.
13 Special midget boys, 220 yards.
14 Special midget girls, 220 yards.
15 Midget boys, 220 yards.
16 Midget girls, 220 yards.
17 Juvenile girls, 440 yards.
18 Juvenile boys, 440 yards.
19 Junior boys, 440 yards.
20 Junior girls, 440 yards.
21 Intermediate boys, 440 yards.
22 Intermediate girls, 440 yards.
23 Senior women, 440 yards.
24 Senior men, 440 yards.

25—City Skating Meet, Common, Pittsfield, 7 p.m.

"Bicycle Thief" Berk-

Skating Meet Frozen Out By Weatherman's Forecast

1/25/61

Pittsfield holds the dubious honor today of having one of the lowest official temperature readings in Massachusetts, and forecasts of subzero readings for tonight have caused postponement of the city skating meet, scheduled for tonight at 7, until tomorrow night at the same time.

The low was recorded at 7 this morning, when the reading at the U.S. Weather Station at the airport was nine degrees below zero. The intense cold has been accompanied by winds that average 18 to 20 miles per hour, with gusts peaking at 38 miles, so that it seemed much colder this morning than any other morning during the cold spell. It was a bone-chilling four degrees above zero at 11 this morning at the airport.

According to weatherman George J. Bulgarelli, the winds should diminish after sundown, and the low tonight will be 10 to 15 degrees below zero. Temperatures should then start moderating a bit tomorrow morning, but "I can't say it'll be really warmer; it'll just not be quite so cold," Bulgarelli said. Snow can be expected on Friday, and Saturday and Sunday will become colder.

High of 20 Tomorrow

A high of 20 degrees above zero has been forecast for tomorrow afternoon, the first day expected to reach that high since the 18th.

The whole eastern half of the nation continued to shiver through its seventh straight day of subzero cold today and a paralyzing storm smashed an icy path across Texas. The Texas storm covered much of the state with snow and ice and stretched to the southern tip of the state, with highways covered with ice.

One of the coldest spots in New England was Caribou, Maine, where the thermometer plunged to 29 degrees below zero. Atop Mt. Washington in New Hampshire, the temperature was recorded at 34 below, with wind gusts clocked at 113 miles an hour.

Subzero temperatures also pushed south into Kansas, Missouri, Kentucky and Virginia, with freezing or near-freezing weather reaching the Gulf Coast. By contrast, it was above freezing at Anchorage, Alaska, and was a nearly balmy low of 24 above at Juneau.

Death Toll Mounts

The death toll across the nation from exposure, overexertion, cold-weather fires, asphyxiation and weather-caused traffic accidents continued to mount. The cold wave claimed at least 82 lives—29 in Pennsylvania, 14 in North Carolina, 13 in New Jersey, 8 in Florida, 5 in Texas, 4 in Ohio, 3 in West Virginia, 2 in New York and 1 each in Minnesota, Illinois, Indiana and Virginia.

In New York City, where a low of five above was recorded, thousands of motorists found themselves without cars. More than 4,000 cars and 73 trucks were towed from streets where snow removal crews were still trying to clean up after last week's 10-inch snowfall.

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OUTSTANDING SKATERS of the city skating meet on the Common last night were Ted Malmgren, second from left, and Diane Mansen, third from left. Ted took the trophy in the intermediate boys' division, and Diane was the winner in the midget girls' class. Also pictured are Jim Farry and Mrs. Alice Cantarella, chairmen of the event.

Malmgren, Miss Mansen Top City Skating Meet

Ted Malmgren and Diane Mansen were chosen outstanding boy and girl skaters at the annual city skating meet last night on the Common under the sponsorship of the winter sports committee, the Parks and Recreation Department and the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club.

70 Entered

Seventy were entered in the events, which were witnessed by 300 spectators.

Ted Malmgren took two first places, competing in the intermediate division. His 10 points won him the trophy. Miss Mansen had two first-place wins in the midget division. These gave her the trophy. Both winners have been invited to the Westport speed skating meet as guests of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club.

Officials were: Clerk of course and chief judge, Lou Conway; judges, Carl Peaslee, Charles Downey, Richard Beach, Barbara Burke, Brenda Deloye and William Litty; assistant clerk of course, Mary E. Smith; chief timer, Robert Deloye; assistant timers, Max Sauter and Fran Zofrea; referees, Richard Ormsbee, Ormand Merrill, Donald Dallmeyer and Richard Conway; scorers, Patti Smith, Pat Peaslee and Mary Lambert; publicity, James Farry; starter, Vincent J. Hebert; announcer, Francis Douglas; awards, Alice Cantarella and James Farry; photographer, William Plouffe; registration, John Marchesi and Jean Loveland; Red Cross, Mr. and Mrs. George Maynard.

Chairmen were Alice Cantarella and James Farry. The Parks Speed Skating Club put on an exhibition before the meet.

Intermediate Boys

220 yards—1st, Ted Malmgren; 2nd, Mark Mohan.
440 yards—1st, Ted Malmgren; 2nd, Mark Mohan.

Junior Boys

220 yards—1st, Paul Burchard; 2nd, Anthony Roraback; 3rd, Charlie MacHaffie.
440 yards—1st, Paul Burchard; 2nd, Anthony Roraback; 3rd, Billy Schilling.

Juvenile Boys

220 yards—1st, Donald Warfield; 2nd, John Vittone; 3rd, Bob James.
440 yards—1st, Bob James; 2nd, Fred Dallava; 3rd, John Vittone.

Midget Boys

110 yards—1st, John Hayes; 2nd, Dave Dallmeyer; 3rd, Robert Bart.
220 yards—1st, David Dallmeyer; 2nd, John Hayes; 3rd, James Briggs.

Special Midget Boys

110 yards—1st, Edward Vincent; 2nd, David Vincent; 3rd, Jay Allen.
220 yards—1st, Edward Vincent; 2nd, Dave Vincent; 3rd, Jay Allen.

Juvenile Girls—

220 yards—1st, Pauline Germohlen; 2nd, Mary Simpson.
440 yards—1st, Pauline Germohlen; 2nd, Mary Simpson.

Midget Girls

110 yards—1st, Diane Mansen; 2nd, Pat Rohlfs; 3rd, Susan Germohlen.
220 yards—1st, Diane Mansen; 2nd, Pat Rohlfs; 3rd, Florence Hinckley.

Special Midget Girls

110 yards—1st, Pamela Schilling; 2nd, Sue Niederjohn; 3rd, Joyce Clark.
220 yards—1st, Pamela Schilling; 2nd, Sue Niederjohn; 3rd, Sandy Madden.

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Mrs. Kiligas Honored by Legion Women

Life Membership Presented to Auxiliary Leader

Mrs. August H. Kiligas was made a life member of the American Legion Auxiliary at ceremonies last night at the White Tree Inn. She has served for more than 30 years in the local, county and state organization.

Mrs. Kiligas is only the second member of the local auxiliary to be so honored. Mrs. Julia Van R. Crowell received a life membership before she moved to Florida in 1951.

Mrs. George Bird, past president, made the presentation to Mrs. Kiligas who also was given a bouquet of flowers from her friends."

Mrs. Kiligas completed a term as president of the state American Legion Auxiliary a year ago. She continues as a member of the state committee an will serve until the national convention in Denver, Colo., in September.

Mrs. Kiligas has headed both the local and county units in addition to serving as state chaplain of the auxiliary.

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HONORED last night at the White Tree Club for more than 30 years' service to the state, county and local American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. August H. Kiligas, left, was presented a life membership by Mrs. George Bird, past president.

28—Two-day Berkshire Hills Speed Skating Meet, Common, Pittsfield, 1 p.m.

18—The Berkshire Eagle, Saturday, Jan. 28, 1961

Speed Skating

Conditions Perfect

Common's Ice Extraordinary For Berkshire Hills Meet

Annual Championships To Begin Today at 1; Park Department Lists 350 Entrants; 28 City Skaters Will Compete in Event

Top-notch ice conditions and 350 entries are expected to make this weekend's Berkshire Hills Speed Skating Championships one of the best Eastern meets of the winter.

Unless something unprecedented is pulled from the capricious Berkshire weather bag, the speed skaters will be greeted with ideal racing conditions here for the first time in several years.

No Thaw

The sponsoring winter sports committee was not faced this week with last-minute decisions about postponing the meet or moving it to Onota Lake, which has been the case in other years.

Twenty-eight local skaters will be among the competitors as the two-day event begins at 1 this afternoon on the Common. Tomorrow's events will also start at 1 p.m.

Patti Smith of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club and independent skater Jimmy (Mouse) Brown are expected to be Pittsfield's leading contenders in the meet, but they will be facing stiff competition in their respective divisions: intermediate girls and senior men.

Also among the local entrants who have won either trophies or medals during the current season are Patty Beach, Joanne Farry, James Lambert, Billy Farry, Karen Downey, Glennie Zofrea, Pat Madden and Mary Ann Placido.

With the exception of Miss Smith and Brown, Pittsfield's participants are largely in the younger divisions, all relative newcomers to the sport.

Blum Features

Ray Blum of Nutley, N.J., is entered in the senior men's division and will be seeking the third and final leg on the Exchange Club Trophy awarded to the winner of the five-mile marathon that caps tomorrow afternoon's events. If he wins, Blum will retire the trophy permanently.

Other senior men entering include Donald Beam of Binghamton, N.Y.; Joe Dodds of Wayne, N.J.; Dick Ring of Wilmington and Edgar Dame of Wakefield.

Bobby Fenn of Flushing, N.Y., high scorer in the 1960 Berkshire Hills, is entered in the intermediate boys' division; Johnny Wurster of Ballston Spa, N.Y., winner of the Berkshire Eagle trophy for the meet's outstanding skater two years ago, is signed up for the juvenile boys' division.

Eight entries, the largest number in a number of years, have been received for the senior women's division. They include Kathy Harrington of Syracuse, N.Y., last year's Eagle award winner; Janet Tighe of Wilmington and Margaret Grant of Union City, N.J.

James Tobin and Sumner Gamwell, chairmen, and Louis O. Conway, meet director, have arranged races for seven divisions each for boys and girls: senior, intermediate, junior, juvenile, midget, special midget and peewee.

Finals Both Days

Heats and finals will take place both days, with trophies awarded tomorrow afternoon. The winter sports committee will assist officials from the Northern New York Association in conducting the events.

It is expected that some of the 350 entrants will drop out in favor of attending the National Championships, which are scheduled this weekend in St. Paul, Minn., but Supt. Vincent J. Hebert of the Department of Parks and Recreation said he did not expect more than 10 per cent to do so.

Hebert was high in his praise of the maintenance crews, who have been working on the city rinks in sub-zero temperatures for the past two weeks. He said officials for the city skating meet Thursday night had commented that the ice was in the best condition they had seen here recently.

Flooding crews started their final preparations for today's racing about 9:30 last night when they swept the ice after the skating public went home.

The workers were expected to continue flooding operations throughout the night, ending at noon today.

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Don Beam of Binghamton, N.Y., Wins Exchange Club Five-Mile Trophy

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SPEED SKATING CHAMPS in the 16th annual Berkshire Hills speed skating meet held this weekend on the Common are presented their trophies by last year's carnival queen, Kathleen M. Marby, left. They are, in usual order, Don Beam, Exchange Club trophy winner; Gail Purdy, one-mile record holder; Janet Tighe, senior women's titlist, and Tom Middleton, Berkshire Eagle award winner. The two-day meet was featured by the first perfect ice in this area in several years.

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BERKSHIRE HILLS SKATING MEET on the Common over the weekend drew 1,000 spectators and 341 entrants. Pictured is the intermediate girls' ¾ mile final. The winner, Judy Kendrick of Woburn, was disqualified on a technical infraction. Patti Smith of Pittsfield placed second in what was one of the outstanding local efforts of the event. Miss Kendrick won the other races, the 220, the 440 and the 880, to earn the divisional championship.

Berkshire Eagle Award Goes to Schenectady Boy

16th Annual Berkshire Hills Speed Skating Meet Draws 1,000 Spectators, 341 Entrants; Ice Outstanding for Two-Day Competition

By STEVE MOORE

Perfect ice and weather prevailed for the first time in recent years for the running of the 16th annual Berkshire Hills Outdoor Speed Skating championships held in conjunction with the Winter Carnival on the Common this past weekend. About 1,000 spectators, shivering as one, lined the eight-lap course over the two-day period to witness the proceedings which included a brash assault on the senior women's one-mile record, a spectacular finish in the Ex-

Eagle Award

The Berkshire Eagle award for the outstanding skater in the meet was won by Tom Middleton, unattached, of Schenectady, N.Y. Middleton swept all three juvenile boys' races to take the prize. Saturday he won the 440 in a time of 42.0, his division's only final of the day. Sunday found him slated for two races, the 220 and the 880, and he promptly (.21.5 and 1:34 respectively) sprinted off with both.

Don Beam, senior, unattached from Binghamton, N.Y., and Judy Kendrick, intermediate unattached from Woburn, were next in line for the award had Middleton missed. Beam, in addition to winning the classic five-mile race in what amounted to a photo-finish with Fred Bruckner, also won the 220, the 440 and the 880. He failed in only race, the one-mile.

Miss Kendrick, intermediate champ, officially won the 220, the 440 and the 880. She finished first in the blistering three-quarter mile, but was disqualified on a technical infraction. Her uncensored times were 23.3, 37.3 and 1:37.3 in the same order.

Blum Goes Home

Blum, a competitor in the 1948 Winter Olympic Games in St. Moritz, Switzerland, had what might be graciously tagged a bad week-

end. In his first race, the senior men's 440, he fell on the clubhouse turn and was disqualified. His next effort was a one-length victory in the one-mile race. His chief antagonist, Beam, finished no better than fourth but Blum, apparently dissatisfied with the shorter eight-lap track, took his skates and went home. He had been the favorite in the five-mile, having won it twice before and needed but one more leg for permanent possession.

An exciting exhibition of distance skating was offered by Gail Purdy of Glens Falls, N.Y., and the Saratoga Winter Club. Miss Purdy was one of three young racers who had returned the day before from an extensive Olympic training period in Hamar, Norway. She moved into the lead of the senior women's one-mile before the end of the first lap and paced the pack with an unfaltering stride to a 3:18.0 mark. The old record had been held by Aldrena LaBel and was 3:27.8.

The senior women's title went to Janet Tighe of Wilmington. During the regulation competition, the mother-of-four scored one first and three seconds. Her adversary, Darlent Sechnaic, unattached, of Jersey City, N.J., concluded the meet with two first places and two thirds. The point combination left neither with a clear-cut advantage and a three-lap skate-off was arranged prior to the five-mile event. Mrs. Tighe led all the way, but Miss Sechnaic, in a position for a final sprint, lost all chance when she slipped on the first turn of the final lap. Mrs. Tighe won by a good margin.

Flying Fraysee

Mike Fraysee of Bogota, N.Y., and the Century Speed Skating Club was the king of the ice in the intermediate boys with two firsts and two seconds for the title. His best effort was Saturday's one-mile victory over Ron Peters.

Neither boy had made any attempt to take the lead for the first seven laps. At the sound of the bell signifying the last time around, the pair switched on all rockets and made for the final blue line. Fraysee hit the finish one skate ahead, but both were timed in 2:55.5; 14 seconds faster than the men's mile.

Pittsfield's closest bid for victory was made by intermediate Patti Smith. Miss Smith was second in the three-quarter mile and fourth in both the 440 and the 880.

The 220 final in the peewee boys had another Pittsfield racer, Jamy Lambert, finish second. The winner, Scott Perkins of Saratoga Skating Club, ankled it around to approximately 10 or 15 feet from the finish, where his long-suffering legs gave out and he slid across the line on his knees with arms upraised in triumph and a satisfied smile on his face.

Bud Schnell of Huntington, N.Y., turned in a very creditable job in the midget boys' division. Another forerunner for top skater awards, Schnell won all three of his races, the 220, 440 and the one-sixth mile.

Junior Champion

Most of the medals and trophies in the boys' junior division went to Bob McAdams of Ossining, N.Y. He copped three firsts and a fourth to corner the market. The one intruder was Jeff Williamson in the 880. McAdams had little trouble with the 220, 440 and one-mile.

Other winners in the boys' divisions were: Jack Faase, special midgets and Fred Hugo, peewees.

Barbara Sulc, junior girl, of the Flushing Meadows Speed Skating Club was undefeated in three races for the weekend as were Mickey Green, juvenile girl, and Irene Foster, midget girl. All received trophies for their titles.

Diane Lindars of Larchmont, N.Y., won both races for the special midget girls' crown and Susan Dunham and Donna Collins shared honors in the peewee section.

Last year's carnival queen, Kathleen M. Marby, preesnted all trophies.

The complete results of both days:

SATURDAY

SENIOR MEN

440—1st, Don Beam; 2nd, Fred Bruckner; 3rd, Ed Dame; 4th, Al Harding. Time, 37.6.
1 mile—1st, Ray Blum; 2nd, Dick Ring; 3rd, Fred Bruckner; 4th, Don Beam. Time, 3.09.

INTERMEDIATE BOYS

440—1st, Peter Booth; 2nd, Mike Fraysee; 3rd, Bill Dobbs; 4th, Ron Peters. Time, 39.1.
880—1st, Mike Fraysee; 2nd, Bill Dobbs; 3rd, Ron Peters; 4th, Peter Booth. Time, 1:33.8.
1 mile—1st, Mike Fraysee; 2nd, Ron Peters; 3rd, Bruce Albert; 4th, Bill Bobbs. Time, 2:55.5.

JUNIOR BOYS

220—1st, Bob McAdams; 2nd, Lee Newburg; 3rd, Williamson; 4th, Dick Rittmuller. Time, 19.9.
1 mile—1st, Bob McAdams; 2nd, Jeff Williamson; 3rd, Dave Wurster; 4th, Dick Rittmuller. Time, 3:20.2.

JUVENILE BOYS

440—1st, Tom Middleton; 2nd, Dick Cassesse; 3rd, Jim Harding; 4th, Ken Robinson. Time, 42.0.

MIDGET BOYS

220—1st, Bud Schnell; 2nd, Art Mazzilli; 3rd, Dave Dunlap; 4th, Mike Neil. Time, 23.9.
440—1st, Bud Schnell; 2nd, Mike Neil; 3rd, Art Mazzilli; 4th, Marc Swicker. Time, 47.7.

SPECIAL MIDGET BOYS

220—1st, Don Roe; 2nd, Jack Faasse; 3rd, Pete Hugo; 4th, Mark Ettess. Time, 27.1.

PEE-WEE BOYS

110—1st, Fred Hugo; 2nd, Paul Swicker; 3rd, Jim Lambert; 4th, Scott Perkins. Time, 17.8.

SENIOR WOMEN

220—1st, Darlene Sechnaic; 2nd, Janet Tighe; 3rd, Joanne Linders; 4th, Oot Laudenback. Time, 22.7.
880—1st, Janet Tighe; 2nd, Dot Ludenback; 3rd, Darlene Sechnaic; 4th, Pat Roche. Time, 1:36.2.

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS

220—1st, Judy Kendrick; 2nd, Joyce Bradle; 3rd, Peggy Poremba; 4th, Sue Lashway. Time, 23.3.
880—1st, Judy Kendrick; 2nd, Peggy Poremba; 3rd, Joyce Bradle; 4th, Patti Smith. Time, 1:37.3.

JUNIOR GIRLS

220—1st, Barbara Sulc; 2nd, Jeanne Brusso; 3rd, Pat Fiske; 4th, Elizabeth Burkhardt. Time, 22.3.
880—1st, Barbara Sulc; 2nd, Nancy Burkhardt; 3rd, Pat Ricke; 4th, Jeanne Bruso. Time, 1:35.5.

JUNIOR GIRLS

1-6 mile—1st, Mickey Green; 2nd, Joanne Walters; 3rd, Kathy Southern; 4th, Joanne Brusso. Time, 29.4.

MIDGET GIRLS

220—1st, Irene Foster; 2nd, Sharon Weber; 3rd, Joanne Cunningham; 4th, Susan Bradle. Time, 25.5.
440—1st, Irene Foster; 2nd, Sharen Weber; 3rd, Susan Bradle; 4th, Abbe Diskin. Time, 52.2.

SPECIAL MIDGET GIRLS

220—1st, Diane Linders; 2nd, Donna Thompson; 3rd, Linda Tomlinson; 4th, Loretta Towne. Time, 28.6.

PEE-WEE GIRLS

110—1st, Donna Collins; 2nd, Susan Dunham; 3rd, Pat Di Fiore; 4th, Elaine Kilpatrick. Time, 19.3.

SUNDAY

SENIOR MEN

220—1st, Don Beam; 2nd, Fred Bruckner; 3rd, Joe Dodds; 4th, Bob Frank. Time, :20.
880—1st, Don Beam; 2nd, Skip Nelson; 3rd, Dick Ring; 4th, Ron Linn. Time, 1:22.5.
5 miles—1st, Don Beam; 2nd, Fred Bruckner; 3rd, Ron Linn; 4th, Dick Ring. Time, 15:59.5.

INTERMEDIATE BOYS

220—1st, Bruce Albert; 2nd, Mike Fraysee; 3rd, Bruce Woodcock; 4th, Ron Peters. Time, :20.5.
2 miles—1st, Ron Peters; 2nd, Peter Booth; 9rd, Joe Tosi Jr.; 4th, Bill Dodds. Time, 6:22.6.

JUNIOR BOYS

400—1st, Bob McAdams; 2nd, Richard Rittmuller; 3rd, Jeff Williamson; 4th, Bill Cotter. Time, 39.2.
880—1st, Jeff Williamson; 2nd, Richard Rittmuller; 3rd, Dave Wurster; 4th, Bob McAdams. Time, 1:28.2.

JUVENILE BOYS

220—1st, Tom Middleton; 2nd, Dick Cassesse; 3rd, Jeff Burns; 4th, Jim Harding. Time, :21.5.
880—1st, Tom Middleton; 2nd, Jim Harding; 3rd, Dick Cassesse; 4th, Ken Robinson. Time, 1:34.

MIDGET BOYS

1-6 mile—1st, Bud Schnell; 2nd, Mike Neil; 3rd, Marc Swicker; 4th, Art Mazzilli. Time, :31.2.

SPECIAL MIDGET BOYS

1-6 mile—1st, Jack Faasse; 2nd, Dan Roe; 3rd, Bill Taylor; 4th, Peter Hugo. Time, :34.2.

PEE WEE BOYS

220—1st, Scott Perkins; 2nd, Jim Lamberi; 3rd, Fred Hugo; 4th, Paul Swicker. Time, :35.

SENIOR WOMEN

440—1st, Darlene Sechnaic; 2nd, Janet Tighe; 3rd, Jeanne Linders; 4th, Dot Laudenback. Time, :42.5.
1 mile—1st, Gail Purdy; 2nd, Janet Tighe; 3rd, Darlene Sechnaic; 4th, Dot Lauderback. Time, 3:18.

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS

440—1st, Judy Kendrick; 2nd, Peggy Poremba; 3rd, Joyce Bradle; 4th, Patti Smith. Time, :37.3.
¾-mile—1st, Peggy Poremba; 2nd, Patti Smith; 3rd, Sue Lashway; 4th, Ruth Santos. Time, 2:52.2.

JUNIOR GIRLS

440—Barbara Sulc; 2nd, Jeanne Bruso; 3rd, Margaret Booth; 4th, Pat Fiske. Time, :45.4.

JUVENILE GIRLS

220—1st, Mickey Green; 2nd, Joanne Walters; 3rd, Kathy Southern; 4th, Ann Belsito. Time, :23.5.
440—1st, Mickey Green; 2nd, Joanne Walters; 3rd, Kathy Southern; 4th, Ann Belsito. Time, :46.

MIDGET GIRLS

1-6 mile—1st, Irene Foster; 2nd, Susan Bradle; 3rd, Sharon Weber; 4th, Abbe Diskin. Time, :33.3.

SPECIAL MIDGET GIRLS

1-6 mil—1st, Diane Lindes; 2nd, Linda Tomlinson; 3rd, Donna Thompson; 4th, Loretta Towne. Time, :37.7.

PEE-WEE GIRLS

220—1st, Susan Dunham; 2nd, Donna Collins; 3rd, Pat DiFiore; 4th, Joanne Farry. Time, :37.4.

Monday, Jan. 30, 1961

Bartholomew Loses Title To 19-Year-Old

Eddie Rudolph Takes Skate Championship In Lake Como Event

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP)—The 20-year speedskating empire of Ken Bartholomew crumpled on the bell lap of the mile race, and a Chicago teen-ager skated the old master out of a title.

Eddie Rudolph, a 19-year-old senior at Glenbrook High in suburban Chicago and a 1960 Olympian, won the senior men's outdoor championship at Lake Como Sunday.

The first day leader by two points, Bartholomew at 40 couldn't stand the gaff when youngsters who weren't born when he won his first national started piling on the pressure.

He failed to score a point in Sunday's four races and wound up in a fourth place tie behind Rudolph's 15, the 13 of Arnold Uhrlass of Yonkers, N.Y., and the 11 of Floyd Bedbury of St. Paul. Bartholomew and Terry McDermott of Essexville, Mich., had eight.

A new champion emerged also in the senior women's division, where schoolmarm Jeanne Ashworth, 22, Wilmington, Mass., dethroned Mary Novak of Lombard, Ill., by sweeping the 220, 880 and mile.

Club.

10 Years Ago

Pittsfield took four division titles in winning the annual Berkshire Hills Speed Skating championships. Angie DelSignore won the junior girl crown. Joe Bassiliere took the midget boys' title, while Keyeburne Hollister and Mary Lou Bromback tied for the midget girls and Robert Cantarella tied for the special midget title with Pat Shea of Lake Placid.

A total of $1,100, stolen from the Union Federal Savings & Loan Association in January was recovered in a Seymour Street mailbox.

urday, Jan. 28, 1961

Public Events

Today

1:00 p.m.—Berkshire Hills speed skating meet. The Common.

8:30 p.m. "Cham...

In Brief . . .

Good ice and a strong field of competitors made the Berkshire Hills Speed Skating championships one of the most successful meets ever held here. Frozen-footed spectators are making one suggestion, however: Those preliminary races should be called something other than "heats" . . . Congratulations and a low whistle of awe are due Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Miller of North Egremont, who are preparing to observe their 69th anniversary this week. The 69th is such an unusual event that the Jewelry Industry Council's anniversary list doesn't even include it. . . . Formation of a Pittsfield land developers' association with permanent legal counsel should expedite legal paperwork for the home builders. With the statutes changing constantly, lawyers versed in the problems will be able to work more effectively with city agencies while pro-

Fraysee in Outstanding Speedskating Triumph

Takes Boys' One-Mile Event in Berkshire Hills Outdoor Championships

By E. H. TOOLE

PITTSFIELD — The 16th annual Berkshire Hills Outdoor Speedskating Championships opened on the "Common" eight-lap rink Saturday afternoon with a field of 341 competitors from throughout the Eastern Seaboard. While all the events in both boys and girls various divisions were thrillers over the perfectly conditioned ice, it was the intermediate boys one-miler that proved to be the "bell-ringer" of the entire opening day program.

Best Time of Day

Laying back in the pack as the finalists took their first seven laps around in the mile grind, Mike Fraysee of the Century Skating Club and Ron Peters of Flushing Meadows made their bid on the far turn of the final lap. Blazing to the fore on the back stretch, they overhauled the lead in that order and generated full speed to bring in the contestants in a blistering pace. Fraysee held his one stride lead crossing the finish line and was clocked at 2:55.5—the best time of the day.

Again in the 440 of the intermediate boys' division, Fraysee used the same planned tactics. In fifth place swinging into the back turn, the Century star turned on a blaze of speed to move up through the pack but just missed overtaking Peter Booth of Syracuse coming down the final stretch to the line.

Ray Blum, native of Nutley, N. J. and former Olympic star now employed at the Westover Air Force Base in Chicopee, utilized his experience to cop the senior men's one mile event, finishing ahead of Dick Ring, Fred Bruckner and Don Beam in that order. A fall cost Ray his chance in the 440.

Burst of Speed

A terrific sprint was witnessed in the senior women's 220. Darlene Schnaic of Jersey City came up with a dazzling burst of speed from the start and then warded off the challenge of Wilmington's Janet Tighe who just barely missed gaining the lead coming down the final stretch.

ICE CHIPS—Leo Lebel, native of Springfield and father of a family of great skaters including the former world's barrel-jumping champion, now a resident of Lake Placid, is the coach of the large Saranac Lake Skating Club...Pittsfield's only point winners of Saturday were Patti Smith who took a fourth in the intermediate girls 880 and young Jimmie Lambert, who had a third in the pee-wee boys 110...An attractive card of some 44 heats, semifinals and finals will get under way at 1 o'clock this afternoon...the climax events will be the intermediate boys two miler and the always picturesque grinder — the senior men's five miler that takes the pack around the rink 40 times. Summaries:

Senior men, 440 — 1, Don Beam; 2, Fred Bruckner; 3, Ed Dame; 4, Al Harding
1 mile — 1, Ray Blum; 2, Dick Rung; 3, Fred Bruckner; 4, Don Beam
Intermediate boys, 440 — 1, Peterbooth; 2, Mike Fraysee; 3, Bill Dobbs; 4, Ron Peters
880 — 1, Mike Fraysee; 2, Bill Dobbs; 3, Ron Peters; 4, Peter Booth
1 mile — 1, Mike Fraysee; 2, Ron Peters; 3, Bruce Albert; 4, Bill Dobbs
Junior boys, 440 — 1, Bob McAdams; 2, Lee Newburg; 3, Jeff Williamson; 4, Dick Rittmuller
1 mile — 1, Bob McAdams; 2, Jeff Williamson; 3, Dave Wurster; 4, Dick Rittmuller
Juvenile boys, 440 — 1, Tom Middleton; 2, Dick Cassesse; 3, Jim Harding; 4, Ken Robinson
Midget boys, 220 — 1, Bud Schnell; 2, Art Mazzilli; 3, Dave Dunlap; 4, Mike Neal
440 — 1, Bud Schnell; 2, Mike Neil; 3, Art Mazzilli; 4, Mark Swicker
Special midget boys, 220 — 1, Dan Roe; 2, Jack Faasse; 3, Pete Hugo; 4, Mark Ettoss
Pee-wee boys, 110 — 1, Fred Rugo; 2, Paul Swicker; 3, Jim Lambert; 4, Scott Perkins
Senior women, 220 — 1, Darlene Schniac; 2, Janet Tighe; 3, Joanne Lindars; 4, Dot Ludenback
880 — 1, Janet Tight; 2, Dot Ludenback; 3, Darlene Schniac; 4, Pat Roche
Intermediate girls, 220 — 1, Judy Kendrick; 2, Joyce Bradle; 3, Peggy Porenba; 4, Sue Lashway
880 — 1, Judy Kendrick; 2, Peggy Porenba; 3, Joyce Bradle; 4, Patti Smith
Junior girls, 220 — 1, Barbara Sule; 2, Jeanne Brusso; 3, Pat Fiske; 4, Elizabeth Burkhardt
880 — 1, Barbara Sule; 2, Nancy Burkhardt; 3, Pat Fiske; 4, Jeanne Brusso
Juvenile girls, 1-6 mile — 1, Mickey Green; 2, Joanne Walters; 3, Kathy Southern; 4, Joanne Brusso
Midget girls, 220 — 1, Irene Foster; 2, Sharon Weber; 3, Joanne Cunningham; 4, Susan Bradle
440 — 1, Irene Foster; 2, Sharon Weber; 3, Susan Bradle; 4, Abbe Diskin
Special midget girls, 220 — 1, Diane Landers; 2, Donna Thompson; 3, Linda Tomlanson; 4, Loretta Towene
Pee-wee girls, 1, Dona Collins; 2, Susan Dunhan; 3, Pat DeFiore; 4, Elaine Kilpatrick

5—City sled races, Clapp Park, Pittsfield, 2 p.m.

Sled Races To Be Sunday At Clapp Park

2/1/61

The annual city sled races, sponsored by the Winter Sports Committee and the Department of Parks and Recreation, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at Clapp Park. in conjunction with the 16th annual winter carnival.

There will be three divisions: junior, 7-years-old and under; intermediate, 8- and 9-years-old, and senior, 10-12-years-old.

Entry blanks may be obtained at Sammy Vincent's Music Store, at all skating ring warming houses and at the Park Department office on North Street. Blanks must be submitted to the office by Friday afternoon at 5.

Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third place winners in each division. There will be separate divisions for boys and girls.

City Sled Races Sunday at 2:30

2/9/61

The city sled races, postponed because of the storm will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at Clapp Park. Contestants should report to the park warming house by 2.

Entry blanks may be obtained at Sammy Vincent's music store, the Park Department office or at the warming houses at the city rinks.

Awards will be made for first, second and third places in each division.

Trail Sweep

By Lee Goerlach 3/4/61

By LEE GOERLACH

THREE CHEERS, a bouquet, or something, should be given to the officials of the city ski meet. This same group has been doing the job for many years.

Their good nature and patience seem endless in the face of all sorts of difficulties. Included this year were two postponements, no adequate shelter for contestants, and rain.

One perennial problem is the communication system which fails to communicate. The radios, carefully checked in advance of each meet, always konk out when it's time to start.

Saturday was no exception. The only difference was that this time no amount of coaxing by Willy Brigham and Max Sauter would persuade the instruments to resume operation. The old-time synchronized watch system with interval starting was adopted. Times were figured at the end of the event.

This of course meant that the youngsters were all clamoring for results that weren't available. Max, Don Tufts, and Brenda Deloye at the finish line, timers and recorder, respectively, were hard put to ward off the crowd, and also keep track of the next racer on the trail.

Even when the radios were working for the interscholastics, times weren't posted or announced. It would seem that the posting of times would benefit the contestants and spectators, and keep the kids off the officials' necks.

Betty Howe is in charge of first aid, and faithfully brings the Red Cross wagon to the event. She also works in the kitchen when the big lodge is available, and hot soup, crackers, milk and coffee are passed out to contestants and officials.

Ida Fosty, chairman of the event, had a tough decision to make Saturday afternoon. It couldn't have rained harder short of a cloudburst, but the youngsters wanted to finish the races. Ida consented. Bob Deloye Sr. set up the slalom course after a good deal of banter about the state of mind of anyone who would consider running a ski race in that kind of weather. Bob Deloye Jr. was chief of course for the slalom.

Win Gutman was in charge of the downhill, and was at the starting line for the slalom. His wife, Blanche, as usual, had charge of the numbers. It is no small task to tie on and collect more than 100 numbers. Blanche also worried over "my girls." These were high school girls she had coached. She was afraid the course was too difficult for them. She also gave each youngster a word of encouragment as she removed her number.

Willy was starter for the downhill. Charley Goodrich was assistant starter for the slalom. He also lugged the toboggan up the hill for both events.

Bill Litty, chairman of the winter sports committee of the Park Department, has been the faithful computer of results of the meets for eight years. Doc Maynard persuaded Bill to help the first year, and Bill was so efficient that he showed up with an adding machine. He's had the job ever since.

Sid Anderson and Arnold Beverwyck, Jiminy Peak patrolmen, came over to the Pittsfield State Forest when Jiminy closed at noon because of rain, to see if they could help with the races. They, as well as parents of the competitors, served as gate keepers and trail watchers.

John Marchesi of the Park Department was present to do anything he could to help. He held an umbrella over Max to keep the rain off the stop watch.

I profited from being inefficient about cleaning out my car. My golf umbrellas, left there since last summer, afforded protection for several people, including Brenda and the clipboard on which she was recording results.

Many of the parents have waited all week for their heavy winter coats to dry after the Saturday soaking.

The snow on the Ghost Trail was so good that many of the officials returned on Sunday to ski the area.

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THE SCHOOL VACATION, Feb. 19-25, found many local skiers at northern areas.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Levy, with their sons, Larry and Billy, spent the week at Mount Gabriel, Quebec, Canada. They said the skiing was excellent.

Larry was awarded a silver medal in the standard races for the members of the ski classes, and the doctor and Billy earned bronze medals.

A group of local school teachers spent the week at Jay Peak, North Troy, Vt. The weather was miserable. It rained day and night, but the group reported that despite the weather they had a "marvelous" time. They all want to go back again.

Miss Anne Nesbit received a bronze medal in the standard races. Others in the group from Pittsfield included Miss Jane Hennelly, Miss Mary Quinn and Miss Marion Blowe.

Rod Davis and his wife, Judy, of Lanesboro, also were at Jay. Judy took a bronze medal in the standard races.

The new chair life at Jay is in full operation. It services a four-mile novice trail, and shorter expert trails.

Jim Renzi, a teacher at Central, spent the week in the Gray Rocks Eagle Ski School at Mont Tremblant, Canada.

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MARQUITA is the first girl to earn the skimeister award, John Marchesi discovered in looking over the names on the trophy this week. The Berkshire Eagle trophy was first awarded to William Hollister, the outstanding skier in the 1950 meet. The meet was washed out in 1951. Philip McKean received the 1952 award; John Seely Jr., 1953 and 1954; William Seely, 1955 and 1956; Evan Hendricks, 1957; James Gardner and Collin Garstang, 1958; no meet 1959; and Jimmy Hollister and Walter Dickie last year.

5—Ice Fishing Derby, Pontoosuc Lake, Pittsfield, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Librizzi

WARMING UP FOR FISHING DERBY tomorrow at Pontoosuc Lake, Michael Y. Bator of 28 Brooks Ave, gets in some practice licks with the jigging stick. Derby hours are from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and prizes will be awarded in men's, women's boys' and girls' divisions. The competition is an annual event of the Winter Carnival.

Fishing Derby To Be Sunday At Pontoosuc

Pittsfield's annual winter carnival ice-fishing derby will be Sunday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Pontoosuc Lake, the sponsoring winter sports committee and Department of Parks and Recreation announced today.

All contestants must register at the Lakeview Restaurant, 1653 North St. before 1 p.m. the day of the derby to be eligible to compete. Prizes will be awarded in the men's, women's, boys' and girls' divisions for the heaviest, longest and most fish (within legal limits). Fishing licenses must be shown on the outer garment.

Chairmen for the event are James H. Frank and Andrew J. Miller. Cooperating organizations are the Streamline Anglers, Pittsfield Sportman's Club, Pittsfield Anglers League, Lakewood Sportsmen's Club, and state Division of Fisheries and Game.

Mrs. Richard W. Turner, 41 Marcella Ave., led a field of 59 anglers in the annual contest sponsored by the Parks and Recreation Department and Mrs. Benjamin Andrew of 109 Lincoln St., had the biggest fish in the derby conducted by the Berkshire Stream Line Anglers which attracted 35 women members, their husbands and children.

28—Winter Carnival teen-age dance, Boys' Club. 8-11 p.m.

Teen-Age Dance Set for Tonight

1/29/61

A winter carnival teen-age dance will take place tonight from 8 to 11 at the Boys' Club.

Trophies at this "polar bear hop" will be awarded by the 1960 carnival queen, Miss Kathleen Marby, to winners in waltz and jitterbug contests.

Disc jockey Bill Pope of WABY in Albany, N.Y., will play records for dancing. The winter sports committee is sponsoring the event.

Miss Saltarelli Is Betrothed

6/14

She Plans Aug. 26 Wedding to Francis Catorski

WSC

Staro

Miss Leonora A. Saltarelli

Mr. and Mrs. Olympio M. Saltarelli of 35 Henrie Ave. today announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Leonora Ann, to Francis E. Catorski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Catorski of Adams. The wedding is planned for Aug. 26 at All Souls' Church.

Miss Saltarelli, a 1955 Pro Merito graduate of Pittsfield High School, also completed a one-year secretarial course at Chamberlayne Junior College, Boston. She now is a secretary in the community relations office at GE.

Mr. Catorski, who is a hair stylist at England Brothers' beauty salon, graduated from Adams High School and LeBaron Hairdressing Academy. He served four years in the Air Force.

Young Audiences

Trophies Awarded at Carnival's Polar Bear Hop

1/30/61

Miss Kathleen Marby, 1960 winter carnival queen, presents first prize trophies to dance contest winners Miss Sandra J. Allen and Paul R. Charlebois, who won the waltz; and Miss Joan C. Warman and Harry L. Giguere, jitterbug. Looking on is Miss Patti Smith, chairman of the dance, attended by about 300 teen-agers Saturday evening at Boys' Club gymnasium.

About 300 teen-agers attended the winter carnival polar bear hop Saturday evening at the Boys' Club.

Miss Patti Smith was chairman of the dance, at which waltz and jitterbug contests were held. Waltz winners were Miss Sandra J. Allen and Paul R. Charlebois, first; Miss Patricia A. Groman and Joseph B. Joyce, second, and Miss Ann E. Savino and Thomas J. Bauwens, third. Jitterbug prizes went to Miss Joan C. Warman and Larry L. Giguere, first; Miss Millie E. Kane and Anthony Roraback, second; and Miss Glennie T. Zofrea and Alan J. Provencher, third.

Judges were Miss Kathleen Marby, 1960 winter carnival queen, and her escort, Jerry Middlebrook, and disc jockey Bill Pope of Albany, N.Y.

Staro

Patricia A. Norton

Miss Norton To Be Bride of R. M. Cancilla

1959 Carnival Queen Will Marry Teacher At St. Joseph's Church

Miss Patricia Ann Norton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Norton of 20 Lake St., will be married this morning to Robert Michael Cancilla, son of Mrs. Anna Cancilla of 84 Francis Ave.

The Rev. John Callaghan will perform the ceremony at 9 in St. Joseph's Church, where Ralph Salamone will sing. A reception will follow at the Elks' Home.

Father To Escort

Escorted by her father, the bride will be dressed in a replica of Princess Margaret's gown of silk organza over satin, designed with fitted bodice, satin-corded V-neckline and skirt seams and long tapered sleeves. Her three-tiered veil of hand-rolled English illusion will be attached to a crown of rhinestones and pearls. She will carry a cascade of stephanotis.

Miss Lillian Calnan will be maid of honor, and bridesmaids will be Miss Maureen Barents and Miss Sheila MacDonald.

The maid of honor will wear a mauve silk organza over taffeta gown with matching pillbox and carry a Colonial bouquet of yellow and white daisies. The bridesmaids' similar gowns and pillboxes will be of pale yellow; their bouquets white daisies.

Best Man, Ushers

Alexander N. Canavan of Braintree will be best man. Ushers will be Joseph F. Norton, brother of the bride, and Robert F. Kahn.

The couple will live at 18 Harvard St. upon their return July 16 from a trip to Cape Cod.

A dental assistant for Dr. Charles R. Volk, the bride graduated from St. Joseph's High School in 1956. She was 1959 queen of the winter carnival sponsored by the Park Department.

Mr. Cancilla is a teacher at South Junior High School. He graduated from Pittsfield High School in 1955 and from Providence College in 1959 with a B.A. degree in economics. He is a member of Rabida Council, Knights of Columbus.

13th Annual City Ski Meet Will Be Feb. 4

11/25/61

The 13th annual city ski meet is scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 4, at the Pittsfield State Forest, Mrs. William Fosty, chairman, announced today.

The downhill will be on the Ghost Trail at 10 a.m. and the slalom on the open slope at 1.

Entry blanks are available at the Pittsfield Park Department office and at the Berkshire Athenaeum. Entries will close Thursday afternoon, Feb. 2, at 5. If parents are present to sign waivers, entries also will be accepted the morning of the meet up until 9:30.

Blanks have been mailed to all those who entered the races last year.

City Ski Competition Scheduled Feb. 18

2/9/61

About 70 entries have been received for the city ski meet at the Pittsfield State Forest Saturday, Feb. 18.

Originally scheduled for last Saturday, the meet was postponed because of the snowstorm. The event is being conducted by the winter sports committee and the Department of Parks and Recreation.

City Ski Meet, Sled Races, Fishing Derby This Weekend

1/3/61

The 13th annual city ski meet will begin at 9:30 a.m. tomorrow at the Pittsfield State Forest, and city sled races will be held at Clapp Park Sunday afternoon.

This weekend's events in the 16th winter carnival will also include the annual ice-fishing derby, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday at Pontoosuc Lake.

Mrs. Ida Fosty, chairman of the ski meet, said entries; would be accepted at the state forest until starting time.

Downhill and slalom events for boys and girls will be conducted in five age divisions, ranging from 11 years through high school. The meet is open to students of Pittsfield schools and surrounding areas, with past or present members of high school teams competing in a separate class.

The deadline for sled-racing entrants was set for 5 p.m. today. Boys and girls from seven to twelve years old are eligible to compete. Warren J. Bouchane is chairman for the winter sports committee.

In the ice-fishing derby, prizes will be given for the largest fish, the longest fish and the biggest catch.

Entrants are required to register at the Lakeview Restaurant before 1 p.m. Sunday. Sponsored by the winter sports committee and conducted by the Department of Parks and Recreation, the event will run with the cooperation of Streamline Anglers, Pittsfield Sportsmen's Club, PAL Club, Lakewood Sportsmen's Club and the state Division of Fisheries and Game.

James Frank and Andrew J. Miller, chairmen, reminded anglers that their fishing licenses should be prominently displayed on their clothing.

The winter sports committee is also considering holding sports-car time trials at Onota Lake Feb. 12. Determining factors will be the snow conditions and the thickness of the ice.

Girl Skier Breaks Leg As Race Ends

2/28/61

One casualty has been reported resulting from the city ski meet Saturday at the Pittsfield State Forest.

Sheila Ryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Ryan of Harryl Street, suffered a broken leg in a fall after she had crossed the finish line. It was the second fall for Sheila on the downhill course on the Ghost Trail. She recovered from her first fall, and managed to place fifth in the race.

Sheila's father, who was watching the races, took his daughter to St. Luke's Hospital, where X-rays revealed a broken bone just above the ankle. She is recuperating at home.

Plouffe

COMBINED HONORS WINNERS in the city ski meet Saturday were presented trophies by Mrs. Ida Fosty, chairman of the event for the sponsoring Winter Sports Committee. Left to right are Jackie Faustine, Jonathan Mahanna, Brian Sisselman, Joyce Martin, Billy Martin, Marquita Marsten and Mrs. Fosty. In back are Carol Evans and Larry Wright. Mrs. Fosty is presenting the skimeister trophy to Marquita and Martin who will share it for the year.

Marquita Marsten and Billy Martin Share Skimeister Award in City Meet

2/27/61

By LEE GOERLACH

After two postponements, first because of the blizzard three weeks ago, and two weeks later because of icy roads leading to the area, the city ski meet was held Saturday at the Pittsfield State Forest in spite of a torrential downpour.

For the second year in a row, point standings were so close that the skimeister award was shared by two contestants.

Marquita Marsten in the 14-15-year-old girls' class, and Billy Martin in the same class for boys, both scored decisive victories in both events. They were awarded the perpetual trophy to hold for a year. Marquita will keep it for the first six months, Martin for the remainder of the year.

Walter Dickie and Jimmy Hollister shared the trophy last year.

Races in Downpour

The rain descended as the first event, the downhill on the Ghost Trail, was winding up about noon.

The competitors asked that the races be continued. Officials consented and set up the slalom course on the open slope in the downpour.

The rain did not lessen and a few fortunate folk took umbrellas, raincoats or ponchos out of their cars and used them to good advantage. Others with no rainy weather protection tended their posts or watched the races getting thoroughly drenched.

The young contestants seemed oblivious to the weather. Those who received trophies for the best showing in the combined events besides Marquita and Martin included: Joyce Martin with first in both events for girls under 12; Brian Sisselman, first in downhill, second in slalom, boys 11 and under; Jackie Faustine, second downhill and first slalom for girls 13 and under; Jonathan Mahanna, first downhill, second slalom for boys 12 and 13; Carol Evans, fourth downhill, second slalom, for high school girls; and Larry Wright, second in downhill and third in the slalom for high school boys.

First-place winners in individual events included Helen Knickerbocker, first in downhill for high school girls; Debbie Kanter, first in downhill, girls 13; Tom Varanka, first, downhill, high school; Donna Wilkinson, first in slalom, high school; Allen Skogsberg, first, slalom, high school; Jimmy Hollister, first, slalom, boys 11 and under; Chris Bonnivier, first, slalom, boys 12 and 13.

Hollister Wins

Hollister's time in the slalom was 27 seconds, 2.4 seconds faster than second-place winner Sisselman. Hollister had high hopes of capturing the skimeister award again this year, and was so anxious at the starting line in the downhill that he jumped the gun and was disqualified.

One of the favorites of the morning's downhill was six-year-old Dino Soviero, the youngest meet entry, who raced with the boys 11 and under. He negotiated the course well, and was cheered by the crowd as he finished. "Boy, I was going fast, he panted, after he had crossed the finish line. He finished in 14th place.

The Ghost Trail had excellent snow cover and conditions for the downhill were good. The runout at the bottom became rough at one point and several of the competitors took bad falls.

The value of release binding was proven when Charlie Seyffer took a fast driving "eggbeater" at the finish. The crowd gasped with relief when he came out of his skis safely. He placed second in the 12-to-13-year-old class.

There were 60 contestants. The Winter Sports Committee of the Pittsfield Park Department which sponsors the annual event, was unable to secure the big lodge for the event and many of the youngsters had to stand outside in the rain to eat their lunch. The small lodge made available to the group was too small to accommodate everyone.

The summary: (The course was shortened for the junior skiers).

DOWNHILL

	Girls 13	Time
1	Debbie Kanter	53.0
2	Jackie Faustine	58.8
3	Dianne Johnson	64.5
4	Darleen Shaver	70.2
5	Sheilah Ryan	82.2
6	Patti Johnson	237.8
	Boys 12-13	
1	Jonathan Mahanna	44.6
2	Charles Seffer	45.2
3	Chris Bonnivier	49.0
3	John MacGruer	49.0
5	John Lovejoy	50.0
6	Brian Hendricks	50.8
7	Charles Goodrich	54.4
8	Pat Bonavitacola	58.8
9	Dudley Billings	59.4
10	Larry Brady	66.2
11	John Unwin	68.8
	Girls 12 and Under	
1	Joyce Martin	24.8
2	Pamela Marsten	25.6
3	Kevyn Smith	26.8
4	Pamela Unwin	31.2
5	Lisa Gregory	31.4
6	Christine Cullen	34.2
7	Linda Beverwyck	44.0
	Boys 11 and Under	
1	Brian Sisselman	24.2
2	Stephen Tracy	25.4
3	Robert Busch	26.6
3	Chris Brown	26.6
5	Fran MacGruer	27.2
6	Dale Stetson	27.6
7	Michael McCollough	28.2
8	Mark Busch	28.4
9	Tom Kaufman	28.6
10	Dennis Johnson	29.0
11	Terry Goodrich	29.6
12	James Clarke	30.0
13	Bruce Schilling	30.1
14	Dino Soviero	31.2
15	James Hollister	Disqualified
	Girls 14-15	
1	Marquita Marsten	50.0
2	Deborah Tracy	63.0
4	Sally Joe Brady	73.0
	Boys 14-15	
1	William Martin	41.6
2	Ed Sloper	47.6
3	Brian Clarke	52.2
4	Mike Horrigan	55.0
5	Brian Porter	55.2
	Girls—High School	
1	Helen Knickerbocker	50.6
2	Rosemary Billand	53.6
3	Judy Selkowitz	56.4
4	Carol Evans	58.4
5	Donna Wilkinson	62.2
6	Elaine Badger	65.0
7	Anne Spagnola	92.0
	Boys—High School	
1	Tom Varanka	41.6
2	Larry Wright	45.2
3	Scott Lathrop	48.2
4	Josh Foss	49.2
5	Jock Polidoro	67.0

SLALOM

	Girls 13	Time
1	Jackie Faustine	48.2
2	Dianne Johnson	74.8
3	Darlene Shaver	122.8
	Boys 12 and 13	
1	Chris Bonnivier	38.6
2	Jonathan Mahanna	38.8
3	Brian Hendricks	40.8
4	Charles Goodrich	42.2
5	Charles Seyffer	43.2
6	John MacGregor	45.4
7	Dudley Billings	46.0
8	Mike Boraski	46.6
9	John Lovejoy	52.4
10	John Unwin	53.2
	Girls 12 and Under	
1	Joyce Martin	28.8
2	Pamela Marsten	30.4
3	Pamela Unwin	36.0
4	Kevyn Smith	43.0
4	Lisa Gregory	43.0
6	Christine Cullen	52.4
	Boys 11 and Under	
1	James Hollister	27.0
2	Brian Sisselman	29.4
3	Thomas Kaufman	30.0
4	Robert Busch	30.2
5	Chris Brown	30.8
6	Dale Stetson	31.0
7	Stephen Tracy	31.6
8	Frank MacGruer	32.6
9	James Clarke	36.4
10	Terry Goodrich	37.0
11	Mike McCullough	39.6
12	Dennis Johnson	40.6
13	Bruce Shilling	42.2
14	Mark Busch	66.2
	Girls 14 and 15	
1	Marquita Marsten	43.0
2	Sally Jo Brady	59.2
3	Judith Landfair	100.0
4	Elaine Badger	107.0
	Boys 14 and 15	
1	William Martin	39.6
2	Edward Sloper	43.2
3	Brian Porter	76.4
	Girls—High School	
1	Donna Wilkinson	51.4
2	Carol Evans	54.0
3	Judy Selkowitz	57.4
4	Rosemary Belland	90.0
	Boys—High School	
1	Allen Skogsberg	41.2
2	Josh Foss	44.0
3	Larry Wright	46.8
4	Scott Lathrop	51.6
5	Jack Polidoro	53.2

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Dick Agar To Be Caller For Square Dance

1/31/61

Dick Agar, local caller, will call for the ninth annual winter carnival square dance from 8:30 to 11:30 Saturday evening at the Jewish Community Center.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wylde of Williamstown are chairmen of the event, under the auspices of the Berkshire County Square Dance Association and the winter sports committee of the Park Department.

Suggestion

2/1/61

To the Editor of THE EAGLE:—

Since the Berkshire County Square Dance Association and the Park Department have done such a tremendous job with the winter carnival square dance, why not a square dance festival in conjunction with the bicentennial celebration? This is terrific entertainment for spectators and participants alike, and mass demonstrations could be fun for area residents as well as scores of out-of-towners.

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Carnival Square Dance To Be Saturday

2/28/61

Eight Dance Clubs Will Be Represented At Postponed Event

The winter carnival square dance, originally scheduled for Feb. 4, will be held Saturday from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. at the Jewish Community Center, it was annoced today by William S. Litty, carnival chairman. The dance was postponed because of the storm.

The dance is sponsored by the Berkshire County Square Dance Association and the Pittsfield winter sports committee. Eight square dance clubs to be represented will be Quadrille Club, Catch All Eights, Cross-Trailers and South Congo Squares of Pittsfield, Circle Eighters of Lanesboro, Promenaders of Williamstown, Down County Squares of Great Barrington and Gadabouts of Bennington, Vt.

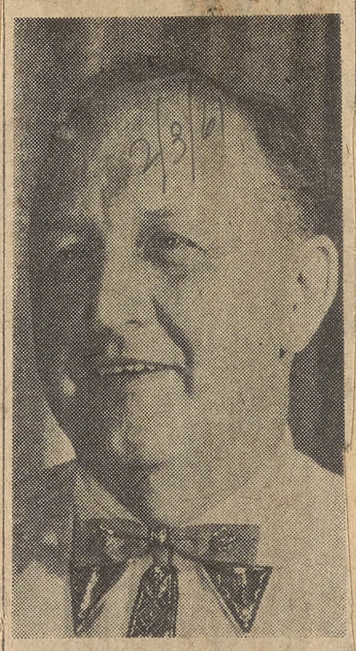
Richard Agar To Call

Caller will be Richard C. Agar, a member of the Western Massachusetts Callers and Leaders Association and the Albany (N.Y.) Callers Association.

A grand march will start at 9 p.m. Among those present will be Miss Kathleen Nicholas, winter carnival queen, and her escort.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Eck will be in charge of posters; Mr. and Mrs. George R. Osgood, refreshments; Mr. and Mrs. James B. Snell, tickets; Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. DeLoye, hospitality; and Mrs. Sal Minneci, publicity.

Caller Named For Square Dance Tomorrow Night



Dick Agar

Dick Agar will call for the Winter Carnival square dance tomorrow from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. at the Jewish Community Center. The dance is sponsored by the winter sports committee and the Berkshire Square Dance Association.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wylde of Williamstown will be chairmen for the dance. Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Eck will be in charge of posters; Mrs. Ferris R. Smith and Miss Elizabeth J. Minneci, flyers; Mr. and Mrs. George R. Osgood, refreshments; Mr. and Mrs. James R. Snell, tickets; Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Deloye, hospitality; and Mrs. Sal Minneci, publicity.

Mr. Agar, a member of the Western Massachusetts Callers and Leaders Association and the Albany (N.Y.) Callers Association, is the club caller for the Catch-All Eights, the Cross Trailers, the South Congregational Squares and the Pittsfield Quadrille Club. He and his wife are charter members of the Quadrille Club, the Housatonic Rounds and the Berkshire County Square Dance Association. He guest calls frequently in Western Massachusetts clubs, in southern Vermont and eastern New York State, and has called for several of the Atlantic square dance conventins.

Three Postponed Carnival Events Rescheduled

2-11-61

The winter carnival square dance has been rescheduled for March 4 at the Jewish Community Center, according to the sponsoring winter sports committee and Berkshire County Square Dance Association.

Originally planned for last Saturday night, the dance was postponed because of the storm. Several other postponed carnival events are also scheduled for this weekend.

Included are the ice-fishing derby at Pontoosuc Lake from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. tomorrow and the city sled races at Clapp Park at 2 p.m. Deadline for entries in the ice-fishing event is 1 p.m., according to Chairmen James Frank and Andrew J. Miller.

The citywide snow sculpture contest ends today, with the judges making their final rounds this morning to pick a winner.

Almost 200 at Square Dance Final Event of Winter Carnival

3-6-61 Plouffe

Almost 200 take part in the grand march at the square dance, final event of the Pittsfield Park Department's winter carnival, Saturday evening at the Jewish Community Center. In front line are Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wylde, dance chairmen; Miss Kathleen M. Marby, 1960 carnival queen, and her escort, Gerald Middlebrook; Miss Kathleen Nicholas, queen for 1961, and her escort, William Guzzy; William S. Litty, who was general chairman of this year's winter carnival; and Mrs. Litty.

Bruce Symanowicz To Provide Music For Carnival Ball

Bruce Symanowicz and his orchestra will play for dancing at the winter carnival ball Feb. 10 at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel.

Tickets for the semiformal dance are expected to be available this week at Mary-Zell's and England Brothers and will be sold at other places to be announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Peaslee are general chairmen of the ball. Subchairmen are Mr. and Mrs. Norman St. Peter, music and decorations; Richard R. Stiles, tickets; and Mrs. William P. Drummond, publicity.

The dance will be from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., highlighted by coronation of the 1961 carnival queen, who will be chosen from a field of 10 candidates.

Carnival Ball Tickets on Sale In Stores Tomorrow

Tickets for the winter carnival ball will go on sale at local stores today and tomorrow, it has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Stiles, ticket chairmen.

The ball will be held Feb. 10 at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel, with music by Bruce Symanowicz and his orchestra.

Tickets may be purchased at Melody House, England Brothers, Sammy Vincent's, Mary-Zell's, Vanity Fair Salon, Wood Bros., Dalton Appliance Center and Springside House.

Chairmen Decorate for Carnival Ball Tomorrow

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Plouffe

Mr. and Mrs. Norman St. Peter and Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Peaslee decorate the stage of the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel in preparation for the 16th annual Winter Carnival ball from 9 to 1 tomorrow night. A queen will reign from a styrofoam igloo placed in front of a Northern Lights backdrop. The Peaslees are chairmen of the event, and the St. Peters are in charge of music and decorations. Tickets still are available and may be obtained at door.

LADY IN WAITING

2/11/61

MISS ALICE WARD
Selected Friday night as lady in waiting to the 1961-62 queen of the Pittsfield Winter Carnival was Alice Ward, 17, of Longview Rd., Lanesboro. She won the honor by having sold th most carnival buttons. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Ward, she is a senior at Pittsfield High School.

Miss Kathleen Nicholas Crowned Carnival Queen

2/11/61

PITTSFIELD — A crowd of about 350 in Wendell Sherwood Hotel Friday night saw 18-year-old brunette beauty Kathleen Nicholas, 1960 graduate of Pittsfield High School, crowned 1960-1961 Winter Carnival Queen at the 16th annual ball sponsored by the Winter Sports Committee of the Parks Department.

Lady in waiting is 17-year-old Alice Ward, blond is 17-year-old School senior, who sold 1740 carnival buttons to win the accolade. Second highest button seller was Nina A. Ballardini, 17, also a high school senior, who sold 1710 buttons.

The queen, Miss Nicholas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Nicholas of 1608 West Housatonic St., was chosen by a panel of judges comprised of Andrew Flagg, dean of North Adams State College; Mrs. Grace U. Meyers, dean of women in Berkshire Community College; and Mrs. Elizabeth Shine, executive secretary of the Boston office of the National Recreational Society.

The judges based their opinions, individually, on appearance, personality, poise, voice and knowledge of the Winter Carnival. Judging was so close that many of the 10 contestants were called back three times.

Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of Department of Parks and Recreation, and William S. Litty, chairman of the Winter Carnival Committee, tallied the points. The judges' decision was placed in a sealed envelope and read after all contestants had paraded through the audience to a special snowy dais. The new queen was crowned by last year's monarch, Miss Kathleen M. Marby, now a student at University of Massachusetts.

The queen received a hi-fi set and other gifts, each of the contestants sharing gifts valued at close to $1000 donated by merchants or purchased by the committee.

Chairmen for the queen's contest were the Misses Patricia Norton and Linda Syett; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peaslee were chairman for the ball.

Although the carnival ball is the social climax of the Winter Carnival, watched by the snowy figure of "Pierre the Bear" from City Hall Park, the Berkshire interscholastic ski meet continues in the State Forest today, and on Sunday there will be the ice fishing derby on Pontoosuc Lake and the city sled racing in Clapp Playground.

2-11-61

Mitchell

WINTER CARNIVAL QUEEN, Miss Kathleen Nicholas, is flanked by her court at the annual ball at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel last night. Standing from left to right are Arleen O'Donnell, Maureen Healy, Brenda Hoar, Shirley Wellspeak, Paula Sangiovanni, 1960 queen Kathleen Marby, Alice Ward, Lynda Syrett, top button seller last year, Shirley Valenti, Carmen Lemone and Nina Ballardini. Story on Page 1, Section 2.

Kathleen Nicholas Chosen Queen of Winter Carnival

2-11-61

Mitchell

1961 Winter Carnival Queen Kathleen Nicholas

Miss Kathleen Nicholas, 18-year-old daughter of Donald E. Nicholas of 1608 West Housatonic St., was crowned queen of the 1961 winter carnival at the 16th annual ball last night the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel. About 250 attended the ball.

The new queen was crowned by Miss Kathleen M. Marby, last year's queen.

Judges were Miss Elizabeth Shine of Boston, district executive secretary of the National Recreation Association; Andrew Flagg, professor of art and dean of North Adams State College; and Mrs. Grace U. Meyers, dean of women and teacher of speech and dramatics at Berkshire Community College.

Candidates were judged on the basis of appearance, poise, elocution, knowledge of the winter carnival and personality.

A Blonde

Miss Nicholas, who is an ash blonde with hazel eyes, is five feet three inches tall. She wore a floor-length white taffeta gown with shoestring shoulder straps and red satin cummerbund with streamers down the back. She was escorted by William Guzzy.

A Pittsfield High School graduate, she is employed in the display department of England Brothers. At school she was a member of the Girls' Athletic Association and a senior class councilor. She is publicity manager of DECA Club.

Named lady-in-waiting to the new queen was Miss Alice M. Ward of Lanesboro, who sold the largest number of buttons. Miss Nina A. Ballardini was the second largest button seller. The girls sold more than 12,000 buttons, and the proceeds go to the Park Department for winter carnival activities. Miss Ward received a stereo hi-fi phonograph.

Miss Carmen S. Lemone, who sold the largest number of carnival ball tickets, was given a transistor radio.

To Divide Prizes

Between $500 and $600 will be divided among the 10 contestants. Gifts of clothing and gift certificates were presented to Miss Nicholas.

Martin Schechter was master of ceremonies at the ball. Miss Patricia Norton, 1959 queen, was among the guests. The Pittsfield Hi-Fi Club gave a live broadcast of the crowning ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Peaslee were chairmen of the ball, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman St. Peter were in charge of decorations. The stage was transformed into a North Pole scene with styrofoam igloo and a background of northern lights. Bruce Symanowicz' orchestra played for dancing.

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City Snow-Sculpture Contest Offers Prizes Totaling $60

2/4/61

The annual snow-sculpturing contest will be conducted throughout the city starting today, providing the seemingly ample supply of cold weather holds out.

Any person or informal group is invited by the Pittsfield winter sports committee to participate in the competition, which will close Feb. 11.

The only requirements are that entrants live within the city limits and notify the Department of Parks and Recreation of their participation by 5 p.m. Friday.

Daniel Minneci, chairman, has divided the competition into two sections: the northern and southern halves of the city, with East and West Streets as the dividing lines.

Six Prizes in All

Judges will view the sculptures on the evening of Feb. 10 and the morning of Feb. 11. Prizes of $15, $10 and $5 will be awarded in each half of the city, Mr. Minneci said.

A veteran snow sculptor in his own right, Mr. Minneci played a major role when his family won first prize several years ago with their giant reproduction of the Lincoln Memorial.

His suggestions for sculptures include a space ship, an animal, a famous person or a cartoon character.

Mr. Minneci has also provided a list of tips for would-be artists:

Complete the sculpture just a day or two before the judging, so the snow won't have a chance to melt.

On Shady Side

Build the figure on the shady side of a building, if possible, placing detailed features away from the sun.

Use any amount of snow, ice and hidden wood supports to support the sculpture, and try to make at least one part of it as much as four feet high or more.

Use lights to enhance the figure's appearance, and avoid using dirty snow. Mix the snow with water and let it freeze to increase its strength.

Plouffe

'PIERRE THE BEAR,' symbol of the annual winter carnival, has been completed in Park Square by GE ordnance department volunteers.

2/10/61

Polar Bear Almost There In Park Square

Pierre the Bear, symbol of the 16th annual winter carnival, is gradually emerging on Park Square under the direction of Daniel Minneci.

The polar bear will perch atop an iceberg and is scheduled for completion sometime tomorrow night.

The Department of Parks and Recreation has dumped extra snow in the park, and a basic frame is being constructed for the snow sculpture.

Carnival events for the coming weekend will include the ball at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel Friday, when a new queen will be crowned; the city ski meet and square-dance festival Saturday night; and the ice-fishing derby and city sled races on Sunday.

4—Winter Carnival square dance, Jewish Community Center, Pittsfield, 8:30 p.m.

In Brief . . .

2/4/61

Those who are fed up with sub-zero temperatures will welcome the news that the Park Department's annual snow sculpture contest is getting under way. Traditionally this event is the signal for the biggest thaw of the winter, usually with a rainstorm thrown in for good measure . . . The case of the ailing old man who was found near death in a freezing Pittsfield apartment Wednesday is a disturbing story indeed. There would doubtless be a good deal more of this sort of neglect if it were not for an efficient and alert municipal Welfare Department . . .

City Rewards Sculptors In Snow

2-11-61

Winners in the annual city snow sculpture contest were named last night. The contest is a part of the winter carnival sponsored by the winter sports committee of the Park and Recreation Department.

Michael Kinnas and family of 8 Mohegan St. took first prize, $15, for the northern section of the city with a portrayal of a moon rocket and spacemen.

William J. Nickum and his family of 486 South St. were winners in the southern part of the city. Their entry was titled "Humpty Dumpty."

Second place, $10, in the northern section went to Mike Meyer of 20 Edgewood Road who sculpted Abe Lincoln; and third place winner, $5, was awarded to Ricky and Mike Shea, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Shea of 28 Montgomery Ave., who made a dog.

Richard and Allen Amazon, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Irving J. Amazon of 56 Velma Ave., won second prize for the southern section with a sports car, and Paula Grenier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Grenier of 25 Cole Ave., was third with a sculpture of an ostrich.

Judges were Robert A. Hogue, Paul Whiting and David Whiting. Dan J. Minneci was chairman of the contest.

Peaslee Heads Committee on Winter Sports

3/2/61

The winter sports committee of the Pittsfield Department of Parks and Recreation elected Carl E. Peaslee chairman at a meeting of the group last night. He succeeds William A. Litty.

William P. Drummond was re-elected vice chairman, and Miss Carol Burns, secretary. The slate of officers was presented by a nominating committee composed of Wiliam Plouffe, Max Sauter, Mrs. Mary Smith and Miss Jean Loveland.

The annual banquet of the committee is planned for March 13 at Eastover, Lenox.

A report on expenditures to date on the winter carnival events totaled $1,485. The major expenses were: Berkshire Hills speed skating meet, $729; Berkshire interscholastic ski meet, $250; city ski meet, $115 and the carnival ball, $165.

Money to defray expenses is raised through the sports equipment sale and the carnival button sale.

Sports Committee To Close Season At Banquet Monday

3-8-61

The Pittsfield winter sports committee will officially close its winter carnival season Monday with a banquet at Eastover in Lenox.

The buffet dinner at 7 p.m. will follow a social hour. Brief reports on the year's activities will be given by William S. Litty, general chairman; Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation; and William P. Drummond, treasurer.

Swimming, a showing of color slides and dancing are also on the program. Mr. and Mrs. Drummond are in charge of arrangements.

Pittsfield's Collin Garstang Outstanding in Interscholastic Ski Meet

Sophomore Wins One Race, Finishes 2nd in Another

Pittsfield High Leading After First Day Of Annual Competition; Hotchkiss Trails By Six Points; Downhill, Jumping Today

By LEE GOERLACH

Dick Miles of Hotchkiss School with a time of 58.8 seconds, won the slalom on the opening day of the Berkshire interscholastic ski meet at the Pittsfield State Forest yesterday afternoon, bringing his team into first place in the slalom and from fourth to second place in the meet.

Pittsfield High continued to lead the field of 11 teams. Fourteen-year-old sophomore Collin Garstang starred for Pittsfield. Aside from winning the cross country competition in 19:26, he tied for second place in the slalom, only two seconds behind Miles.

"Lucky Day"

Anthony Plansky of Bennington Catholic School, and Garstang covered the course in 60.8 seconds. W. Burling of Kingswood School came in third in 62.4 seconds.

"I guess this was my lucky day," Garstang told his parents, Jim and Gert Garstang, at the close of the competition. "I hope I'm as lucky tomorrow."

He was so exhausted at the end of the four-mile cross country run that he collapsed over the finish line.

Lenox School, which had placed second in the cross country run in the morning, dropped to seventh

Collin Garstang
His lucky day

place in the slalom and as a result to fourth place in team standings.

The slalom course was difficult to negotiate all day, being slow and heavy for the early afternoon run and icy and fast as the sun went down. Eleven skiers were disqualified for missing gates. There were a number of bad spills and several competitors finished on one ski after coming out of their release bindings when they fell.

Two Westfield girls, Linda Allen and Elaine Redpath, competed against the boys in the slalom. They were the only female competitors. Both girls fell and Miss Redpath was disqualified for missing a gate. Miss Allen placed 31st in the field of 48 contestants despite her fall.

Coach Rudy Benedetti's Pittsfield High team, despite its win was handicapped by the loss of two men expected to figure heavily Ted Bonnivier and Tom Varanka were eliminated because of poor scholastic standings.

Benedetti said his team started winning the cross country early in October when the boys started playing soccer for training. They played three times a week and gradually increased the schedule until they were playing five times a week.

Pittsfield finished the day with 176.082 points; Hotchkiss, 170.923; Eaglebrook, 156.446; Lenox, 139.114; Drury, 125.935; Pittsfield B team, 95.390; Kingswood, 84.658; Westfield, 62.034; West Springfield, 37.743; Bennington Catholic, 24.959; and Barrington School, 15.873. The last five teams did not enter the cross country event.

The meet will resume this morning with downhill competition on the Shadow Trail at 10. The jumping will begin at 1:30 at the State Forest jump.

Yesterday's results:

CROSS COUNTRY

		Time
1	Garstang, Pittsfield	19:26
2	Greb, Pittsfield	20:43
3	Oakman, Lenox	20:54
4	Polidoro, Pittsfield	21:44
5	Abell, Pittsfield	21:59
6	Skogsberg, Pittsfield	22:14
7	Hart, Lenox	22:42
8	D. Whitney, Drury	22:45
9	Brownlee, Lenox	22:55
10	Harris, Hotchkiss	23:27
11	Mitnik, Lenox	23:10
12	J. Whitney, Drury	23:47
13	Judson, Hotchkiss	23:59
14	Anderson, Eaglebrook	24:10
15	Manson, Drury	24:11
16	Miles, Hotchkiss	24:16
17	Lynch, Eaglebrook	24:38
18	Beautyman, Eaglebrook	24:54
19	Ransford, Pittsfield B	25:13
20	Snyder, Eaglebrook	25:43
21	Ferguson, Pittsfield B	26:20
22	Gulick, Lenox	27:49
23	Stone, Hotchkiss	27:52
24	Lathrop, Pittsfield B	28:01
25	Miller, Hotchkiss	29:47
26	Corrs, Eaglebrook	30:18
27	Coplin, Pittsfield B	31:15
28	Steele, Drury	35:36

SLALOM

		Time
1	Miles, Hotchkiss	58.8
2	C. Garstang, Pittsfield	60.8
2	Plansky, Bennington Catholic	60.8
4	Burling, Kingswood	62.4
5	Oakman, Lenox	62.6
6	Larkin, Kingswood	69.0
7	Allen, Westfield	69.4
7	Smith, Eaglebrook	69.4
9	Reynolds, Hotchkiss	70.6
10	Judson, Hotchkiss	71.4
11	Harrington, Pittsfield	74.4
12	Harris, Hotchkiss	75.8
13	Butler, Kingswood	76.0
14	Wyman, Westfield	76.4
15	Beautyman, Eaglebrook	77.6
16	Neidlinger, Kingswood	79.4
17	Skogsberg, Pittsfield	83.8
18	Gombar, West Springfie'	84:2
19	Wilde, Kingswood	85.8
20	Walcott, Eaglebrook	89.0
21	Hart, Lenox	89.6
22	Skinkwin, West Springfield	92.6
23	Foss, Pittsfield	94.8
24	Bailey, Barrington School	95.6
25	Coors, Eaglebrook	95.8
26	Williams, Drury	98.2
27	Whitney, Drury	98.4
28	Rice, Hotchkiss	99.8
29	Lathrop, Pittsfield B	100.4
30	Smith, Westfield	112.2
31	Allen, Westfield	133.4
32	Brownlee, Lenox	136.4
33	Polidoro, Pittsfield	136.8
34	Steele, Drury	142.8
35	Whitney, Drury	142.8
36	Wiseman, West Springfield	150.8
37	Opperman, Pittsfield B	193.0

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Garstang Gives PHS Big Lead In Interscholastic Ski Meet

2/10/61

Sophomore Collin Garstang gave Pittsfield High a big early lead in the Berkshire interscholastic ski meet as he won the cross-country run this morning at Pittsfield State Forest. Garstang's time of 19 minutes and 26 seconds for the four-mile course was more than a minute better than that of runner-up Bradford Greb, also of Pittsfield High. Greb finished in 20.43.

Pittsfield had five of the first six places. Its team total was 98.708. Lenox School was second with 91.794. Six teams competed. Saranac Lake (N.Y.) High didn't return to defend the title it won with ease a year ago.

Eaglebrook School of Deerfield was third with 83.264, Hotchkiss School of Lakeville, Conn., fourth with 83.143, Drury High of North Adams fifth with 75.728, and the Pittsfield High B team sixth with 74.702.

Slalom This Afternoon

The meet will continue with the slalom this afternoon. The downhill is scheduled for tomorrow morning, with the jumping concluding the competition in the afternoon.

Chris Oakman of Lenox School was third in 20.54, Jack Polidoro of Pittsfield fourth with 21.44, Peter Abell of Pittsfield fifth with 21.59, Alan Skogsberg of Pittsfield sixth with 22.14, and Paul Hart of Lenox School seventh with 22.42.

Trail

2/18/61

By Lee

EIGHT YEARS, not 10, have elapsed since Pittsfield High last won the Berkshire interscholastic ski meet. While searching our files for the name of Pittsfield's 1951 skimeister, I discovered the mistake that was made in Monday's account of this year's competition.

There was no skimeister in 1951, and no meet. The rains came, and washed out the interscholastics. The committee working on the nationals planned for Mount Greylock's Thunderbolt trail that same year, was forced to transfer the event to Stowe, Vt.

Bill Smith starred for Pittsfield when it won both the '52 and '53 interscholastics. In '48 and '49, Verne Goodwin led Pittsfield to victory. At that time, they had been champions for seven years in a row. In 1950, Middlebury (Vt.) High nosed out Pittsfield by slightly more than half a per cent.

Collin Garstang, modest, unassuming 1961 skimeister, gives credit for his win to his two coaches, Rudy Benedetti of Pittsfield High and John Howe of the Mount Greylock Ski Club.

Howe has given up his own racing career to devote time to the ski club racing team. Howe started training the boys Sundays back in September. They started out by hiking up Greylock to see who could make the top first.

Benedetti started a rugged practice program in early October.

Collin's mother was "scared to death," she said when her son fell over the finish line of the cross country, so exhausted he had to be picked up. Benedetti assured her that he was all right. "That only shows that he gave everything he had in the race," he said.

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WORKERS ARE needed to run a ski meet. The same faithful Mount Greylock Ski Club group who have been running the event so efficiently for years, were back at their posts again Friday and Saturday. However, they had some recruits.

Chief among them was Mark Selkowitz, who did everything from laying out the slalom and downhill courses to packing. An experienced racer himself, Selkowitz won the skimeister trophy while leading Lenox School to victory in the same event in 1955.

Packing was a major task. The untracked snow was hip-deep in most places.

A group of Pittsfield High girl skiers, working with Blanche Gutmann, helped pack, set up slalom poles, tied flags and watched gates in the slalom.

The feminine workers were Rosemary Belland, Judy Lanfair, Donna Wilkinson, Ann Spagnola, Maureen Carmell, Elaine Badger and Bonnie Zink.

The Gutmanns, Win, Blanche and Win Jr., arose Friday at 5 a.m., to go to the State Forest and lay out the cross-country route. Ribbons are tied to trees along the way to mark the course. Win Sr. said he has been an official at the event for 16 years, and has yet to see a race. He's usually working at the starting line.

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25 Years Ago 2/16/61

The 21 men transferred to the WPA sewing project when the cannery closed were transferred to outside work. Some of the men claimed they were not physically fit for outside work and were fully capable of doing sewing work once they learned it.

C. Lawson Reed, Hotchkiss sophomore with five seasons' skiing in Switzerland behind him, won easily both the downhill and slalom races in the senior division of the second annual interscholastic ski meet sponsored by the Mount Greylock Ski Club at Bousquet's.

Local Skiers Eliminated In USESA Meet

2/27/61 WS

The three Pittsfield boys who were invited to participate in the United States Eastern Ski Assc. junior alpine championships at Franconia, N.H., this weekend, did not fare too well.

In a field of 83 of the East's top young racers, Collin Garstang placed 59th in the downhill; Walter Dickie 65th and Ted Bonnivier 70th. Their times were 55.4, 59.1, and 63.8, respectively. Ni Orsi of Northwood won the event in 46.1 seconds.

Only the top half of the field were allowed a second run on the slalom. All three local boys missed the last gate and had to go back and were eliminated in the first run.

Bonnivier's time was 64.1; Garstang, 78.2; and Dickie, 107.4.

The winner was Skip Bryan of Mt. Mansfield with runs of 41.2 and 32.6 seconds.

The Giant slalom was called off because of lack of snow and it was raining.

The winter sports committee of the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department helped finance the trip.

SKATING on the Common, a group of young girls join hands and will skate along together until one falls. Ideal conditions recently have brought out large crowds to the seven skating areas which the Park Department floods for free public skating.

1/7/61

FLOP by skier on the hill at Springside Park is observed with amusement by a boy with sled.

Adult Ski Classes Open Tomorrow

1/3/61

The Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department adult ski classes as Bousquet's, which begin tomorrow night, already have 50 entries. Additional registrations may be made at the area at 7 p.m. tomorrow, John Marchesi, Park Department supervisor, has announced.

The Friday night classes, which also start at 7, have 70 registrants, Mr. Marchesi said.

Court McDermott, head of Bousquet's ski school, who will supervise the classes, said it was most important that everyone attend the first session.

OSCEOLA PLAYGROUND. One-quarter mile west of Pittsfield center, off Route 20 on Osceola Street. **One downhill run for children and adult beginners. Free rope tow runs weekdays 6:30 to 9 under lights, Saturdays and holidays 10 to 12, 1 to 5 and 6:30 to 9, and Sundays 1 to 5 and 6:30 to 9.**

CLAPP PARK. **Fifty-yard slope for children only. Free rope tow operates weekdays 3:30 to 5; Saturdays and holidays 10 to 12 and 1 to 5, and Sundays 1 to 5.**

SPRINGSIDE PARK. **Fifty-yard slope for children only, no tow. Open weekdays 3:30 to 5; Saturdays and holidays 10 to 12 and 1 to 5, and Sundays 1 to 5. Free.**

For Once, the January Thaw Has Arrived in January

1/6/61

An extraordinary thing, weatherwise, is happening in the Berkshires today. For the first time in some years, the proverbial January thaw, which usually occurs in February, is actually taking place in January.

According to weatherman George J. Bulgarelli, the warm spell will be here for the next five days, with the temperature staying about 10 degrees above the seasonal norm of 22 degrees, and he predicted that the greatest part of the nine inches of snow cover now on the ground will be lost in the next few days.

Lost Eight Inches

Last year's thaw, which ended Feb. 12, melted eight inches of snow cover in three days, he said, with a high temperature of 55 degrees registered.

Melting will occur to some degree this afternoon, with the temperature rising into the 40s. There will be some slowdown when the thermometer dips to 28 degrees tonight, but tomorrow will see 45-to 50-degree temperatures, and Sunday will remain warm, with about 50 degrees predicted.

On Monday, there is the possibility of additional precipitation, probably in the form of rain. But for those who deplore the loss of snow, there will be a definite return to winter weather by the end of next week.

Good Skiing

Good to excellent skiing is reported today by both Bousquet's and Jiminy Peak. Bousquet's has 18 to 24 inches of base on Russell, East and beginners' slopes, and 8 to 12 inches of base on the rest of the area, with 1 to 3 inches of packed powder. Skiing is termed good to excellent on the lower slopes, and good on the upper. Bousquet's will be open for night skiing tonight from 7:30 to 10:30. Jiminy Peak reported a 10- to 16-inch base.

A report from Mt. Bromley, Vt., this morning terms skiing good to excellent, with all seven lifts, including the chairlift, in operation.

PHS Girl Skiers Will Compete At Blandford

2/14/60

Five girls from the Pittsfield High School group who have been coached for the past few weeks by Mrs. Winthrop P. Gutmann, will compete Sunday for the first time.

The winter sports committee of the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department voted last night to sponsor Judy Lanfair, Helen Knickerbocker, Elaine Badger, Ann Spagnola and Bonnie Zink, in the giant slalom Sunday at the Springfield Ski Club slope in Blandford.

The committee also voted to purchase 100 bamboo slalom poles to be used in local meets.

Student Skiers Race Friday At Bousquet's

2/21/61

Races for the boys and girls who took lessons in the Pittsfield Park Department sponsored classes at Bousquet's will be held Friday afternoon at 3:30 at Bousquet's.

Only members of this year's classes are eligible. Competitors will be divided into five age groups and awards will be given to first, second and third place winners in each group.

Advance registration will not be necessary as the master list of those who were in the classes will be used for checking entries. Competitors should report directly to the ski school area.

The event is being sponsored by the Park Department and Bousquet's ski school. Court McDermott, director of the ski school, will be in charge of the event, assisted by John C. Marchesi of the Park Department.

Mt. Greylock Women Skiers Senior Winners

2/20/61

Six-Member Team 1st in Blandford Ski Championships

The Mount Greylock women's team won the senior event at the Western Massachusetts Ski Council races at Blandford yesterday. There were seven clubs in the competition.

The six-member women's team included Miss Maureen Carmel and Donna Wilkinson of Pittsfield High School, Mrs. John Howe, Mrs. John O'Brien, Mrs. James Garstang and Mrs. Robert Murdock. The senior division was for those 17 years and older.

In the 16-year-old-and-under division of junior girls, the Mount Greylock Ski Club group placed second. They were Jackie Faustine, Sue Carmel, Lisa Gregory, Sally Allison, Pamela Unwin and Sally-Jo Brady.

High school girls sponsored by winter sports committee took place.

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Registration Set Wednesday For Skiers

The second in the series of children's ski instruction at Bousquet's, sponsored by the Pittsfield Department of Parks and Recreation, will be for advanced skiers only.

Registration will be taken by Court McDermott, director of Bousquet's ski school, at the park department office, 874 North St., Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 5.

There will be no other registration, and the class will be limited to 100 children. A registration fee of 50 cents for the series of five lessons must be paid at the time of registration.

The first class will be 9 a.m., Jan. 28. Children who have taken the beginners' series this year are ineligible. Telephone registrations will not be accepted.

Ski Classes To Conclude

3/10/61

The ski classes at Bousquet's, sponsored by the Pittsfield Department of Parks and recreation with the cooperation of Bousquet's Ski School, will terminate this week.

The last of a series of eight adult lessons will end tonight, and the series of five children's classes will close tomorrow morning, John Marchesi, recreation supervisor of the Park Department, has announced.

Ski Meet Tomorrow

3/13/61

The twice postponed ski meet for youngsters who took the Pittsfield Park Department sponsored lessons in Bousquet's ski school this year, is scheduled for 3:30 p.m., tomorrow, John Marchesi, supervisor of athletics, has announced.

The postponements were because of rain and warm weather.

Miss Faustine Wins Class A Park Ski Meet

3/15/61

Jackie Faustine won the Class A event yesterday in the annual ski meet for members of the Park Department-sponsored classes at Bousquet's. Linda Keene and Darlene Shaver tied for second, and Pat Johnston was fourth.

Robert Rusk was first in Class B; Carol Selin second and Charles Cogbill, third. In Class C, Chris Lynch was first; Nicholas Crane, second; and Anthony Massimiano, third. David Stetson took the top spot in Class D; David Rusk was second and Susan Allison, third. In Class D, Larry Utzig won; William Ketchum was second and Michael Brian, third.

Officials were Court McDermott, Anthony Ross, Gordon Crane, Barry Hollister, Eugene Mitchell, Mrs. A. G. Massimiano and John Marchesi.

There were 51 participants.

Skiing on Greylock

3/14/61

They were skiing on Mt Greylock Sunday while midsummer-like heat saw several hundred people swimming in the local lakes.

Court McDermott, head of Bousquet's ski school with Tom Hamilton, Bob Gurek and Jimmy Hollister, found snow two feet deep near the Bellows Pipe trail in an area large enough to make several turns.

SLIDING on the elm-topped hill at Springside Park is a pleasant sport for children on these winter days in the Berkshires. The sliding has been real good, too.

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Parks Dept. To Be Asked To Supervise Warner Loop

The Parks and Recreation Department will be asked to supervise the Pop Warner Football League, the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club voted at its annual dinner meeting last night at the Berkshire Restaurant.

The league has been sponsored by the club for six years. It provides tackle football for boys through 13 years of age. Approximately 120 participate each fall.

A club spokesman said assistance will be requested because the league has been too great a burden for the five men who have been engaged in administering its affairs.

The Parks Department assists the Babe Ruth and Little Baseball Leagues.

Treasury of $1,707

The Warner League has a balance of $1,707.57 in its treasury, it was reported. It owns an estimated $3,000 worth of equipment.

Robert J. Nesbit, who was elected president of the club, appointed John Quinlan, Clement M. Farrell and Louis (Moose) Decensi as members of a committee to meet with the Parks Department. Quinlan is commissioner of the Warner League. Farrell and Decensi formerly held the post.

Other officers chosen were vice president, Dr. Thomas M. Norton; secretary, Dr. Thomas Sullivan; treasurer, Francis M. Callanan; historian, W. A. Irvine Root. Callanan and Root were re-elected. Dr. Norton was secretary of the club last year.

Thirty attended the meeting.

Nesbit succeeds John K. French. He is 50 years old. Nesbit is president of the Five Brothers Oil Co. A former St. Joseph's High football player, he is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame. He is married to the former Rita Smith. They have two children. The family residence is 34 Elmview Terrace.

4/10/61

Class A Slate Announced For Next Fall

The Western Massachusetts Class A. Football League schedule will open next fall on Saturday, Sept. 23. Williamstown High plays the new Wahconah Regional team in Dalton and Drury meets Westfield High in Westfield in exhibition games Sept. 16.

The league season will close Veterans' Day, Nov. 11. An exhibition game between Northampton and Holyoke High will take place Nov. 18.

The slate is as follows:

Sept.
16 Williamstown at Wahconah
Drury at Westfield
23 Trade at Pittsfield
Holyoke Catholic at Drury
Adams at Wahconah
Northampton at St. Joseph's
29 Drury at St. Joseph's (night)
30 Pittsfield at Holyoke Catholic
Wahconah, open

Oct.
6 Wahconah at Holyoke Catholic (night)
7 Northampton at Drury
St. Joseph's at Adams
Pittsfield, open
14 St. Joseph's at Wahconah
Holyoke Catholic at Northampton
Pittsfield at Drury
Adams at Turners Falls
21 Pittsfield at Holyoke Catholic
Lee at St. Joseph's
Northampton at Adams
Drury at Wahconah
28 Classical at Holyoke Catholic
Wahconah at Northampton
Turners Falls at Drury
Adams at Pittsfield

Nov.
3 Holyoke Catholic at St. Joseph's (night)
4 Wahconah at Pittsfield
Northampton at Turners Falls
Drury at Adams
11 Pittsfield at St. Joseph's
Greenfield at Northampton
Holyoke Catholic at Holyoke
Lee at Wahconah
18 Holyoke at Northampton

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Park Department Will Help, Not Run Pop Warner League

A petition from the Pop Warner Football League officials asking for Park Department operation of the league next year, was denied last night by the Park Commission. But the commission did ask Vincent J. Hebert, Parks and Recreation Department superintendent, to appoint a staff member to work closely with the league all year. The commission wants a clearer picture of the league to see if the department can handle the program next year.

Mr. Hebert reported to the commission that the Pontoosuc waiting station had been removed, as requested by the City Council. He said that the Berkshire Street Railway had made a survey of the stop for one week, finding few people using the facility. If the need arises in the future, said Mr. Hebert, a smaller station will be constructed.

The commission deferred action on a property sale offer referred to it by the Conservation Commission. The conservation group had received a letter offering land adjacent to the Onota Lake Causeway for $10,000. The offer suggested that the land be used for park and recreational purposes. The commission decided to wait until a joint meeting could be arranged with the Conservation Commission.

Orioles, Bears, Bobcats Win In Baseball

7/25

The Orioles defeated the Robins 8-1 in a Park Department Midget Baseball League game yesterday behind the two-hit pitching of Don White. Dale Phelps and Mike Toner each had a double for the winners.

A fifth-inning single by the Bisons Bob Green with two outs robbed Terry Caden of a shutout but the Bears won 8-1 in a Flea League game yesterday. Caden had a three-hitter for his efforts.

In the final Flea League game yesterday, the Bobcats came from behind to top the Wolverines 14-8. Bob Hisert and Pete Joyce stood out at the plate with a home run apiece.

The scores:

ORIOLES	003	5x—8
ROBINS	000	01—1
BEARS	000	8x—8
BISONS	000	01—1
BOBCATS		059—14
WOLVERINES		710— 8

Jim Levardi Throws No-Hit Game for Rams

7/10

Jim Levardi pitched a no-hit game and hit a home run, triple and single as his Rams downed the Wolverines 6-1 yesterday morning in a Park Department National Flea League baseball game on the Common. Levardi struck out 13 and walked seven. The Wolverines' run came in the first inning.

Gary Chesnut also hit a home run for the Rams.

In an American division contest the Bears and Buffaloes played a 6-6 tie in a battle for first place. Kevin Harrington, Marsh Eagen, and Mike McAvoy hit well for the Bears. Tim Isabel, Bob McDonald and Terry Caden were outstanding for the Bears.

The line scores:

Bears	002	040—6
Buffaloes	005	010—6
Rams	311	1 —6
Wolverines	100	00—1

Panthers, Huskies Victorious

7/5/61

The Panthers and the Huskies were victorious in the Park Department Flea Baseball League Monday morning on the Common in American and National division openers. The Panthers downed the Bisons 4-2 in the American division and the Huskies beat the Bobcats 7-5 in the National division.

Panther pitcher Glenn Russo hurled a two hitter and fanned 13. Don Troy had two triples and a double for the winners. Bob Breen and Dave Santolin played well for the Bisons.

Leo Rando saved the game for the Huskies with a fine catch in right field. Al Pincus was outstanding for the winners. Pete Joyce homered for the Bobcat.

Wrens Win 5-4 In Midget Play

The Wrens, behind Tom Reid's six-hit effort, defeated the Eagles 5-4 in a Midget Baseball League game played yesterday on the Common.

John Shutts had two hits to lead the winners. Tom Fleming, Dave White and Ken Fowler each had two hits for the losers.

The line score:

Wrens	200	002 1—5
Eagles	010	201 0—4

Harrington Has No-Hitter In Flea Loop

8/8/61

Kevin Harrington pitched a no-hit, no-run game for the Buffaloes yesterday as they beat the Tigers 3-0 in a Flea Baseball League game on the Common.

Harrington walked six and struck out 12.

Mike McAvoy, with two hits, and Bob McDonough and Marsh Eagan, with one apiece, led the Buffaloes at the plate.

Bob Morris was the losing pitcher.

The line score:

Buffaloes	003	0 —3

Dan Reed Pitches Win for Falcons

7/19

Dan Reed pitched the Falcons to a 4-2 victory over the Robins yesterday morning in a Park Department Midget League baseball game on the Common. He also had a single and double. Dale Phelps drove in two runs for the winners.

Reed baffled all the Robin hitters except his twin brother, Tom, and Neil Codding. The two batters had all the losers' hits.

Buffaloes, Rams Triumph In Flea Loop

7/13

The Buffaloes went into a first place tie in the American Flea Baseball League yesterday morning on the Common on a 7-2 victory over the Bisons. The Buffaloes scored six runs in the first inning.

Marshall Eagan had a single and double and John Izzo had a triple for the winners. Bob Morris pitched well in relief for the Bisons and had two hits.

In a National League contest the Rams walloped the Bobcats 21-4. Ricky Gonzales starred for the Rams with two home runs and two singles. Dave Sheran and Larry Rice had three hits apiece for the victors. Pat Metallo played well for the Bobcats.

The line scores:

Buffaloes	601	0 —7
Bisons	002	00—2
Rams	554	7—21
Bobcats	400	0— 4

Wrens Beat Hawks In Midget League

The Wrens walloped the Hawks 10-4 behind the five-hit pitching of Ed Murray yesterday morning in the Midget Baseball League on the Common. Tom and Dan Reed paced the Wrens with two hits apiece. Fred Dallava had a double and single for the Hawks.

The line score:

Wrens	343	0—10
Hawks	031	0— 4

Hawks, Robins Tie in Opener

7/5/61

The Hawks and Robins played to a 4-4 tie Monday morning on the Common in the Park Department Midget Baseball League opener. Fred Delleva of the Hawks and Tom Cowlin of the Robins performed ably on the mound.

Delleva hit a triple. Mike McKeever had two hits for the Robins.

Buffaloes, Rams Are Victorious In Flea League

Mike McAvoy pitched a two-hitter and struck out 15 as the Buffaloes shut out the Tigers 3-0 yesterday morning in a Park Department American division Flea Baseball League game on the Common. Steve Bartolotta, Kevin Harrington and McAvoy were the top hitters for the winners. Jimmy Plankey got both the Buffalo hits.

In the National division the Rams walloped the Seals 16-5. Garret Chesnut, Larry Rice and Dave Sheran led the Rams' attack. Chesnut was the winning pitcher. Ron Salamone had two hits for the Seals.

The line scores:

Buffaloes	003	00 —3
Rams	053	26—16
Seals	004	01— 5

Beavers, Panthers Win Flea League Baseball Contests

Charley Kirk pitched three-hit ball for the Beavers as they nipped the Huskies 3-2 in a National Flea Baseball League game on the Common yesterday morning. Losing pitcher Al Pincus allowed only four hits.

Tony Stracuzzi hit a two run-homer in the first inning for the Beavers. Pincus had two safeties for the Huskies.

Donnie Troy and Pete Taylor led the Panthers in a 7-5 triumph over the Tigers. Both players had two hits apiece and Tony drove in four runs. Beppi Rigon and Bob Morris starred for the losers. Dave Buck played a good defensive game for the Panthers.

The line score:

Beavers	200	1 —3
Huskies	100	01—2
Panthers	042	1 —7
Tigers	000	14—5

Wrens, Bears, Wolverines Win In Park Baseball

7/7

In yesterday's Park League baseball, the Wrens trounced the Orioles 14-2 in the Midget League, while the Wolverines topped the Bobcats 10-9 and the Bears defeated the Tigers 6-3 in Flea League action.

The Wrens capitalized on a ten-run second inning for their victory, as Ed Murray pitched a four-hitter, striking out ten. Tom Reid slammed two homers and a double. Terry Caden starred for the Bears by pitching a four-hitter and hitting two singles.

Eagles Defeat Robins

7/13

The Eagles scored five runs in the first two innings to beat the Robins 5-4 in a Park Department Midget League baseball game yesterday morning on the Common. Mike Scipione pitched a three-hitter and fanned 10 for the Eagles.

Armand Borden had three hits, Tommy Finn two for the winners. Tommy Cowlin had two of the Robins' three hits.

Eagles	230	000—5
Robins	000	301—4

John Shutts Stars In Falcons' Win

7/14

John Shutts pitched and batted the Falcons to an 8-5 victory over the Hawks yesterday morning in the Park Department Midget Baseball League on the Common. Shutts went all the way on the mound and had a double and single and 4 RBIs. Mike Wowk hit a three-run homer for the Hawks.

The line score:

Falcons	134	00—8
Hawks	130	10—5

Bobcats, Bisons Triumph in Flea League Contests

7/11

The Bobcats edged the Seals 9-8 in a free-swinging National Flea Baseball League game on the Common yesterday morning. Larry Hulland, with two singles, a double and a triple, and Wayne Gariepy, with four singles, starred for the winners.

Tom Garvey belted a home run and Steve Proper had two triples, a double and a single for the Seals.

In the American Flea League the

Flea, Midget Registrations Tomorrow at 10 on Commo

6/2/61

Registration for the Flea and Midget Baseball leagues, sponsored and supervised by the Parks and Recreation Department, will take place on the Common tomorrow morning from 10 to noon. The league is starting its ninth season. The primary aim is to give instructions to all boys who want to play ball between the ages of 7 and 12 for the Flea and 13 and 15 for the Midget. No member of a Little League team or a Babe Ruth team will be eligible.

All practices and games will be on the Common. Practices will be on Saturdays, June 10, 17, 24 at 10:00 a.m. Following the last drill the boys will be assigned to teams. The league will open Monday June 26, at 10 on the Common. Every boy that registers and attends practices will be placed on a team.

Neighborhood Teams

In assigning players to teams, boys who come from the same area will be placed on the same team as nearly as possible. The reason is to try to keep the neighborhood spirit alive and to permit the boys to come to the Common in a group.

A league rule is that all games end at noon so that the boys may arrive home at mealtime. A regulation game in the Flea and Midget leagues is seven innings when played within the two-hour time limit.

Any boy unable to register tomorrow may register at any of the practices listed.

A total of 360 boys took part in the league last year. The Flea League is divided into two divisions, the American and National, with the 7-to 9-year-olds in the National and 10-to 12-year-olds in the American.

The Midget League is one division, six teams. Any adult who would like to volunteer to assist in coaching these teams is asked to contact John Marchesi of the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Flea, Midget Baseball Loops List 147 Boys

6/6/61

The Park Department's Flea and Midget baseball leagues, which held registration Saturday on the Common, has 147 boys listed. The leagues will accommodate 360 boys and it is hoped that interested persons will attend the weekly practices on the Common every Saturday morning at 10. Teams will be selected Saturday, June 24. League play will begin that Monday morning at 10.

Persons interested in assisting the league should report to a practice session.

Teams Organized This Week In Flea, Midget Leagues

6/30/61

Teams in the Pittsfield Park Department Flea and Midget baseball leagues were made up this week in preparation for the season, which will start Monday on the Common. About 350 boys are enrolled in the program, which is under Park Department supervision for the seventh year.

The Flea is divided into two divisions. The national league is for boys 9 and 10, and the American is for boys 7 and 8 The Midget League consists of players 11 through 14. All games will be played on the Common in the morning, Monday through Friday. Friday will be reserved for make-up contests.

Team rosters are as follows:

AMERICAN FLEA LEAGUE

BISONS—Dan Reddy, Thomas Villanova, Tom Carmody, Daniel Melle, Mike Ehler, Timothy Hanford, Ted Handerek, Robert Breen, William Flynn, Paul Karam, David Santolin, Paul Massimano, David Meloveck, John Gritman, Charles Randall.

BEARS—Terry Caden, Jim Hermansle, Mike Downy, Stephen Baccola, William Carmel, Timothy Isabel, Mike Benham, Joseph Farrell, Michael Hall, Gary Allen, Chris Wallace, Reno Cimini, Bob MacDonald.

TIGERS—David Jensen, Tim Zwingelstein, James Plankey Terry Miller, Bruce Shutts, Buddy Zanconato, Beppi Rigon, Tony Cimini, Tom Farley, Robert Morris, Mike Mathan, Ron Condon, David Sweener, Ronnie Rubin.

LIONS—John Sheran, Francis Reynolds, John Feeley, Don LeBlanc, Doug Quadrozzi, Bob Moynihan, Robert Morgan Wayne Rivers, Mike Jayco, Dan Hynes, Ellis Sumy, Tom Beuth, Tim Downey, Harold Ochs, Tony Stracuzzi.

PANTHERS—David Buck, John Gritman, Tom Nolan, Jim Philippe, Al Yarmey, Mike McLaughlin, Dick Drennan, Mike Hiser, Don Troy, Ricky Smock, Jim Mazzer, Mike Russell, Glenn Russo, Dale Bock.

BUFFALOS—Steven Meier, Patrick Calantti, Martin Butler, Michael McAvoy, Daniel Weatherwax, Mark Haughey, Kevin Harrington, Robert McDonough, John Izzo, Thomas Cogbill, Duane Cowan, Stephen Bartolotta, Leo Randall.

NATIONAL FLEA LEAGUE

BOBCATS—Paul Wanamaker, Wayne Gariepy, Bill Ryan, James Cassidy, James Canino, Alfred Cimini, David Dalook, Ken Hydinger, Tom Gentile, Gary Crocker, Jeffrey Hodges, John Foster, Dennis O'Brien, Allen Lievergren, Donald Campagna, Frank McHugh, Larry Huiland, Peter Joyce, Robert Hisert, Anthony Cimini.

WOLVERINES—James Russo, Edward Killela, Richard Russell, Shaun Stack, Philip Weather, Peter Ronkas, Joseph Keen, Paul Phelps, Andy Petkofsy, Kevin Smith, James Shannon, Michael Brown, Robert Stack, Skippy Barbarotta, John Karam, David Harte, Tommy Daniels, Peter Shelsy.

BEAVERS—Terry Bannick, Charles Kirk, Johnny Purcell, Eddie Farr, William Schulz, David Farr, Ronald Salamone, Stanley Walczyk, Tom Sununer, Ron Supranowski, Mike Conti, Dick Buck, John Phieir, Mark Daniels, Allan Belfield, Dave Pappas, Billy Ford, Charles Palano, Paul Atkinson.

SEALS—Al Gaspardi, Mike Gaul, Gary Gentile, David Luzis, Billy Finn, Thomas Garvey, Christopher Gregory, Danny Smith, Eugene Ellsworth, John Warman, Jeff Eller, Charles Terrinka, Richard Bell, David Crea, Stephen Proper, David Condron, James Wood, Jeff Bolza, Michael Jepson.

HUSKIES—Bill Morawski, Dick Hubbard, David Eulian, Gerald Vittone, Kevin Sullivan, Thomas Scanlon, Mark Fleming, Stephen Yarmey, Mark Hanford, Donald Jones, Alan Pincus, Larry Davis, John Goebek, Jim LeVark, Warren Wuinee, Dick Hamel, Howard Hamm.

RAMS—Gerard Downing, Richard Tanner, James Toner, Garrett Chestnut, Aldo Gasnardi, Ricky Gonzales, Larry Snell, Richard Culverwell, Roy Gosselin, Steven Jaffe, Dean Pappas, Richard Meier, Lawrence Rice, Thomas Flynn, Richard Davis, David Sheran, Tom Condron.

MIDGET LEAGUE

EAGLES—Michael Calautti, Robert Lloyd, John Prevguber, Roger Russ, Ronald King, Ben Phillips, Roger Kipp, Armend Borden, Robert Pratt, Gary Salvadori, Michael Scipione, Edward Aherne, John Stessen, Mark Hanford, Thomas Finn, Ken Fowler

HAWKS—David Coulter, Marty Shindle, Dale Phillips, Robert Geller, Michael Crocker, Ronald Koprek, Carl Chilton, David McDarby, Lawrence Reisser, James Leverder, Rodney Hanke, Paul Davis, David O'Brien, Mike Wowk, William Lewis, Fred Delleva.

FALCONS—David Scipione, James Sanginetti, Michael Hogue, Richard Stracuzzi, William Anderson, Dale Phelps, David Russo, Donald Reed, John Shutts, Richard Simpson, Richard Liccardi, Fred Salamone, Stephen Buck, Alan Ligbergren, John Canniano.

WRENS—Thomas Gardener, Charles Bercury, Walter Anderson, Scott Taylor, Daniel Delmolino, Thomas Reid, Charles Beuth, Mario Piralta, William O'Donnell, Fred Williams, Alan Barnaby, Chris Gregory, Edward Murray, Paul Cavallo.

ORIOLES—Larry Lerner, Kenneth Zalenski, Dennis Healy, John McHugh, Gary Sutton, David Kirpatrick, Anthony Da Silva, Richard Sparks, Thomas Callahan, Michael Debson, Michael Toner, Paul Larrow, Michael O'Brien, Leo Gleason, Constant Carifey.

ROBINS—Thomas Salamone, George Island, Harry Klein, Robert Hisert, Richard Crooks, George Marshall, John Callaghan, Francis Burke, Thomas Cowlin, John McKeever, Donald Davis, Frank Martin, Daniel Walczyk, Al O'Neil, William Dassat.

5-9-61

Retarded Children Insurance Plan Is Announced

A new Guardianship Insurance Plan for retarded children has been begun under the sponsorship of the Massachusetts Association for Retarded Children, it was announced today by Courtland L. Rawling, president of the association's Berkshire County branch.

The insurance is designed to provide for the child throughout his life in the event of his parents' death or incapacity.

Information on the plan may be obtained from Mrs. Richard A. Mangum, 18 Bernard Ave.

5-11-61

Rawling Renamed Head of Assn. For Retarded

Courtland L. Rawling was re-elected president of the Berkshire County Association for Retarded Children at a meeting Monday at the Stanley Club.

The association voted to donate $100 to the Red Cross, to help fill its lagging quota, in appreciation for the help the Red Cross gave retarded children in the swimming program.

Also re-elected at the meeting were Edward F. Touhey, vice president; Dr. Alfred Eramo, treasurer, and Mrs. Rawling, corresponding secretary. Mrs. William I. Engle was elected recording secretary.

Renamed to the board of directors as members at large were Mrs. John H. Heather and Mrs. Joseph Russell. Elected to the board were Mrs. Harold Rosenbloom, Donald Durant and Salvatore Ferrante.

Mrs. John Mangum and Mr. Rawling were named delegates to the annual convention of the Massachusetts Association.

Mrs. Richard Mangum, chairman of the group insurance committee, reported that the plan went into effect May 1 and membership will remain open until June 30.

4/7/61

Retarded Children Register June 22, 23

The dates for the registration of retarded children for the summer program on the Highland School playground will be June 22 and 23, not the corresponding dates in July reported yesterday.

Kelly To Head School for Deaf At Crotched Mt.

5/18

Robert E. Kelly

GREENFIELD, N.H. — The appointment of Robert E. Kelly, son of Mrs. Marguerite S. Kelly of 116 Brighton Ave., Pittsfield, Mass., and the late Edward J. Kelly, to the position of principal of the Crotched Mountain School for the Deaf was announced today by Harry A. Gregg, treasurer of the Crotched Mountain Foundation.

The Crotched Mountain School for the Deaf is the first and only school in New Hampshire for the education of the deaf or hard-of-hearing boy or girl. It has been state-approved since its inception in 1955.

Mr. Kelly is currently director of deaf education and hearing therapy at the Wilkinson Speech and Hearing Center in Nashville, Tenn.

A native of New England and a graduate of St. Joseph's High School, Mr. Kelly received his B.S. degree from the State College at North Adams, Mass., in 1953. His M.A. degree was obtained from Teachers College, Columbia University, in 1956, where he majored in education for the deaf.

Professional Diploma

While at Columbia, Mr. Kelly had a year's special training at the Lexington School for the Deaf in New York City. He recieved a professional diploma in deaf education in 1960 from Columbia for advanced study in the field.

His experience includes teaching at the New Mexico School for the Deaf at Sante Fe and the White Plains (N.Y.) School for the Deaf. While at Nashville, he taught courses in audiology at Vanderbilt University.

Mr. Kelly is a member of the American Instructors of the Deaf, Alexander Graham Bell Association, Tennessee Speech and Hearing Association, and Phi Delta Kappa educational fraternity. He has been certified as a teacher of the deaf by the Conference of Executives of American Schools for the Deaf.

Miss Windover Is Betrothed

North Adams Alumna To Wed S. M. Henry, Waterbury Engineer

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Windover of 19 Allengate Ave. today announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Ann, to Sherman M. Henry, of Waterbury, Conn., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lucius Henry of North Adams. The wedding is planned for Sept. 2.

Miss Windover, a 1957 honor graduate of Pittsfield High School, graduated in June from North Adams State College with a bachelor of science degree in education. While at college she was a member of the dormitory council and the student council. Her offices included freshman class treasurer, Christian Association president and dormitory president.

Mr. Henry graduated from Drury High School in 1956 and from the University of Massachusetts with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. He was a member of Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity. He has done graduate work at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. Formerly employed at Sprague Electric Co., Mr. Henry now is a design engineer for Waterbury Farrel, Foundry & Machine Co.

Ann Whittlesey Is Engaged To O. E. Clark

Miss Hall's Graduate Plans Spring Wedding To New Hampshire Man

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Whittlesey III of 380 Holmes Road today announced the engagement of their daughter, Ann Bishop, to Oscar Earl Clark II, of New London, N.H., son of Mrs. Laurence E. Clark of North Haverhill, N.H., and the late Mr. Clark. A spring wedding is planned.

Miss Whittlesey graduated in 1959 from Miss Hall's School and studied for two years in a medical technology program at Colby Junior College. She attended Berkshire Business College this summer and last summer was employed by the Parks and Recreation Department. Miss Whittlesey has taken a position as secretary to Dr. Donald Clarke in New London. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Whittlesey of 24 Ann Drive and Mrs. William E. Crofut of Cleveland.

Mr. Clark, who graduated from North Haverhill High School, is employed by Texaco Oil Co. in New London. He completed basic training in the Navy.

Van Dyke

Miss Ann B. Whittlesey

Local Man Gravely Hurt In Fall

A 34-year-old Pittsfield carpenter is in critical condition at St. Luke's Hospital after falling approximately 40 feet from a girder at the top of the new $50,000 grandstand at Berkshire Downs Racetrack in Hancock late yesterday afternoon.

Cosimo J. Calautti, of 101 Burbank St., father of three children, is being treated for a fractured skull, a possible broken back and internal injuries.

Trooper Richard J. Clemens of the Pittsfield barracks, the investigating officer, said Calautti fell into wooden seats. Officer Malcolm J. Danford of the Pittsfield Police Department brought Mr. Calautti's wife to the hospital at the request of the state police.

Finishing touches are being given to the grandstand, preparatory to the opening of the track Sept. 18, by Campanelli and Cardi of Providence, R.I., by whom Calautti is employed.

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Marsha Ann Gaffey

Miss Gaffey Will Be Bride

U. of M. Graduate To Wed Mr. Desjarlais At St. Joseph's Church

Miss Marsha Ann Gaffey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Gaffey of 37 Burbank St., will be married this morning at 11 to Donald Paul Desjarlais of 35 Dalton Ave., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank U. Desjarlais of Willimansett.

The Rev. John H. McDonnell will perform the ceremony at St. Joseph's Church, and a reception will follow at Breezy Knoll Inn.

Father To Escort

The bride, who will be escorted by her father, will have Miss Jean Perdigao of Plymouth, a sorority sister, as maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Miss Beverly J. Dasha of North Weymouth, also a sorority sister, and Miss Sally Ann Clark, a cousin of the bride.

Richard Desjarlais of Winchester will be his brother's best man. Another brother, Francis Desjarlais of West Springfield, and the bride's brother, James A. Gaffey, will usher.

The bride will wear a satin gown with basque bodice, protrait neckline trimmed with Swedish lace appliques, pearls and sequins; long tapered sleeves and full skirt also trimmed with appliques, pearls and sequins. Her bouffant silk illusion veil will fall from a crown of orange blossoms, seed pearls and crystals. She will carry a cascade of white roses and carnations.

Attendants' Gowns

All attendants will be dressed in turquoise satin gowns and matching petal hats. The honor attendant will carry pink roses and white carnations; the bridesmaids, yellow roses and white carnations.

The couple will be at home at 35 Dalton Ave. on Oct. 1 after a trip to Washington, D.C.

The bride graduated from Pittsfield High School in 1957, and, this year, from the University of Massachusetts, where she was a member of Sigma Kappa sorority. She was a playground leader this summer for the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Mr. Desjarlais, a draftsman at GE, graduated from Chicopee High School, class of 1951, and from the GE drafting apprentice course ing 1956. He served two years in the Army.

INTRODUCING Miss Patricia Marie Dellert, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Dellert, 288 Benedict Road, who recently earned her air-hostess wings with Trans World Airlines. She is based at LaGuardia Airport, New York City.

Local Woman Passes Clerical Examination

Mrs. Agnes M. Sadiakis of 32 Bradford St. passed the extmination held July 14 for principal clerk and stenographer in the Department of Parks and Recreation, according to an announcement today by the Civil Service Commission, which administered the tests. One other woman took the examination.

John Marchesi of the Park Department, who was returning to Pittsfield after a two-week vacation, swung around by Fitchburg yesterday to see the championship contest.

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Delores Watt Is Married

8/8/61

Wheelock Student Weds Willard Yeats, Junior at Brown U.

Announcement was made today of the marriage of Miss Delores Elizabeth Watt, daughter of Mrs. Russell Thomas Watt of 42 Russell Ter. and the late Mr. Watt, to Willard Prodgers Yeats, son of Mrs. Willard C. Yeats of 599 Williams St. and the late Mr. Yeats.

The wedding took place May 13 in Hudson, N.H., where Justice of the Peace John E. Baker officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Barry W. Johnson of New Britain, Conn., attended the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeats now are living at 599 Williams St. and after Sept. 10 will live at 234 Wayland St., Providence, R.I.

The bride, who graduated from Northfield School for Girls, class of 1959, attended Wheelock College, Boston, for two years.

Mr. Yeats, a 1958 graduate of Pittsfield High School, where he was on the varsity swimming team, will be a second semester junior next fall at Brown University, Providence. He is on the Brown varsity swimming team. Mr. Yeats is employed at Berkshire Life Insurance Co. for the summer.

Lawler Joins Ice Follies

Ex-Local Boy Studied Skating Under World's Champion

Thomas L. Lawler Jr., 24, son of Mrs. Marjorie Lawler of 22 Preston Ave., and the late Mr. Lawler, has joined the cast of the Ice Follies in Los Angeles, Calif., and will tour the country with the Shipstead and Johnson Show this fall and winter.

The Follies will be in New Haven, Conn., Dec. 10-17 and in the Boston Garden, Feb. 13-25.

Lawler, a graduate of Cunchard High School in Andover, studied art for two years on a scholarship at Boston Museum School of Arts. He was employed in the advertising department of The Eagle and did advertising and window displays for Holden & Stone before leaving in June for California to try out for the Follies.

A skater since childhood, Lawler began concentrating on figure skating about 10 years ago. He studied under the late women's champion, Maribelle Vinson Owen.

A green and white fiber glass boat owned by James Quirk of 137 Hancock Road was found sunk in the Pontoosuc Lake channel early Saturday by Officer John R. Perrone. The boat was damaged and the 35-horsepower motor had been taken.

Also stolen from Mr. Quirk was a red and white MFG boat with a 25-horsepower motor and a dealer plate, MS 14050.

Eldred Appointed Basketball Coach, Teacher at Whitesboro (N.Y.) High

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Former Lee High Coach Resigned Before First Game

37-Year-Old Providence College Alumnus Developed SBL Championship Team in One Year; New School Has Enrollment of 1,300

By ROGER O'GARA

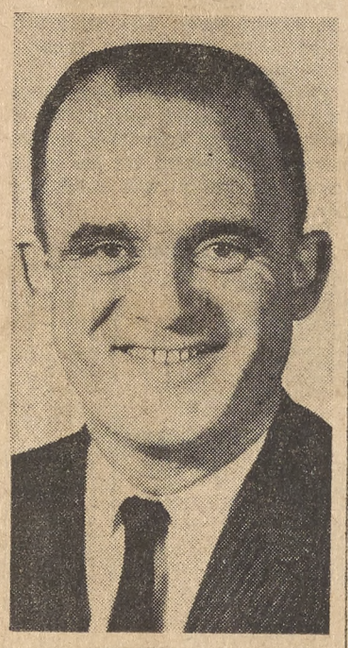
Thirty-seven-year-old E. Vincent Eldred Jr., who in his one season as basketball coach at Lee High School developed a Southern Berkshire League championship team, has been appointed to serve in the same capacity at Whitesboro (N.Y.) High School. He was elected to the Whitesboro faculty this week. In addition to his basketball duties, he will teach English and be a baseball assistant.

Tennis Supervisor

Whitesboro is a school of 1,300. The community is 5 miles from Utica and 15 miles from Rome.

Eldred has been working this summer as supervisor of tennis at Camp Merrill courts. It is a Parks and Recreation Department assignment.

In a move unprecedented in Berkshire interscholastic sports history, Eldred resigned as Lee basketball coach before the season started, but made the resignation effective in June. His team then went on to win 14 straight games, easily taking the SBL title.



Vince Eldred

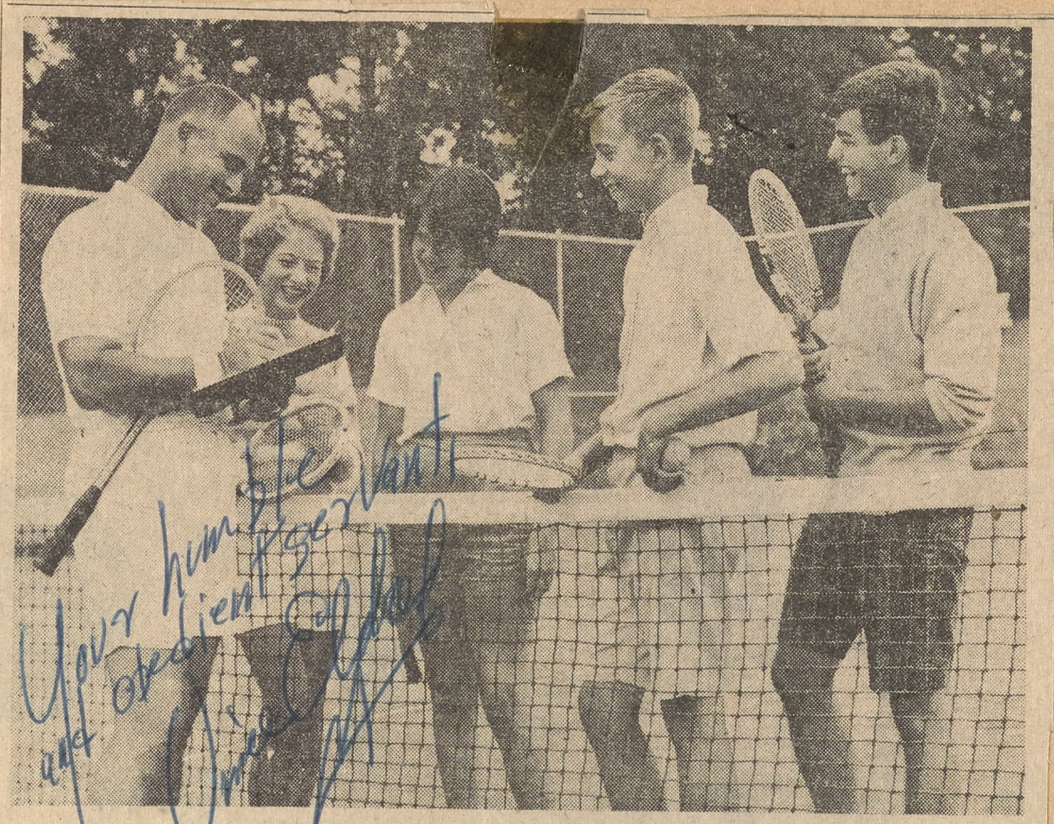
A native of Newburgh, N.Y., Eldred moved with his parents at the age of six months to Providence, R.I. He lived there the year around until he was six years old. Then he spent part of each year in Bradenton, Fla., Pittsburgh, Pa., and Olean, N.Y., where his father held golf professional positions. His father now is manager of the West Palm Beach (Fla.) Country Club.

He was a star athlete at Bradenton High and at LaSalle Academy in Providence. He played football, basketball and baseball at those schools, and continued as a varsity basketball and baseball player at Providence College, where he was graduated in January of 1943 with a bachelor of philosophy degree.

He then entered the Navy as an athletic specialist. He served at Pensacola, Fla., and Corpus Christi, Tex., where he did considerable coaching. One of his baseball players at Pensacola was Don Hoak, now third baseman for the Pittsburgh Pirates.

After the war, he attended the University of Bridgeport, where he completed studies for the degree of bachelor of physical education. He worked for United Air Lines in Hartford, Conn., and entered coaching and teaching in 1951 at the Mooreland Hills School, a private preparatory institution in Kensington, Conn. He next went to the Harvey School in Hawthorne, N.Y., as a teacher-coach for one year, and then spent five years as varsity basketball and baseball coach and assistant football coach at Cheshire Academy in Cheshire, Conn. He handled basketball and baseball for one year at Cornwall Academy in Great Barrington. Then he was varsity basketball coach and football end coach and scout at the Bullis School in Silver Spring, Md. Bullis is a preparatory school for the United States Naval Academy.

Eldred is married to the former Ann Talmadge of Cheshire, Conn. They live at 373 South St. She has been employed at England Brothers.



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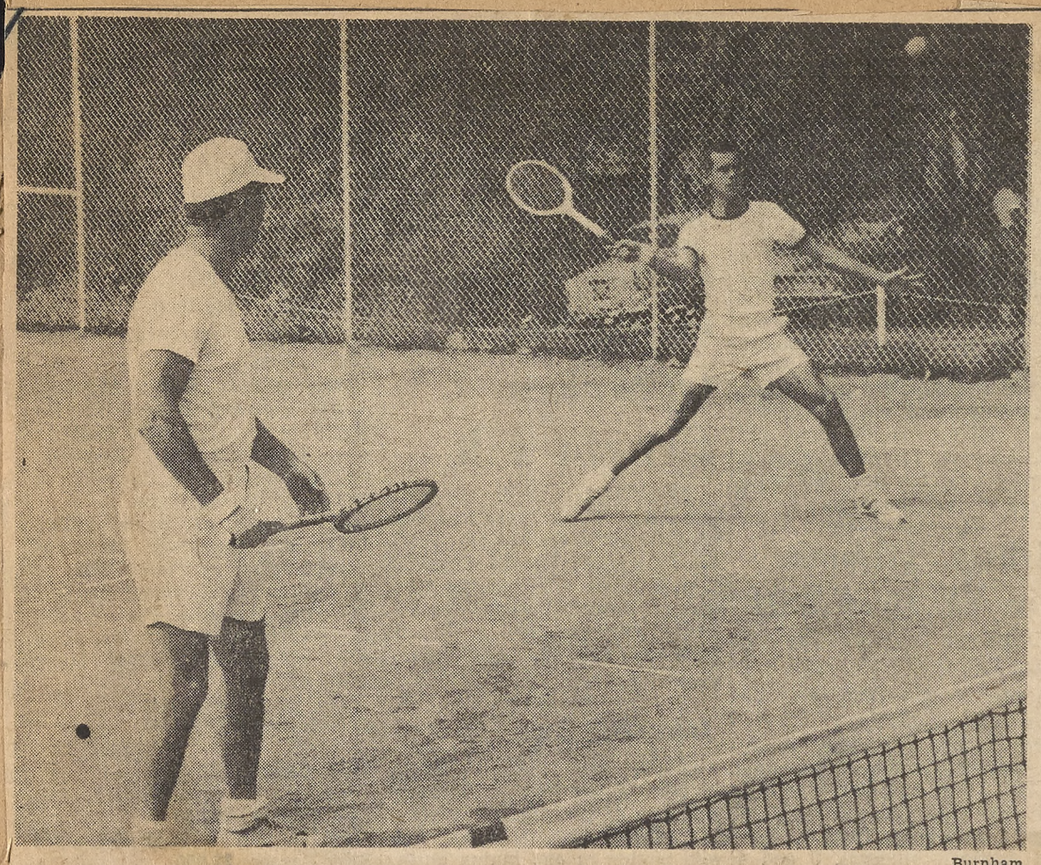
TENNIS CLINIC APPLICANTS Lynn Judson, Sally Combes, Kit Combes and Gene Marsten, left to right on the far side of the net, give their names to Vince Eldred, supervisor of tennis at the Camp Merrill tennis courts for the Park Department, in advance of the clinic which will take place next week, Monday through Friday afternoons at 2. The sessions, which will be conducted by Eldred, will be for young players in the 8 to 15 age bracket.



Burnham

RACING TO VICTORY in semifinals of doubles in Berkshire County tennis tournament is Ron Young, University of Virginia player, teamed with former county singles and doubles titlist Paul Voloscove. They upset second-seeded Vince Eldred and Art Dugas 6-3, 6-4, 6-4, at Camp Merrill courts yesterday. They will meet Fay White and Gordon Naugle of Stockbridge, defending titleholders, in finals next weekend.

Upsets Highlight Play In County Tennis Event

Ronnie Young, varsity player at the University of Virginia, figured prominently in two major upsets in the Berkshire County tennis tournament this weekend, and is now assured of appearing in at least one final.

Saturday he decisively defeated last year's winner, Fay White, 6-2, 6-3, in the upper-half quarter-final. Then on Sunday, playing with former county singles and doubles titleholder Paul Voloscove, he contributed greatly in ousting second-seeded Vince Eldred and Art Dugas, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

Wide Margin

While not completely unexpected, Young's defeat of White was surprising because of the wide margin. Young played a heady game, keeping White on the defensive. He also took the sting out of White's net attack by lobbing high to the baseline whenever White attempted to follow his serve to the net. White is still a fine player, but heat and youth were against him. Young will play Walter Stugger in the upper-half semifinal for the right to meet last year's runner-up Gordon Naugle, for the title. Stugger defeated Ed Deame Saturday in quarterfinal play 6-3, 6-2.

Naugle came within two points of losing in a quarterfinal Saturday as he trailed Art Dugas 5-1, 30-all in the third set. Naugle, who had been fighting fatigue and cramps, made an astonishing recovery, and took six games in a row, to win the set 7-5.

On Sunday Naugle defeated Bruce Burnham, 6-0, 6-2, in the semifinals. Naugle's soft game was not to Burnham's liking, and he wound up on the short end of the long rallies.

Doubles Semifinal

The doubles semifinal between Voloscove and Young, and Eldred and Dugas found Dugas still suffering from his setback on Saturday, and Young and Voloscove concentrated their play on him. Young played his usual fine doubles game, with spectacular saves and punching volleys. Voloscove, the elder statesman of Berkshire tennis, played his best game of the year, pounding his forehand return of service. Eldred made some sensational volleys, but was unable to stop the eventual winners.

In the upper half of the draw White and Naugle turned back Stugger and Deame to gain the final bracket, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. They will meet Young and Voloscove next Sunday afternoon for the title.

Play in the women's singles and mixed doubles is scheduled to begin this week, and all entrants should call 7-9220, to arrange for matches. Pairings are as follows:

WOMEN'S SINGLES

Barbara Fickling, bye.
Mrs. George Porter vs. Eleanor Smith.
Gale Klop vs. Ingrid Lindh.
Marquita Marsten vs. Nancy England.
Mary-Lou Bell vs. Marion Wisniewski.
Grace Hawkins vs. Isabelle Whalen.

MIXED DOUBLES

Voloscove and Paddock vs. Marsten and Morris.
Klop and Martin vs. Wisniewski and Wisniewski.
Dugas and Dugas, bye.
Lindh and Lindh vs. Porter and Porter.
Bell and Bell, bye.

Boys' Club Bids May Be Sought By February

Bradley's Estimate On Proposal Plan In $910,000 Plus

Boys' Club directors expect they will be ready to seek bids sometime in February for the proposed addition to the present Melville Street Building.

When the bids on Architect Prentice Bradley's plans have been received, the directors will be able to determine how much of the proposed building can be constructed with available funds.

$910,000 Estimated

Bradley estimates that his present plans, including architectural and engineering fees, will run about $910,000, with another $170,000 needed for equipment.

The public drive brought in more than $1.4 million, of which about 60 per cent is in pledges made for payment over a period of two or three years.

It is hoped that construction can be started by April, according to an announcement earlier this week from the Boys' Club building committee. The committee also said it would try to achieve the maximum goals—an adequate building for the regular program, a championship gymnasium with generous provisions for spectators, completion of plans for Camp Russell and inclusion of a skating and hockey rink.

Gym Seats 3,000

The gymnasium designed by Bradley measures 98 by 170 feet, includes space for three regulation basketball courts and room for 3,000 spectators and has a second-floor balcony that can be used as a speaker's platform or press area.

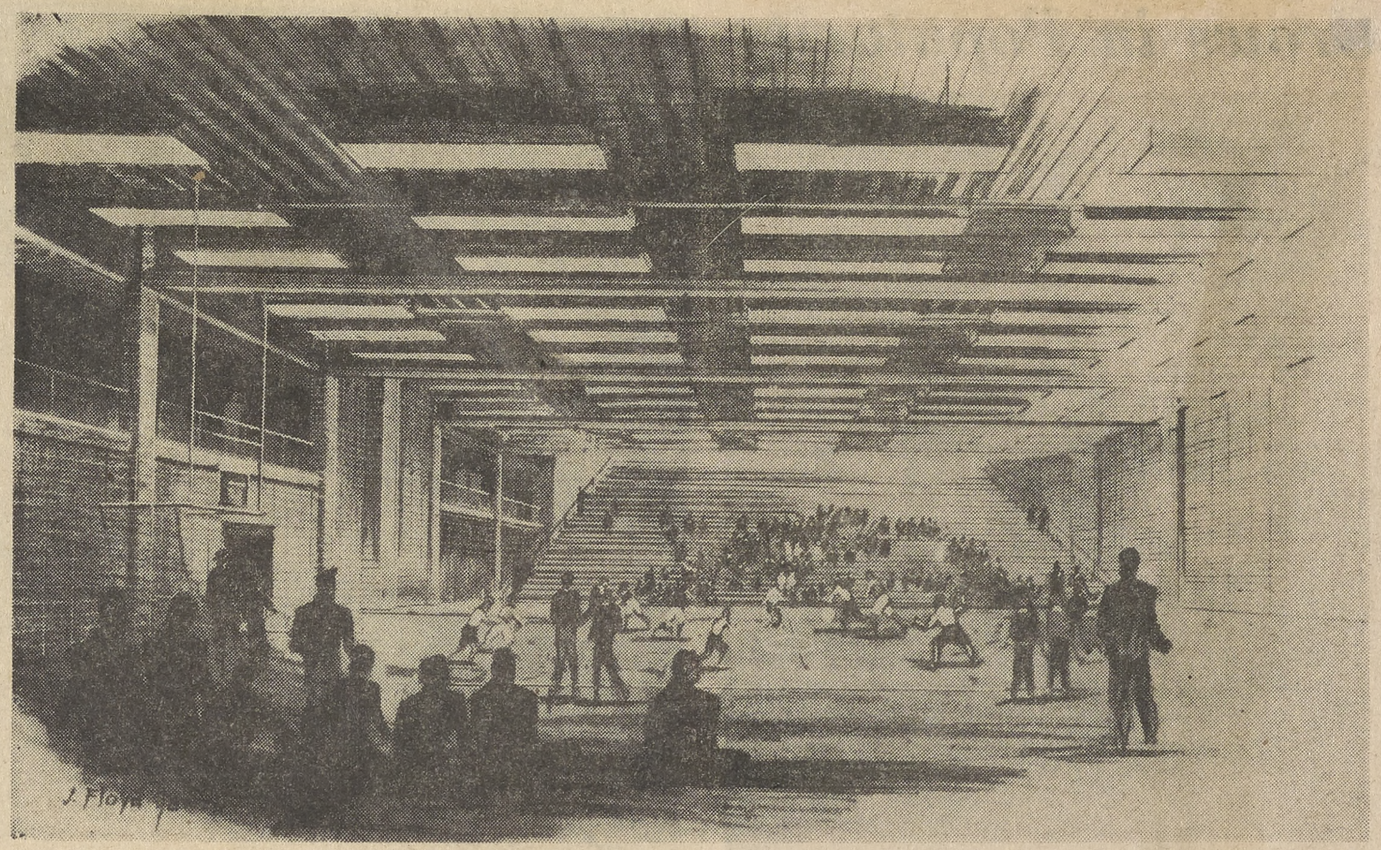
The local architect has also planned a modern entrance to the addition, situated on the former Meehan property just east of the present club.

3rd-Floor Skating

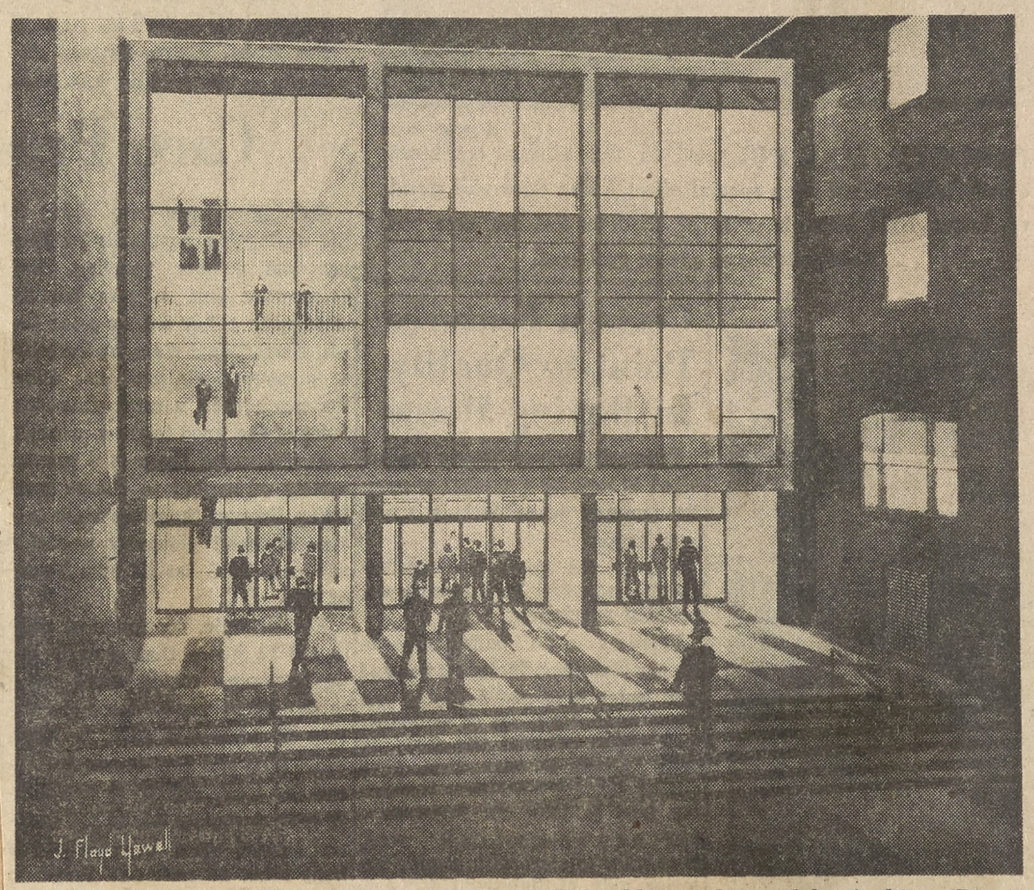
Several steps would lead from sidewalk level to a courtyard in front of the doors, which would be set back from the street about 24 feet.

Glass panels outlined in limestone and supported with brick pillars around the glass doors would complete the proposed front which rises three stories.

The much-discussed skating rink is planned for the third floor, with a special lounge for the skaters. A game room, locker rooms and showers and a complete new heating system for both the addition and the old building are also included in Bradley's plans.



GYMNASIUM in the Boys' Club addition is shown in artist's sketch above with ample space for three regulation basketball courts.



FRONT ENTRANCE of the proposed Boys' Club addition, designed by Architect Prentice Bradley, faces Melville Street and will be situated on the former Meehan property, just east of the present club. The front is designed with glass panels showing stairs.

40 Recreation Leaders Meet Here, Visit Bousquet's

The Bousquet Ski Area was host Tuesday to 40 members of the Massachusetts Recreation Association. The association held its monthly meeting here and surveyed also Springside House, the Parks Department maintenance garage and the new Senior Citizens Center.

Hosts to the group were Parks Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert and William F. Feeney of Dalton. At the end of the day a short dinner meeting was held at the Stanley Club. Guests included recreation leaders from all parts of the state.

Court McDermott, head coach at Bousquet's, spoke briefly during the day on safety and instruction techniques used at the resort. Donald Soviero, president and manager of Bousquet's, gave a talk on snow making.

30 Attend Meeting Of Florist Assn.

A meeting of the Berkshire County Florist & Growers Association was held Tuesday night at Mount Hope Farm. Thirty attended.

C. L. Thomson, extension specialist in vegetable crops, spoke on "Bedding Out Plants." Carl P. Deame, president, conducted the business meeting that followed. Mr. Deame explaned the organization of a men's garden club at Springside Park, Pittsfield. A meeting for this purpose will be held at Springside House tonight. Members were urged to join and support this new organization. The new men's club hopes to bring professional and amateur together for better individual gardening as well as projects designed to promote community beautification, recreation and conservation.

Mr. Deame also hopes that men's garden clubs will be established in North Adams and Stockbridge.

The next meeting of the association will be Tuesday, March 14, at J. Zepka & Sons in Adams.

10 Years Ago

Fred Huddy of 98 Ventura Ave. annexed another muscle title—Mr. Boston of 1951.

John E. Cowell of Main Street, Cummington, was nominated for an appointment to the Naval Academy by Congressman John W. Heselton.

John A. Massimiano, director of athletics in the Park Department, was appointed to the Pan-American Olympic Finance Committee for this area.

Motor Sports Club Rally Class Tonight

The Berkshire Motor Sports Club has scheduled a rally class tonight at 8 at Springside House Ernest Manns of Pittsfield, 196 rally champion, will instruct.

Those attending are requested to bring their own rally equipment with them.

County Men's Garden Club Will Be Organized Thursday

A countywide men's garden club for both professional and amateur growers will be organized here Thursday night.

A meeting to which all those interested are invited will start at 7:30 at Springside House, headquarters for the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department.

Carl P. Deame of Sugar Hill Nursery in Dalton, organizer six years ago of the Berkshire Museum Garden Club and of the more recently formed Berkshire County Florists and Growers Association, will outline plans for the club.

Also listed on the program or planning to be present are Vincent J. Hebert, Pittsfield superintendent of parks and recreation; Dick L. Boyce, county horticulturist; C. Roy Boutard, director of the Berkshire Garden Center in Stockbridge; and Alfred K. Persip, president of the Berkshire Museum Garden Club.

Not Just 'Personal' Gardening

"The basic principle of the club," Mr. Deame said, "will be to exchange ideas and experiences for the benefit of the entire membership. The object will not be merely to help our own personal gardening, since most men's garden clubs foster city beautification, garden shows and similar community projects. Nor will the club be a 'single plant' society, but will embrace the wide scope of interests of all who love to work in the soil."

Mr. Deame said that members of the Men's Garden Club of Albany and executives of the Men's Garden Club of America have offered to help in the organizing and development of the Berkshire club.

Lee Man Heads Men's New Garden Club

The Springside Park Men's Garden Club officially organized last night at Springside House, and temporary officers were chosen.

Selected to lead the group were Edward W. Cleary of Lee, president; Thomas Grandshaw of 65 Demont Ave., secretary; and Leon W. Zaorski of 868 Dalton Ave., treasurer.

Carl Deame of Sugar Hill Nursery led a brief discussion of the basic principles to be considered in forming such a club, and the group then voted to organize.

Possible projects outlined by the members include indoor gardens, home beautification, public horticultural shows, provisions of opportunities in gardening for senior and youthful citizens, and creation of interest in the development of Springside Park.

The club will hold its next meeting at 8 p.m. March 10 at Dalton Avenue Florist, where a tour of the greenhouses will follow a short business meeting.

Man, Boy Injured in Two Accidents

Valenti Smith, 55, of 34 Dexter St. is being treated for an injury to his right hip at Hillcrest Hospital, as the result of a two-car collision on Pembroke Avenue yesterday afternoon. The police traffic bureau said Smith was one of the drivers and identified the other as Roy W. Kickery Sr. of 495 Wahconah St. Sgt. William E. Touhy and Officer Anthony J. Crea aided Officer Richard P. Reddy in the invetsigation and transported Smith to the hospital. Smith's car was considerably damaged.

Sgt. Touhy and Officer Crea also transported 13-year-old Joseph McGovern of 132 Brown St. to St. Luke's Hospital after his bicycle collided with a car operated by Mark W. Martin of 345 Benedict Road. The mishap occurred at the intersection of Benedict Road and Elberon Avenue. The boy was admitted for overnight observation. The lad's wheel was demolished.

Bud Pellerin Will Coach NA State Team

NORTH ADAMS — George (Bud) Pellerin Jr., former St. Joseph's High of Pittsfield star, has been appointed playing coach of the North Adams State College varsity baseball team. He will play shortstop or second base.

Pellerin bats left-handed. He led the New England Conference in batting last year.

Other returning veterans include pitchers Tommy Condron of Dalton and Fred Lafave of Williamstown.

State will open a nine-game conference schedule here Saturday, April 29 against Castleton (Vt.) State.

Firemen Invite Applications for Muster Booths

Applications for booths at the Firemen's Muster, scheduled for June 30 to July 4, are now available, it was announced today by Lt. Eugene F. Coty and Lt. Paul E. Benham, cochairmen of the event. They may be obtained by writing Box 332, Pittsfield, or by contacting either of the lieutenants.

Lt. Coty said the committee is already seeking volunteers for the float parade. Information and applications may be obtained from the same sources.

Park Dept. Member To Address Newcomers

The Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club will meet at 8 this evening at the Girls Club. Theme will be "Strolling Through the Park," which will be highlighted by a talk by a member of the Department of Parks and Recreation staff.

The club will have a spring dance Saturday, June 10, at Breezy Knoll Inn. Members may bring guests, and all alumnae are invited. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Robert F. Hayes.

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Outdoor Basketball

FAIR OR FOUL

3/29/61

By Roger O'Gara

OUTDOOR basketball here this summer is a distinct possibility.

The Parks and Recreation Department has made three hard top courts its No. 1 priority project in a proposal to the Capital Outlay Committee. The committee is expected to pass on the merits of the recommendation within the next week.

The proposed sites are the Common, Clapp Park and Springside Park. Superintendent Vincent Hebert of the Parks and Recreation Department further suggests that the court at the Common be equipped with lights.

Why the Common, Clapp and Springside? Hebert has a ready answer. His records show that these three areas have had the most basketball play over the years. There are baskets and back boards at most of the playgrounds. If the committee should vote acceptance and the activity should prove to be as popular as Hebert thinks it would be, he envisions construction of similar layouts at other parks in the years to come.

What would be the cost of the three courts plus the lights at the Common? Hebert says an engineering estimate is $6000 for everything.

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THESE FACILITIES would improve the brand of winter basketball in the city, Hebert thinks.

He says, "The courts would be patterned after the ones in Worcester, where they have had successful summer basketball for years."

The courts would be of standard measurement, 84 feet by 50 feet.

Hebert says that a good asphalt base would be provided and a sealer of a finer grade of asphalt would be applied.

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IN WORCESTER, night leagues for college and high school players have proven very popular. Worcester's emergence as a basketball power in the state dates from the first night league.

An after-dark circuit here would be popular on the Common. A strong league could be formed with three or four Pittsfield entrants and an equivalent number of teams from camps in the Berkshire area. Many New York collegiate and interscholastic basketball stars are councilors at these camps.

Day-time use of the courts undoubtedly would be mostly by the younger boys. It's possible too that reservations could be made at certain hours of the day for interested girls to use the surfaces.

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HEBERT FEELS that the courts would be popular, particularly during twilight and after-dark hours, with the 16-23 year. old group, "one that has been hard for us to reach in our recreational program."

However, he stresses that he doesn't propose to sacrifice the younger playground goers.

Morning and afternoon leagues for children from toddlers to high school age would have great appeal.

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WHERE WOULD the courts be located? Hebert says the surfaces at Clapp Park and the Common would be in the same places as the present facilities.

In short, the one at Clapp Park would be east of the baseball diamond and north of the eastern hillside, not far from West Housatonic Street.

On the Common, the site would be north of the sidewalk that extends from First Street to Wallace Place and the old Pittsfield High building. It's in the vicinity of the old band stand. Baseball fans of long ago will recall the area as the place to which long drives to center field rolled.

No decision has been made as to the Springside location. That's because Hebert wants to find out where the connecting link will be if and when the city ever builds a road from Pine Street to Brown Street. Such a road has been suggested as a logical connection between Springside Park and the Brown Street Field.

Hebert thinks such a road would hook into the park somewhere near the present basketball area. That is north of the Pine Street entrance to the park, just west of the small brook that runs southerly from the pond. Hebert feels a new location for basketball will be necessary at Springside.

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WE'RE FOR the three courts and the lights too.

Our only reservation would be that boys who like baseball and basketball should be saved from themselves.

In short, young men with baseball commitments should be discouraged from playing two sports in the same day. The physical tax would be too much.

It would be hard for instance for talented Mark Belanger to resist the temptation of trying a long jump shot on one of the new courts. Yet he should be kept off the asphalt until his American Legion baseball season ends. Exertion in basketball would reduce his baseball potential.

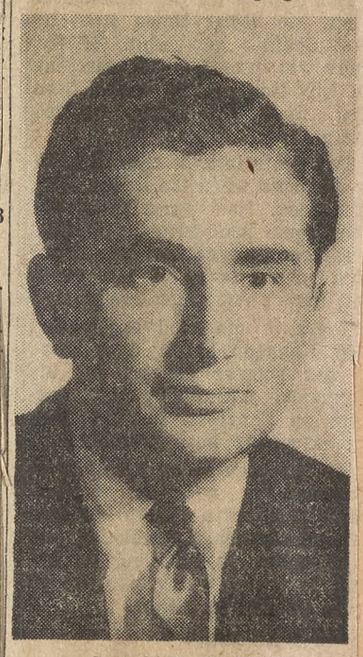
Of course you wouldn't expect the Parks and Recreation Department to police the courts and make them off limits for baseball players. However, parents and coaches of the two sports could co-operate to keep abuses at a minimum.

Soviero Named Manager of Mt. Beacon

4/17/61

Will Continue, However, To Operate Bousquet's

Donald L. Soviero, president-manager of Bousquet's Ski Area, has been named managing director and consultant in the development and operation of Mt. Beacon Inn and recretation area, a three-million-dollar resort project at Beacon, N.Y., Herman B. Dranoff, president and chairman of the board of directors of Mountaintop Lands Development Corp., Ltd., announced today.



Donald L. Soviero

Mr. Soviero will continue as president-manager of Bousquet's and Music Inn, Inc., the Potting Shed and the Berkshire Music Barn in Lenox. He will spend two days a week at Mt. Beacon.

Mt. Beacon, 60 miles north of New York City, is a 1,540-foot peak with a 1,300-foot vertical rise overlooking the Hudson River and is famous for its incline cable-car railway, which has been in operation since 1902.

Extensive Face Lifting

Plans call for an extensive face lifting of the mountain and include a 3,000-foot double chairlift, several T-bars, extensive snow-making equipment and trail development. The base and summit stations of the cable car will be renovated and the railway system entirely modernized.

The New York firm of Morris Lapidus, Kornbluth, Harle and Liebman, which designed the Fountainebleau and Eden Roc Hotels in Miami, is the architect for a new 102-room motor hotel at the foot of the mountain. This will include indoor and outdoor swimming pools, an ice-skating rink, a large barbecue area and several luxury service shops and restaurants.

Mr. Soviero will supervise the entire ski operation. He also will elect and supervise all ski area personnel, including the area manger and ski school director.

Widely Consulted

Since revitalizing Bousquet's, Mr. Soviero has received requests for information and advice from all over the United States and even from San Moritz, the world's ski capital. He has been asked to serve as chief consultant at seven other ski developments and has worked on a limited basis at three. This is the first major project he has accepted.

The new responsibility has been accepted with the full knowledge and approval of the board of directors of Bousquet's.

Mr. Soviero disagrees with those who feel that development of southern ski areas is a threat to ski business in the Berkshires. The only areas that would be a threat are ones badly designed and poorly run, he said. "New skiers exposed to a poor area may never ski agaain," he said. "Every new area run properly is an asset to the ski business."

South Junior Teacher Wins Freedoms Foundation Medal

Park Police

5/10/61

A faculty member at South Junior High School felt, last Christmas, that Jewish students have been displaying the patience of Job in sitting through the Christian festivities that take place in schools throughout the country.

So he wrote and produced a play, "Road to Bethlehem," in which he emphasized the overwhelming role of the Jewish people in the story of Jesus, bringing in Jewish tradition of the time and the heritage of the Jews.

The five-scene play was put on at South. Later it was sent to the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, Pa.

One of 244 in Nation

As a result, the teacher, Joseph P. McGovern, head of the social studies department at SJH, is one of 244 classroom teachers throughout the nation—and the only one in Berkshire County—to receive the Valley Forge Classroom Teachers Medal.

The medal is given for "exceptional service in furthering the cause of responsible citizenship patriotism and a greater understanding and appreciation of the American way of life."

Mr. McGovern has written many plays for school production.

The Freedoms Foundation, on the basis of the play submitted, wrote Mr. McGovern and asked him to give his views on American ideals. "I felt that I had expressed my views in the play," Mr. McGovern said, "so I sent them some additional plays."

Mr. McGovern presently is working on a play about the Berkshire County bicentennial.

Joseph P. McGovern

Sponsored by Cavaliers

Wahconah Park

5/3/61

Junior Drums Corps Contest Scheduled Here for June 23

The Pittsfield Boys' Club Cavaliers, junior drum and bugle corps, will sponsor the second annual "Youth On Parade," a Hudson-Berkshire junior drum corps circuit competition, under the lights on Friday evening, June 23, starting at 7:30 at Wahconah Park, it was announced today by general chairmen Walter Jones and Charles Thompson.

It will mark the first time in the city's history that a night competition has been presented by a local junior drum corps group. Seven units will compete for trophies here in the first circuit contest of the season. They are the Valiant Crusaders of Rensselaer, N.Y., the Continental Cadets of Catskill, N.Y., the Starlighters of Frankfort, N.Y., the Monarchs, of this city, the Polish National Alliance of Adams, the Lawmen of Fairlawn, N.J., and the Chiefs of the host Cavaliers will not be eligible to compete. They will, however, present an exhibition during Utica, N.Y.

Under this year's circuit rules, the evening. The Boys' Club youngsters will present an entirely new musical score this season.

Committee chairmen working with Jones and Thompson will be: arrangements, Arthur Brassard and Fred Harrington; program, Chester Bannick and Edward Clevenger; tickets, Albert Curry and Francis Brassard. Tickets are now available from corps members and directors of the Boys' Club Alumni Association Additional outlets will be announced soon.

Tulip Display Reaches Its Peak

Vincent J. Hebert, Park Department superintendent, suggested that all who wish to see the tulip display at Springside Park should do so either today, tomorrow, or Wednesday. The flowers will be in full bloom for the next day or two, he said.

More than 2,000 people viewed the annual tulip show over the weekend, Mr. Hebert reported.

Archery Classes Have Openings

There are still some openings left in the adult archery classes sheduled to begin this week under the sponsorship of the Department of Parks and Recreation.

The series of seven classes are free and open to any adult. Registration should be made in person at Springside Park at the field located at the end of the Abbott Street Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

Lieut. Villanova Named President Of Firemen's Muster

5/10/61

Lieut. Robert P. Villanova

Fire Lieut. Robert P. Villanova has been named president of the 1961 Pittsfield Permanent Firemen's muster committee, it was announced today.

Capt. Paul H. Benham and Lieut. Eugene F. Coty are chairmen of the muster celebration which will include a July 4 parade and the customary firemen's events at Wahconah Park.

Members of the muster committee also were announced today. They are:

Fire Alarm Superintendent John H. Sturgeon, Lieut. Arthur L. Benham, Privates Ralph Decker, Gordon T. McLeod, William Scheufler, Wilfred Wannamaker, Thomas J. Maloney, Frank Sacco and Walter Pictrowski.

Also Privates Angelo E. Buzzanco, Robert J. Maher, Edward A. Oslund, Ronald E. Plankey, Joseph Amuso and George Coughlin.

Timothy Sullivan Jr. To Tour Europe With B.C. Singers

BOSTON—Timothy J. Sullivan Jr. of 148 Ridgeway Ave., Pittsfield, will be one of 18 members of the Boston College Glee Club who will spend six weeks in Europe this summer entertaining troops at Army, Navy and Air Force installations.

The group known as the "Heightsmen" will leave July 1 and will tour France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Austria, Turkey, Libya, Lebanon, the Azores, Iceland and other countries. Transportation will be provided by the Defense Department.

The Rev. Daniel J. Foley, moderator of the glee club, and C. Alexander Peloquin, director, will accompany the singers. Rehearsals will be held after final examinations with the members of the group remaining on the campus for two weeks until June 9.

Mr. Sullivan, a sophomore, has been on the dean's list for his two years at college. A graduate of St. Joseph's High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sullivan.

Funerals

Miss Elva M. Gleason 6/8/61

The funeral of Miss Elva M. Gleason will be held Saturday morning at 9:15 at the Devanny Funeral Home, followed by a Solemn High Mass of Requiem at 10 in St. Charles' Church. Burial will be in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.

Miss Gleason, who had just graduated from the College of Our Lady of the Elms, held membership in a number of college organizations, including the International Relations Club, of which she was a past secretary, the Glee Club, Sociology Club and Liturgy Club. A history major, she also held membership in the Sodality of Our Lady of the Elms and the Berkshire Undergraduate Club.

W. C. Yeats Dies at 53

Berkshire Life Executive Stricken In Car Near Home

Willard C. Yeats, 53, of 39 Stratford Ave., Berkshire Life Insurance Co. manager of policies, loans and dividends and active community worker, died this morning after being stricken in his car on Stratford Avenue. He was taken by police ambulance to St. Luke's Hospital, where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

Mr. Yeats was born in Pittsfield, the son of Willard E. Yeats and the late Elizabeth Cullen Yeats. A Pittsfield High School graduate, he joined Berkshire Life in 1927 as a member of the accounting department. In 1950 he was named agency auditor and in 1953 was promoted to his present post.

Active in City

Active in community affairs, Mr. Yeats was a volunteer worker for the United Community Fund. He served on the Parks and Recreation Department's Winter Sports Committee and on its skating and water sports committees for a number of years. He was an official at every swimming meet sponsored by the Park Department and was a charter member and past president of the Boys' Club swimming committee, on which he continued to serve for some years.

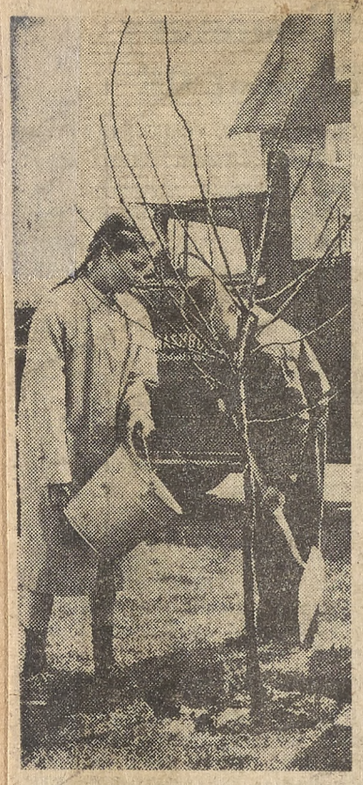
An approved swimming officia at the Boys' Club, Mr. Yeats ar ranged and conducted all swim ming meets at the club for the past five years. He was also a member of the Girls Club swimming committee and was on the executive of South Congregational Church. He was an enthusiastic spectator at Boys' Club and high school basketball and baseball games.

Mr. Yeats' wife, the former Mildred Prodgers, is director of the local Volunteer Bureau and New England regional chairman of the National Association of Volunteer Bureaus.

Besides his wife and father, he leaves a son, Willard P., a student at Brown University; a daughter, Miss Nancy E. Yeats, a student at the University of Massachusetts; and a brother, Monroe of Fore River.

The body has been removed to the Wellington Funeral Home.

The Dirt Flies as City Observes Arbor Day



Prompted somewhat by a citywide desire to put our best foot forward for the bicentennial, Arbor Day presented a tree-planting schedule that had dirt flying yesterday from morning to late afternoon. All of the schools gave it official recognition, with Joyce Kilmer's "Trees" being recited an uncounted number of times. At seven of the schools, trees were planted. Eagle photographer, Joel Librizzi, unable to be in more than one place at a time, was able to be present for a mere five of the ceremonies. At left, he caught sixth graders, Mary Hutchings and Michael Stankiewicz giving a drink to a flowering crab bought with funds sweetly realized from a cupcake sale. At lower left, Joyce Mahoney and Linda Rogers of Girl Scout Troop 24 of St. Teresa's Church do the same for a red oak given to the Berkshire Museum by the Museum Garden Club. Below, Robert G. Newman of the Bicentennial Executive Committee tosses the last shovelful of earth on a maple given by the Camp Fire Girls and planted in front of the Camp Fire headquarters in the Girls' Club building. At lower right, Parks Superintendent Vincent J. Hebert supervises the planting of a sycamore at Springside by Charles Schafer and Natale Avalle, park gardeners, the gift of Pittsfield Landscaping. At right, arborist James R. Washburn wraps a sugar maple, his gift to the Berkshire County Home for Aged Women as a part of a statewide Arbor Day gift program undertaken by the Massachusetts Arborists' Association.

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NEW TELESCOPE at the city observatory, Springside Park, is checked by Guglielmo C. Camilli who has charge of the equipment, assisted by Edwin R. Uhlig. The observatory is to be open on Friday nights when weather is favorable.

More Than 100 Use City's New Telescope

One of the largest crowds in 15 years turned out to peek through the new telescope at the city observatory Friday night. More than 100 people crowded into the small building to take a look at the moon, double stars, and various star clusters.

This was the opening night for the 8-inch telescope. Last Friday was too cloudy for viewing. The observatory will be open every Friday night through September from 9 to 10:30 p.m., weather permitting.

Guglielmo C. Camilli, in charge of the equipment, has promised a "good show" for next Friday. He said the moon will be just past the first quarter, which is the best time to see it. He added that the sun hits the moon at an angle at this time causing great shadows; so the viewer can easily distinguish the features of the earth's natural satellite.

Visitors are asked to arrive at 9 p.m. to hear a short explanatory talk. The observatory in Springside Park will be under the direction of Edwin R. Uhlig this Friday. Mr. Camilli said that Jupiter and Saturn will be visible in another two weeks.

Muster Plans Announced

Firemen To Award Sedan, Racing Car, Other Prizes

5/12/61

Capt. Paul L. Benham

Lieut. Eugene F. Coty

Two major prizes and several smaller ones will be awarded during the annual Pittsfield Firemen's Muster, according to an announcement today by chairmen Capt. Paul L. Benham and Lieut. Eugene F. Coty.

Major prizes to be awarded July 4, the final night of the muster, are a 1961 four-door Chevrolet sedan and a small racing car.

Nightly prizes also will be awarded starting June 30, opening night of the muster celebration.

Cochairman Benham, 36, joined the department in 1952 as a firefighter. A native of Fort Edward, N.Y., he attended Pittsfield schools and later worked for the Eaton Paper Corp. He is married to the former Ann Hollenbeck and the couple have five children.

Cochairman Coty, born in Chatham, N.Y., was a junior engineering aid for the state until his appointment to the Fire Department came in October, 1950, after serving in the Marine Corps for 2½ years and working for a time at General Electric Co. He was promoted to lieutenant March 10, 1957.

Mr. Coty is married to the former Beverly Westover of Pittsfield, and the couple have two sons.

Band Concert Series Opens Tomorrow Night

6/21/61

The 31-piece Turnverein concert band will open the summer series of Pittsfield band concerts with a Park Square appearance tomorrow night at 8.

Sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and Musicians' Union, Local 109, the concerts are made possible through a grant of the music performance trust fund of the recording and television industries.

Robert R. Briggs, local music teacher, will conduct the band in "An American Salute" as well as other popular selections and marches. John Culpo, accordionist, will play works by Lecuona, Chopin and DeFalla.

Band Concert To Feature Bicentennial

In honor of Pittsfield's bicentennial the Eagles Military Band will give a Park Square concert tomorrow night beginning at 8.

The band will play selections and overtures which have been favorites in past years. In addition they will feature Dixieland and March 'n Swing series by the popular composers Hal Leonard and Harold Walters; also Bugler's Holiday by Leroy Anderson, Bubbling Brass by S. D. Eisch and Trumpetango by Frank Cofield.

This year the Eagles' Band has scheduled 21 appearances including the Pittsfield bicentennial activities on Sept. 4.

The band's percussion section has added chimes, which will be featured in various selections.

The concert is sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Archery Class To Open July 5

The Department of Parks and Recreation announced today that a seven-week archery class will be conducted on Wednesday evenings beginning —uly 5 and extending until Aug. 16.

The two-hour classes will be free and will be conducted by Miss Carolyn George of the Department of Parks and Recreation. They will take place at Springside Park on the field located at the end of Abbot Street.

Registration will be Thursday evening from 6:30 to 8:30 at Springside House, 874 North St. Late registration will be accepted at the first class, July at 6:3 p.m.

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TUBBED TREE is lowered to North Street by lift operator Raymond Hatch during the six-hour "planting" on North Street today. Watching are, from left, Carl P. Deame of the Berkshire Museum Garden Club; John Koziara, who designed and made the tubs; and Kingsley R. Fall, chairman of Pittsfield Shade Tree Commission. Lift was made especially for the project.

Citizens' Committee Asks School Board To Appointment Morris Athletic Director

5/24/61

Ten persons prominent in the community have petitioned the School Committee to reconsider its decision not to establish a position of director of athletics in the Pittsfield schools.

They have asked that Nicholas J. Morris, Pittsfield High School football and baseball coach, be appointed to the position.

Mr. Morris, who teaches physical education in the High School as well as coaching, recently petitioned the School Committee to create the position of director of athletics in the Pittsfield public schools, and to appoint him. The School Committee turned down the request.

Mr. Morris has indicated such a position would give him more security, in case he had to give up coaching for some reason.

The petition has been sent to committee members, Mayor Haughey, and Supt. of Schools Russell.

Petitioners Listed

The petitioners are Judge Frank W. Cimini, Philip C. Ahern, Judge John A. Barry, Councilman John F. Fraser, County Commissioner Matthew J. Colins, Guy A. Pellegrinelli Jr., J. Howard Fryer, Edward L. Bates Jr., Roger O'Gara and Theodore Giddings.

The petition says the salary of such a job would amount to approximately the same as Mr. Morris makes now from his teaching and coaching jobs. The petition indicates that Mr. Morris will guarantee to continue coaching both sports for at least five more years. He would give up most of his physical education teaching duties.

The petition states that over-all administration of sports in the Pittsfield schools has been loose.

"Competitive athletics in the Pittsfield public schools," the petition states, "have been successful in recent years not because of, but in spite of, any real planning. There has been an emphasis of sorts on the junior high ninth grade teams as feeders for the senior high varsities, but it has been hit-or-miss at best."

Another Link in System

The petition points out that "the two junior highs compete in football, basketball, baseball and track. With the opening of Crosby Junior High School in the fall of 1962, there will be another link in the system."

The petition states that "Pittsfield is probably the only good-sized community in the state without an athletic director. It also points out that several communities in Berkshire County have athletic directors.

In addition to coordination of sports in all Pittsfield schools, the petition lists the following duties of a director of athletics: setting up code of uniformity for awards; purchase of equipment on a mass basis, at a saving; checking of eligibility; administration of insurance; overseeing of scheduling; coordination of the junior high athletic program with that of the senior high; personnel; seeking scholarship opportunities for student athletes; "to work for correction of abuses in Berkshire County, where seven-inning baseball games and 10-minute quarters in football make the area the laughing-stock of Western Massachusetts"; working toward a "realistic attitude in scheduling."

The petition also asks that the position of faculty business manager of athletics be continued. It is held by Cornelius J. McMahon.

Fair or Foul

5/26/61

By Roger O'Gara

THE GREATEST turnover in Berkshire County interscholastic sports history has occurred this spring. It's a pretty dull day when you don't hear that some strategist is considering an offer from afar or is shopping for a job. Then, too, there have been some lively stories concerning spirited competition for the vacancies, starting 30 seconds after the openings develop.

Let's do it geographically, beginning at the north.

What's with Mount Greylock Regional? Early rumors were that this new school, with students from Williamstown and Lanesboro, would make a big splash in the employment of name coaches. This isn't so. Bill Clark, who is athletic director, gives up baseball, but keeps football. He has done a commendable job in both. One teacher will handle baseball, and another will have charge of basketball.

Drury High is hopeful that in name men Tom Bresnahan of Holy Cross and Danny Rorke of Williams it has a team that will click. Bresnahan already is sure of one superlative. At six, four and 240 pounds, he will be the biggest coach in the county.

This former tackle will be a head coach for the first time after three seasons as an assistant, one at Cathedral, two at Holyoke. Rorke, the colorful little back whose breakaway runs reminded old Williamstown residents of the fabulous Benny Boynton, will be No. 1 aide in football and head coach in baseball. Bresnahan and Rorke take over the jobs left vacant by the resignation of John Federici.

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AT ADAMS, an institution is leaving. Chet Zabek, one of two remaining three-sport professors in the area, has resigned after 11 years on the job. He'll go to East Meadow, L.I., where the pay reportedly is much better.

Adams adults are fanatical about interscholastic sports. You just know they're talking long and late nights about Zabek's successor.

Several names have been mentioned. It is said that Vince Eldred, who resigned as basketball coach at Lee High, and Frank Matrango, coach of basketball and baseball at St. Joseph's High of North Adams, have substantial support. Eldred is interested. We don't know about Matrango.

Not to be counted out at this early date are the favorite son candidacies. Pete DeBlois, longtime assistant to Zabek in football and basketball, is one. Another is Ray Gagnon, an ex-Adams and Massachusetts three-sport star. He is a successful high school coach in Western New York.

THERE HAS been talk that only one of three major Dalton High coaches will serve in a similar capacity at Wahconah Regional High, which will open in the fall. Some have said that Jim O'Connor will be the football coach, but that Pete Stephenson and Dave Bowers will be relieved in basketball and baseball, respectively, and will confine their efforts to the academic side.

There seems to be no basis for these reports insofar as we can ascertain. Some Dalton fans in informal talk have deplored losing teams in basketball and baseball, but the regional school committee hasn't received any formal complaints or ouster demands.

O'Connor of course is a certainty to continue at the football helm following his highly successful debut last fall. His team looked like a club that knew what it was doing.

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IN PITTSFIELD, there could be head coaches at both of the city's high schools next fall.

There definitely will be a new man or men at St. Joseph's. Ted Mezejewski, who handled all three major sports for the past decade, has resigned to become head basketball coach and junior varsity football mentor at Hasbrouck Heights (N.J.) High. Mezzy likes his native city, but he owed it to himself and to his young family to accept the opportunity. The pay he'll receive at Hasbrouck Heights is much higher than he is getting on the combination of his jobs —coach at St. Joseph's and teacher at North Junior High.

What will St. Joseph's do? Mezzy actually was the last of the three-sport coaches in the county. Zabek also was a three-game man, but he resigned before Mezzy.

St. Joseph's could hire a three-sport coach or split the responsibilities. Billy Murray, who was a capable assistant for Mezzy in football and basketball several years ago, is known to be interested in the job on a three-sport basis. Then, too, there has been talk that assistants Al Bianchi in football and George (Red) Pleau in basketball and baseball would be worthy head coaches.

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NICK MORRIS of Pittsfield has been mentioned as a prime prospect for several big jobs in Eastern Massachusetts.

It wouldn't be surprising to see him go. He and his family both like it very much here, but Nick has been displeased because the School Committee curtly rejected his petition that he be made athletic director.

It struck us as a reasonable request. All he asked actually was a guarantee of security and the right to do a job that needs doing.

Sports-minded communities would toast a man with a record like Morris', and shower him with gifts, ranging from a new car to fishing equipment.

It'll be interesting to see what the School Committee does with the latest in the Morris petitions. This one isn't from Nick, but for him. In the event that you missed it in the news pages, it asked that the post of athletic director be created and that Nick be named to it. It was signed by 10 men from varied fields — two public officials, County Commissioner Matty Collins and Councilman John Fraser, three lawyers, Judges Frank Cimini and John Barry and Guy Pellegrinelli Jr., a GE man, Eddie Bates Jr., a banker and former Pittsfield High football player, J. Howard Fryer, an expert on municipal government, Phil Ahern, and two newspapermen, Ted Giddings and this writer. Incidentally, sons of four of these men played football under Morris. They were Matty Collins Jr., Tom and Dave Giddings, Dick Ahern and Jack and Paul O'Gara.

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IN LEE, Bob Coakley at 22 becomes the youngest head coach we can recall in the last quarter of a century. Bob will handle basketball and baseball. He succeeds Eldred in basketball and Johnny Consolati in baseball. Johnny this spring is concluding his 25th season as Lee baseball director.

At 49, Johnny will be the oldest Berkshire County high school football coach next fall. If Morris remains at Pittsfield, he'll be the second oldest. He'll be 47 by then.

If Nick should stay, he would become the top man in Northern Berkshire football ranks from the standpoint of seniority. And he has been here only since 1955.

Band Concert Tomorrow Night

7/19/61

The Eagles military band will stage a Park Square band concert tomorrow night starting at 8 p.m. The concert is sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and the musicians' union, Local 190.

Willard C. Yeats Services Monday Afternoon at 2

6/10/61

Willard C. Yeats

The funeral of Willard C. Yeats will be Monday at 2 p.m. at the South Congregational Church with the Rev. Raymond E. Gibson, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Pittsfield Cemetery.

The family will meet friends at the Wellington Funeral Home today from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 and tomorrow from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Kelton B. Miller scholarship fund of the South Church Brotherhood.

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Swimming Groups To Pay Respects To Will Yeats

Past and present members of the Boys' Club swimming team, both boys and girls, and members of the club's swimming committee have been asked to meet tomorrow night at 7:30 in front of the Wellington Funeral Home to pay respects to Willard Yeats who died suddenly yesterday.

Mr. Yeates for many years was a member of the committee.

5/4/61

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OVERCOATS AND BLANKETS were the uniform of the day yesterday as Pittsfield High and Drury High played their Northern Berkshire Baseball League game at Clapp Park in the cold, windy weather that has prevailed so far this season. The contest was called after four and a half innings with Pittsfield leading 9-0.

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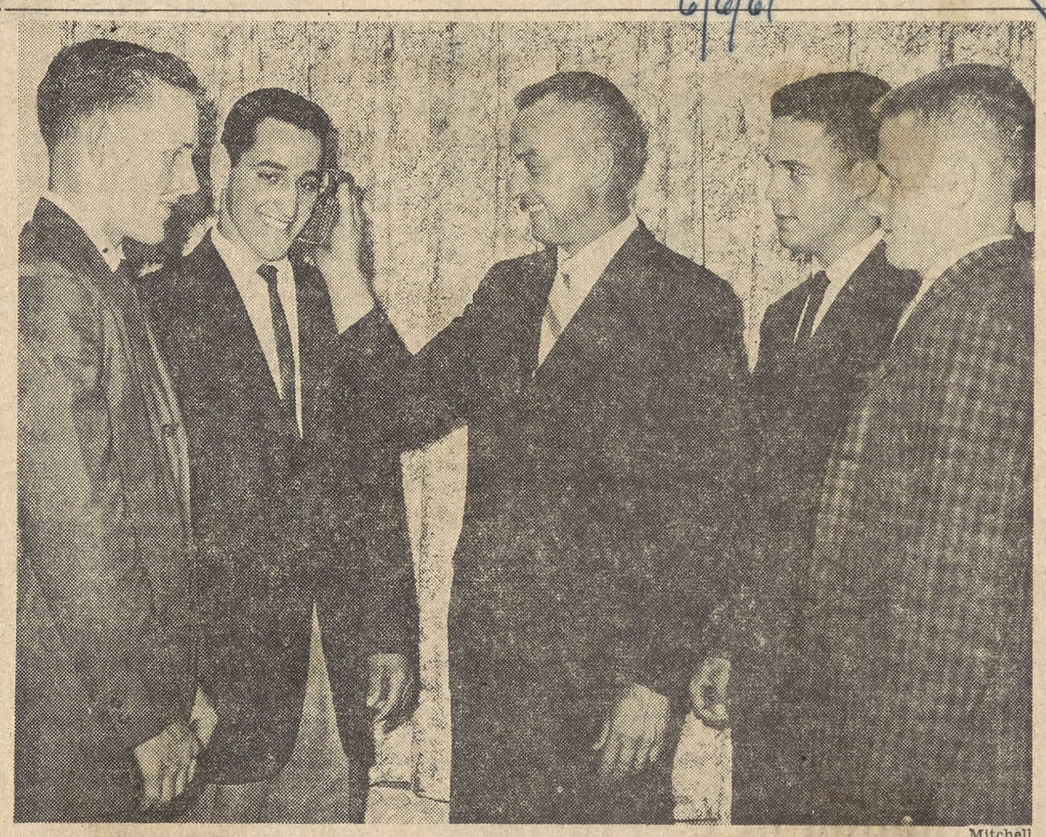

Mitchell

COMING CAPTAINS AND LEAVING COACH test out a transistor radio, a gift to Coach Ted Mezejewski, third left, by St. Joseph's High athletes at the annual dinner for the players last night at the Yellow Aster. Captains-elect are, left to right: baseball, Frank Skrocki; basketball, Tom Potter; and football cocaptains Mike Ryan and Pete Massacani. Senior Dave Connors was toastmaster, and speakers were the Rev. John Callahan, St. Joseph's High principal; the Rev. Raymond Lanoue, athletic director, and Mezejewski. Attending were all varsity and junior varsity football, basketball, baseball and golf members.

Fr. Murphy Gets 1st Ace At Holyoke CC

HOLYOKE—The Rev. John Murphy, moderator of athletics at Cathedral High in Springfield and former assistant at St. Mary's Church in Pittsfield, sank the first hole-in-one of the season at the Holyoke Country Club yesterday. It was also the first one for Father Murphy.

The Cathedral faculty member was playing with the Rev. Daniel Doyle, assistant pastor at St. Theresa's Church, South Hadley. He used an eight iron on the 135-yard eighth hole for the perfect shot.

County Play-Off Slated For Monday at 5 P.M. At Wahconah Park

6/7/61

The play-off game for the Berkshire County interscholastic baseball championship between Pittsfield High and Lee will be played at Wahconah Park Monday night, starting at 5 o'clock. The contest also will be an opening round game in the Western Massachusetts tournament. The winner will go into the semifinal round Wednesday at Mackenzie Field in Holyoke.

Arrangements for the play-off were made last night at a meeting at the Log Cabin in Lenox. Representing Northern Berkshire champion Pittsfiled High were Principal Harold Hennessy, faculty business manager of athletics, Cornelius McMahon and Coach Nick Morris. Representing Lee were Principal James Brown and John Consolati, athletic director and baseball coach.

The game will be nine innings. The umpires will be Louis Airoldi of Lee and Sam Russo of Pittsfield. There will be a reduced admission fee for students.

Lawmen Win Drum Corps Competition

2,000 Witness Junior Event At Wahconah Park

By JOHN S. STEELE

About 350 contestants and 2,000 spectators enjoyed a rousing time at Wahconah Park last night.

The Lawmen from Fairlawn, N. J., showed how to a group of eager, energetic and promising corps from upstate N.Y. and Berkshire County in the second annual Youth on Parade junior drum and bugle corps competition sponsored by the Boy's Club Cavaliers of Pittsfield.

Monarchs Third

The Monarchs, a recently organized Pittsfield group, showed surprising strength and a very well executed performance, coming in third in spite of an eight-point penalty.

In the finest junior corps competition to be held in this area, the Valiant Crusaders of Renselaer, N. Y. came in second, followed closely by the Monarchs, Yankee Boys from Utica, N. Y., Starlighters from Frankfort, N. Y., Polish National Alliance of North Adams, and the Continentals from Catskill, N. Y. The Starlighters, in their first competition, did an excellent job and should have a fine future.

The Cavaliers, with loads of promise, might do well to elicit the support of the Girls Club for whatever they might contribute to an all-Pittsfield organization.

Girls Big Help

Most junior corps include girls as members of the corps itself or as the color guard. They have a flair for this sort of thing and do add to the over-all effectiveness. As marchers, they are tough to beat. The Lawmen's color guard was an excellent example.

The scores: Lawmen, 76.5; Valiant Crusaders, 59.1; Monarchs, 58.1, Yankee Boys, 56.7, Starlighters, 54.8; Polish National Alliance, 51.9, and Continentals, 49.4.

George Kirsch, president of the Hudson-Berkshire Circuit, awarded the prizes.

Joseph M. DeMartino served as master of ceremonies.

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Sports Seen Not Enough For Fitness

8-22-61

No Substitute for Physical Education, President's Unit Says

WASHINGTON (Science Service)—Students in junior and senior high schools who take part in athletic programs, train with the ROTC or march with the school band should not be allowed to substitute these extracurricular activities for regular class work in physical education, says the President's Council on Youth Fitness.

In grades seven through 12, "an athletic program alone does not constitute a basic (physical education) program," the council believes. It urges, however, that intramural sports be available to all as supplemental "builder-uppers," along with interschool sports for the "athletically gifted." Weekends, vacations and after-school hours "should be replete with a variety of organized teams, leagues, tournaments, games and special features."

30 Minutes a Day

Council members suggest that no less than 30 minutes daily be devoted to physical education in elementary grades, and no less than "one standard class period per day" in secondary schools.

At the high school level, health education teachers should have either a major in the field or an undergraduate minor bolstered by graduate study, the council said. Elementary teachers should be "properly prepared" to add health and safety education to to other duties, and should have access to a specialist in the field for help and consultation.

Also recommended are enough facilities such as gymnasiums, swimming pools and tennis courts to keep one-sixth of a school's pupil population busy at the same time. Generally, classes should not exceed 35, and the teaching load should not exceed 200 pupils daily.

Tests to measure achievement and diagnose weaknesses should be scheduled regularly. A suggested test battery for schools with limited facilities includes pull ups, sit ups, a shuttle run, a standing broad jump, a soft ball throw, a 50-yard dash and a 600-yard "fast walk."

In its report, "Youth Physical Fitness: Suggested Elements of a School-Centered Program," the Council stresses that fitness programs should be geared to include "girls as well as boys."

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Ted Mezejewski T

St. Joe's Coach To Head Six-Man Basketball Staff

Mezzy Also Will Lead Jayvee Football, Teach English and Will Coordinate Cage Program of Grammar, Junior High Schools

By BILL MAHAN

Ted Mezejewski, three-sport coach at St. Joseph's High for 11 years and teacher at North Junior High, has signed a contract to teach and coach at Hasbrouck Heights High School in Hasbrouck Heights, N.J. Mezejewski will be head basketball coach and jayvee football coach and also will teach English in his new position.

Town of 13,000

Hasbrouck Heights, a residential town of about 13,000, has a school system consisting of the high school, a junior high and two grammar schools. The high school enrollment is approximately 680 students. Each of the grammar schools has a basketball coach as

Ted Mezejewski

does the junior high school. Under Mezejewski at the high school are a jayvee coach, a freshman coach, and an intramural coach.

Part of the Pittsfield man's job will be to coordinate a program among all the schools and coaches. The high school runs on the four-year plan and the junior high goes through the eighth grade. There is also a parochial junior high in the town from which many of the students advance to the public high.

Mezejewski is a graduate of Providence College in the class of 1950. At Providence, he was an outfielder and first baseman on the baseball team for two years. The St. Joseph's mentor attended local schools, and was graduated from Pittsfield High in 1942.

Mezejewkski then entered Providence College on a basketball scholarship, but soon after joined the Air Force. He served in the Air Force for 34 months. He was a gunner on B24 bombers, and later became a sergeant instructor in air gunnery.

Enters Bonaventure

The local man was discharged from the Air Force in February of 1946 and in September of that year entered St. Bonaventure College in Olean, N.Y., on a football scholarship under Coach Hugh Devore. Freshmen were eligible to play varsity sports at that time and Ted played with the team in the Tobacco Bowl at Lexington, Ky. against Muhlenberg. He was the first Pittsfield athlete to take part in a bowl game.

After a year at St. Bonaventure, Mezejewski returned to Providence. Upon his graduation, he took a job as surveyor with the Massachusetts Highway Department, and in 1951 received his first appointment as a teacher in the Pittsfield school system. He taught at Central Junior High until North Junior High was completed, and has been there since.

In 1951, he began his coaching career at St. Joseph's. His football teams claimed the county championship in 1957 and 1958. Lee High claimed a tie in 1958, but the parochial partisans felt their team was the champ as it played a tougher schedule.

In Three Play-Offs

Mezzy's basketball teams never quite accomplished a Northern Berkshire League title, but for three years in a row the St. Joe's boys forced the league race into play-offs. Each time they were defeated. Mezejewski took three of his clubs to the Lawrence Catholic tournament. Once St. Joe's went through to the finals before being beaten.

One Mezejewski-coached parochial team was entered in the Western Massachusetts interscholastic tournament, and was finally eliminated in the semifinal round in a double overtime. His basketball record for the 11 years was 148 wins and 51 losses.

Ted's baseball clubs were serious contenders for Northern Berkshire honors, but could never grab the coveted crown. He was recently appointed Berkshire County scout for the Philadelphia Phillies under area scout Stan Benjamin of Greenfield.

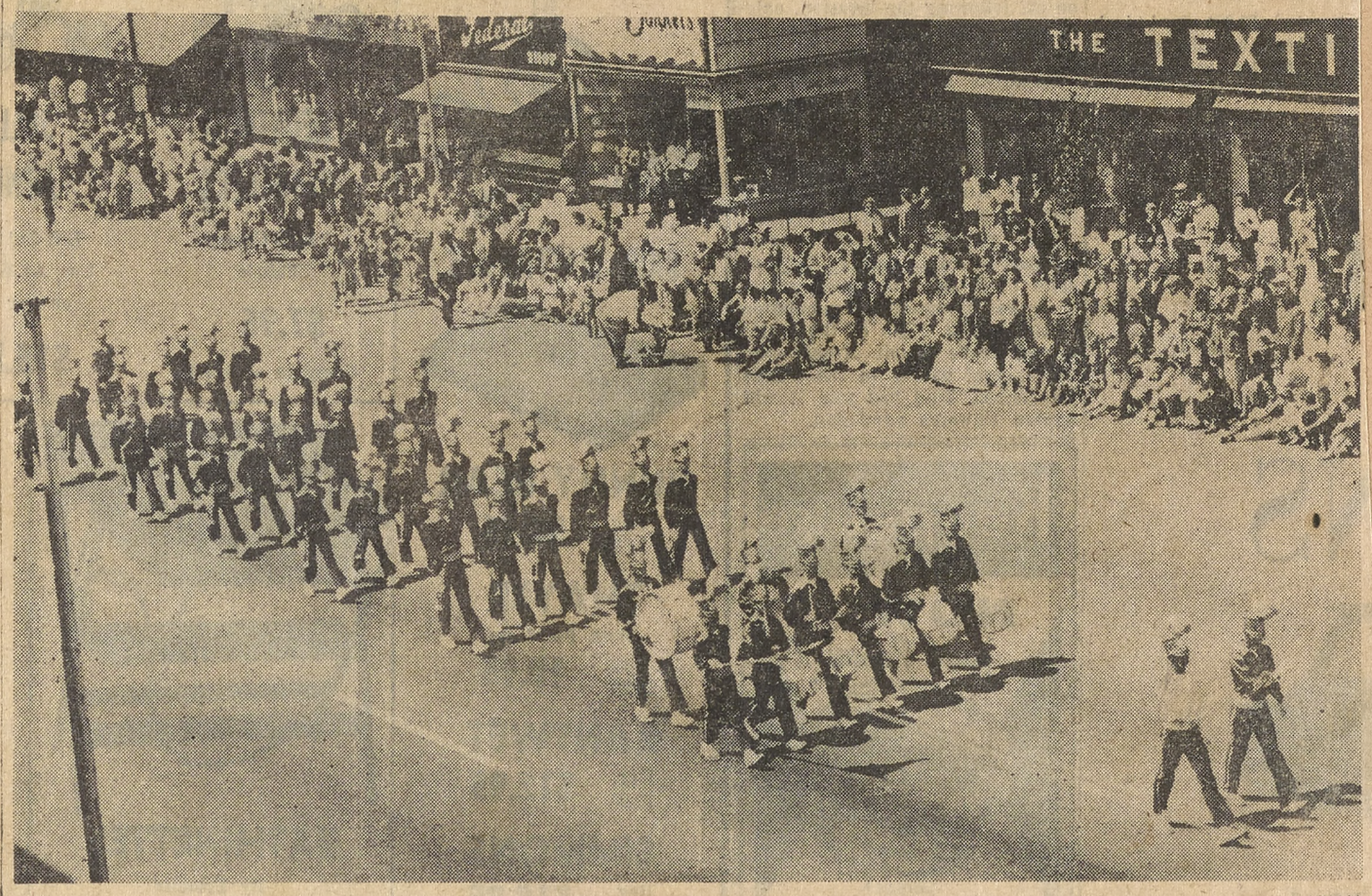
The parochial school coach is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mezejewski of 212 Wahconah St. He is married to the former Elizabeth Hannon, was was a teacher at North Junior High before their marriage. The couple have two children, Ted Jr. and Mary Elizabeth. The family lives at 23 Beech Grove Ave.

Costanzo Suffers Initial Setback; Has ERA of 2:57 6/2/61

Joey Costanzo, former Pittsfield High and American Legion pitching sensation, has suffered his first loss for the Stockton, Calif., team of the Class C California State League. He now has a record of one and one and a creditable earned run average of 2.57.

Costanzo has appeared in 11 games, all in relief. He has worked 28 innings, allowed 36 hits, struck out 19, and walked 5.

Over 30,000 View Firemen's Parade 7/5/61



Librizzi

PITTSFIELD BOYS' CLUB CAVALIERS cavalierly walked off with first prize for the best appearing junior drum corps in the Firemen's Muster Parade and second prize in the drum and bugle corps competition at Wahconah Park. In addition, the local group won one of two special prizes for local corps, and its drill team gave an exhibition before competition started at Wahconah Park. It was the first time the Boys' Club had entered the annual competition. In a special ceremony at the park, Drum Major Bruce Morehead (white shirt) was presented with a gift upon leaving the corps.

Garden Club To Tour Rose Garden 7/31/61

Berkshire Museum Garden Club members will tour the rose garden at Springside House tomorrow night at 8. A business meeting at Springside House will follow.

The roses were donated to the park by the club in memory of Mrs. Royal Coates, a charter member of the organization.

Locals' Lead Washed Out

Western Gateway Trails by 6-0; Meeting Scheduled

Pittsfield's entry in the Berkshire County Semipro Baseball League held a 6-0 lead over Western Gateway of North Adams Saturday night before rain forced postponement of the exhibition contest at the end of two innings.

Ed (Red) Plouffe was pitching for Pittsfield, Tim McBride for North Adams. All six runs were made in the second inning, which was featured by Mike Mole's three-run triple. The game has been rescheduled Saturday, August 5, in Pittsfield.

No league games are scheduled this week. An important meeting will be held at the CYC in Pittsfield tonight at 7. Managers Ken Murray of Becket, Bill Wood of Cheshire, Jim Tripodes of Great Barrington, Don Esposito of North Adams, Ned Forest of Lenox and Francis Chichetto are expected to attend.

Testimonial Is Planned For Morris

Dinner Scheduled Saturday, Aug. 5, At White Tree Inn

A testimonial dinner for departing Pittsfield High football and baseball coach Nick Morris has been scheduled for Saturday night, Aug. 5 at 6:30 at the White Tree Inn.

Morris resigned recently to become athletic director in the public schools of New Bedford and head football coach at New Bedford High. He already has assumed his duties there, but will be at his Pomeroy Avenue home on weekends until his family joins him in New Bedford some time in late August.

Because attendance will be limited to 170, it will be an all-male affair. Past and present PHS athletes will be welcome at the dinner. Tickets wil be available early next week at outlets to be announced.

Phils' School On Tomorrow, Saturday

Instruction in all phases of baseball will be given tomorrow and Saturday at the Philadelphia Phillies' school and tryouts at Wahconah Park. The sessions both days will be from 9:30 a.m. until noon.

Stan Benjamin, Phillies' scout in Western Massachusetts; Buzz Bowers, Eastern Massachusetts scout; Dale Jones, Northeastern United States and Eastern Canada representative of the Philadelphia team, and Ted Mezejewski, Berkshire County scout, will be in charge of the school. The out-of-town men will come here tomorrow from Benjamin's home in Greenfield.

Boys 15 years old and over will be welcome at the sessions. They must bring their own gloves, spikes and towels, and uniforms if they have them.

Ball Game, Clinic Are Rained Out; Clinic Tomorrow

Heavy rains this morning forced postponement of two baseball programs at Wahconah Park.

The clinic and tryout school sponsored by the Philadelphia Phillies of the National League was called off after preliminary lectures had been given by the coaches. Seventeen boys attended from all sections of Western Massachusetts.

Dale Jones, the chief Northeastern regional scout for the Phillies, said the clinic will be resumed tomorrow morning at 9:30.

Game Wednesday

The Berkshire County American Legion Junior Baseball League double-header listed for tonight also was postponed. The pairings were Dalton vs. South Berkshire in the first game at 6:30; and Pittsfield's league-leaders vs. runner-up Adams in the second contest.

The program has been re-scheduled for Wednesday night, Arthur McGill, league president, announced at noon.

Adams Romps To 10-2 Win Over Dalton

Darkness Ends Game After 5 Innings; McBride Is Winner

County Legion League Standing

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsfield	6	0	1.000
Adams	4	2	.667
Williamstown	4	2	.667
Dalton	3	5	.375
South Berkshire	0	8	.000

Pittsfield at Williamstown, postponed, rain, rescheduled for today.
Adams 10, Dalton 2.

DALTON — Adams romped to a 10-2 victory over Dalton in a county American Legion game last night at Pine Grove Park. It was the final league game for Dalton which finished 3-5. Adams, with two games remaining to play, is 4-2.

Mickey McBride, firing a fast ball throughout the five-inning contest, confined Dalton's six hits to singles. Mark Poopor gave up a like number of hits, all singles too, but in the second inning the Dalton team could do nothing right defensively as six runs were scored.

Early evening rain caused the game to start late.

Dalton will play an old timers' team Sunday afternoon at 2:15 at Pine Grove in the annual Brisson-Murray memorial fund game.

ADAMS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Roberts, ss	4	0	0	0	3	0
Gammin, 2b	4	1	1	1	2	0
Pietras, rf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Vitelli, cf	3	2	0	0	0	0
Kelly, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Kopec, 1b	3	0	0	6	0	2
Skorpuski, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Nimmons, c	2	3	1	6	0	0
McBride, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
	26	10	6	15	7	1

DALTON

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Galliher, 2b	3	0	2	0	5	0
Skrocki, c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Podolski, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Poopor, p	2	1	0	0	0	0
Lamont, ss	2	0	0	1	0	1
Cronnell, 1b	2	1	1	6	0	0
D. Higgins, c	2	0	1	0	0	0
Rivers, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Carroll, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	1
	21	2	6	15	5	2

Adams 261 01—10
Dalton 020 00— 2

RBI—Higgins, Roberts, Gammin, Kelly, Kopec. SB—Poopor, Galliher, McBride. DP—Kelly to Gammin to Kopec. LOB—Adams 5, Dalton 4. BB—Poopor 1. SO—McBride 6, Poopor 5. HBP—Poopor, Nimmons. U—Bruni and Meehan. T—2h.

Pittsfield Tops Cheshire By 7-3 Score

BERKSHIRE COUNTY SEMIPRO STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	GB
Pittsfield	8	2	
Lenox	7	2	½
Cheshire	3	7	5
Becket	2	7	5½

The Pittsfield semipros used three-run clusters in the first and ninth innings to down Cheshire 7-3 this week. Winning pitcher Bud Pellerin's two-run triple was the big blow in the first. Two walks, two errors and singles by Tom Budney and Paul Tamburello accounted for the three in the ninth.

Tomorrow afternoon at 5 Pittsfield will play an exhibition game against the Great Barrington Legion of the Tri-State Semipro league.

PITTSFIELD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
B. Spence, 3b	3	1	1	3	0	2
Guinan, ss	3	1	2	2	2	0
Garivaltis, c	4	1	0	12	0	0
J. Spence, 1b	5	2	2	4	3	0
Budney, cf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Pellerin, p	5	0	1	2	2	0
Chichetto, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Tamburello, 2b	5	0	2	3	1	1
Duda, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
	36	7	12	27	8	3

CHESHIRE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
P. Wood, 2b	4	0	2	4	1	0
Salvi, c, p	4	0	2	1	0	0
Carpenter, p, c	4	0	0	3	0	0
Constant, ss	4	0	1	2	1	1
B. Wood, cf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Scott, 3b	2	0	1	4	0	1
Morin, 1b	4	0	0	9	2	0
Schonfelder, lf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Williamson, rf	1	2	0	1	0	0
	30	3	7	27	5	2

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RBI—Pellerin 2, Budney 2, Chichetto,

Madison Cafe Ousted Early

Berkshire County's lone entry in the Western Mass. Slow-Pitch softball tournament, the Madison Cafe squad of Pittsfield, was ousted in straight games over the weekend. The local squad was beaten 10-6 Saturday by Len's Cocktail Bar of Southampton, and trounced 10-1 yesterday by the Springfield Falcons, in the double-elimination event at the West Street Playgound in Springfield.

The remaining four unbeaten teams of the original 16-team field are Florence Casket, Shutesbury, Agawam Ten, and Timmy's Ten.

Pittsfield, Gateway Meet Tomorrow at 5

The Western Gateway AC of North Adams will play the Pittsfield team of the Berkshire County Semipro League tomorrow afternoon at 5 at Clapp Park in an exhibition baseball game.

Gateway will start Pete Winton at first base, Billy Ostrander at second, Joe Zavataro at third and Bruce Gallagher at shortstop. In the outfield, there will be Pete Austin in left, Ron Preite in center and Frank Zoltek in right. Johnny Allen will catch, and Tim McBride will be the starting pitcher.

Ed (Red) Plouffe will start on the mound for Pittsfield. He will throw to George Garivaltis. Jack Spence will be at first, Jim Guinan or Walt McHenry at second, Bud Pellerin at third, and Mike Mole at shortstop.

The outfield will consist of Burt Gibby, Dave Frank and Tom Varanka in left, center, and right respectively.

Joey Costanzo Is Shelled In 1st Start

Joey Costanzo, former Pittsfield High pitching star, lost his first start for Stockton, Calif., of the Class C California State League. After numerous impressive relief appearances, Costanzo was named as the opening pitcher in a game last week, and was knocked out in a six-run first-inning outburst.

It was his second loss against one win. His earned run average jumped to 4.11.

Joey has worked in 14 games. He has allowed 51 hits in 35 innings, and has fanned 25 and walked 8.

Stockton is in the cellar.

Morris Signs 3-Year Pact As New Bedford AD, Coach

Special to The Eagle

NEW BEDFORD — Nick Morris, who developed five consecutive championship teams in his last two and one-half years as football and baseball coach at Pittsfield High, received a three-year contract from the New Bedford School Department. He signed yesterday to serve as athletic director in the public schools of this city of 102,000 and as head varsity football coach at New Bedford High.

Observers estimated that he will be paid considerably more than he received at Pittsfield.

Although his official contract will not start until the beginning of the school year in September, Morris already is on the department's payroll on a week-to-week basis, it was said.

Morris said eight games already have been booked for the New Bedford football team, and he is seeking a ninth.

Phillies' Clinic, School To Be Held This Morning

The Philadelphia Phillies will try to compress two days of teaching into one today as they make another attempt to put on a baseball clinic and tryout school at Wahconah Park. Starting time will be 9:30.

Heavy rain at mid-morning yesterday washed out the opening day of the clinic shortly after action started. Seventeen boys from widely scattered parts of Western Massachusetts were present.

Lectures were given in the dugout after the downpour made batting and fielding out of the question. Instructors were Dale Jones, Northeastern scouting supervisor for the National League team, Ralph LaPointe, Buzz Bowers and Stanley Benjamin. LaPointe, University of Vermont baseball coach, Bowers, athletic director at Wayland High, and Benjamin, football and baseball coach at Greenfield High, are territorial scouts. Ted Mezejewski, St. Joseph's High coach, who is the Phillies' Berkshire County Scout, assisted.

The class roll yesterday included Gary Soldato, Mark Belanger, Ray Woitkowski and Dick Premerlani, all Pittsfield American Legion players, Jim Guinan, Matt Giardina and Charley Simonelli, also of Pittsfield, Wesson Maillard of Lee, Dick Piper, Robert Slick and James Kuczynski, both of Westfield, James Koldis and Ronald Clark, both of Turners Falls, and Terry Rhicard, George Cornwell and Michael Haskell, all of Springfield, and Bob Podolski of Becket.

New enrollees will be welcome this morning, Jones said.

Pittsfield Legion P

Dalton Meets Local Squad Tonight at 6 at Clapp Park

Twi-Night Doubleheader Tomorrow Night Matches Dalton, South Berkshire in 1st Game at 6:30, Pittsfield, Adams in 2nd

By BILL MAHAN

The Pittsfield Legion junior baseball team hopes to clean up two of its four remaining Berkshire County Legion League baseball games tonight and tomorrow night. Pittsfiled will play Dalton tonight at 6 at Clapp Park, and will meet Adams tomorrow night in the second game of the twi-night doubleheader at Wahconah Park. Dalton and South Berkshire will play the first contest, starting at 6:30.

League Home Finale

Williamstown will be at Memorial Field in Great Barrington tonight in a league encounter. It will be the last league home game for South Berkshire.

With some cooperation from the weather, the games tonight and tomorrow night, plus two more Friday, will close out league play with the exception of one postponed affair between Pittsfield and Adams. League secretary Martin Cooney of Dalton is trying to set up a weekend date for that one.

The game was postponed from early in the season to tomorrow night, but when the doubleheader was rained out last Friday it was decided to put the twi-nighter on Wednesday as the park was available that night.

The stated deadline for the determination of all league champions is next Tuesday. The state playoffs will start Thursday, July 27, according to information from Tom Murray, state athletic director. No pairings have been made as yet, but it is rumored the Berkshire and Hampden County champs will meet in the first round in a best two-out-of-three series. Holyoke and Chicopee are battling it out for the Hampden title.

Pleau's Pitching Plans

Coach George (Red) Pleau plans to pitch southpaw Tommy MacCartney tonight against Dalton, and will have right-hander Ray Woitkowski against Adams tomorrow night under the lights. MacCartney was the winning pitcher against Dalton in Dalton earlier. Pittsfield won that one 14-0.

In the first meeting between Williamstown and South Berkshire in the Northern Berkshire community, the home team won, also by the score of 14-0. The South Berkshire club was playing without the services of three key men.

MacCartney's record for the year is three wins and no losses. All his victories were in league play. Besides the 14-0 triumph over Dalton, he holds a 16-5 decision over Williamstown and a 14-0 win over South Berkshire.

Pittsfield is 4-0 in the league and 7-2 for the season. The losses were to Brooklawn, N.J., and West Hartford, Conn. West Hartford was runner-up to Pittsfield in the regional tournament in Keene, N.H. last year. Brooklawn was regional champ in its area last season. Both teams have a good veteran nucleus.

County Legion Double-Header Scheduled To Begin at 6:30

Dalton, South Berkshire in 1st Contest; Pittsfield Plays Adams in 2nd; County Loop Teams Have Busy Weekend in Store

By BILL MAHAN

The lights of Wahconah Park will go on for a baseball game for the first time this season tonight when the Berkshire County American Legion League runs its twi-night double header. South Berkshire will meet Dalton in the first game starting at 6:30 and Pittsfield will play Adams in the second contest, which will start shortly after the conclusion of the first.

Seven Inning Games

Both contests are scheduled for seven innings. If the first game runs long or if the weather is cloudy, part of that game may be under lights also. The switch will definitely be thrown for the second game, which will probably start around 8:30.

A busy couple of days are in store for county Legion teams. Pittsfield will play tomorrow afternoon at 3 at Sterling Field in West Hartford, Conn. against the West Hartford Legion and Sunday afternoon at 3 against Belmont at Wahconah Park. Adams will meet South Berkshire Sunday afternoon on the Stockbridge diamond and Williamstown Monday night in Williamstown in a game postponed by showers Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

The county league officials are putting on the twi-night program tonight as a showcase for Legion baseball in an effort to win more fans for the Legion baseball program and to afford area residents an opportunity to see four of the five league entrants at one time. If any profits are realized after expenses have been paid, the money will be divided among the five clubs in the league.

Scouts Invited

Berkshire County athletic officer Joe Roy has sent written invitations to Boston Red Sox scout Fred Maguire and Houston Colts area scout Jack Johnston of Arlington. Both men wrote Roy at the beginning of the season asking for the league schedule. Other representatives in this area of major league clubs are also expected to be present.

The second contest tonight matches the first and second teams in the league. Pittsfield is on top with five victories and no defeats. Adams is second with two triumphs and one defeat. The two clubs have not met yet. Their first half contest was postponed until next Wednesday because Adams coaches Frank Matrango and Joe Zavattaro were attending a football and basketball clinic in New York State.

Pittsfield coach George (Red) Pleau will have to do a little line-up juggling this weekend. Starting right-fielder Paul O'Gara is recovering from minor surgery, and will be out of action until next weekend. First baseman Ron Kelly will miss tonight's contest because he is at the University of Massachusetts taking entrance exams.

Kelly hopes to get out of Amherst in time to make tomorrow's game in West Hartford. He will be available for the Sunday contest here.

Tobin at First

Pleau will probably put Tom Tobin at first base tonight. Tobin was the regular first base guardian for St. Joseph's High this season, and has played there for the Legion when Pleau has made late inning substitutions. Tobin has been starting in the outfield when John Tagliaferro or Ray Woitkowski has been on the mound.

Pitcher Tom MacCartney and utility men Paul Procopio and Fran Reardon will be ready to fill in the outfield spots if needed.

Williamstown, Dalton Legion To Meet Twice

DALTON — The Dalton American Legion Junior baseball team will meet Williamstown Legion in an exhibition double-header at Pine Grove Park tomorrow afternoon.

The first game will start at 1:30. The second game will be seven innings.

Local Team Meets Belmont In 3 O'Clock Game There

Opposition Will Play Return Contest At Wahconah Park July 16; Post 68 Club Unbeaten in County Loop, Is 4-1 Over-All

By BILL MAHAN

The Pittsfield American Legion junior baseball team will test the caliber of play in Eastern Massachusetts tomorrow afternoon at 3 when it meets the Belmont Legion team at Concord Avenue Playground in Belmont. The local team has met opponents from Brooklawn, N.J., and Keene, N.H., in exhibition action in addition to its Berkshire County League rivals.

A Home and Home Arrangement

The Belmont contest will be the first of a home and home series. The Eastern Massachusetts team will be here Sunday, July 16, for the return game at Wahconah Park. Arrangements have just about been completed for a home and home series with West Hartford, Conn., with the first contest at West Hartford Saturday, July 15. West Hartford won the Connecticut crown last year.

Pittsfield, undefeated in three league contests, has won once and lost once in exhibition play. Post 68 was trounced 16-1 by Brooklawn last Saturday, but bounced back to wallop Keene 12-1 Monday night.

Every game Coach George (Red) Pleau's club has played has resulted in double figures scores. Pittsfield was the winner 10-1 over South Berkshire, 14-0 over Dalton, 12-1 over Keene and 16-5 over Williamstown. Pittsfield was on the short end of the 16-1 score against Brooklawn.

Two Seek Revenge

A victory for the local club would give a couple of its members a small measure of revenge. It was Belmont High that beat the 1959 Pittsfield High baseball team 2-1 in 10 innings in the Massachusetts championship game. Gary Soldato and Paul O'Gara were members of the PHS squad. Soldato was the starting second baseman and O'Gara was a reserve outfielder.

The locale of the action tomorrow will not be the same as the title game, however. The championship tilt was played in Newton.

Pleau is keeping his squad sharp for Belmont. Post 68 had games Monday and Wednesday, a practice session last night and another one is slated for tonight.

The team will go to Belmont in private cars. The departure time will be 8 tomorrow morning. Pleau figures it will give the boys time to get a light lunch, dress and get the kinks out after the long ride.

Pittsfield has compiled an imposing offensive record. The local boys have scored 68 runs in 5 games and have 61 hits or better than 12 per game. The team batting average is .351.

Pittsfield Legion Playing at Concord Avenue Playground

Directions to reach the Concord Avenue Playground in Belmont, where the Pittsfield Legion junior baseball team will play an exhibition game against the Belmont Legion tomorrow afternoon at 3, have been sent to Pittsfield team manager Gus Kiligas by Belmont manager Frank Doyle. Doyle advises as follows:

Take the Massachusetts Turnpike to the end and go north on Rte. 128 to Rte. 2.

Take the Belmont-Arlington exit and follow Rte. 2 about five miles. Shortly before reaching the bottom of a steep hill and an overpass, take the first right exit marked Belmont-Waltham.

This is Pleasant Street which is followed about a mile to some lights. Turn left into a street that bears into Belmont Center. Go through a tunnel and bear left into Concord Avenue. The ball park is a short distance down Concord Avenue, and not more than a half hour ride from the Turnpike.

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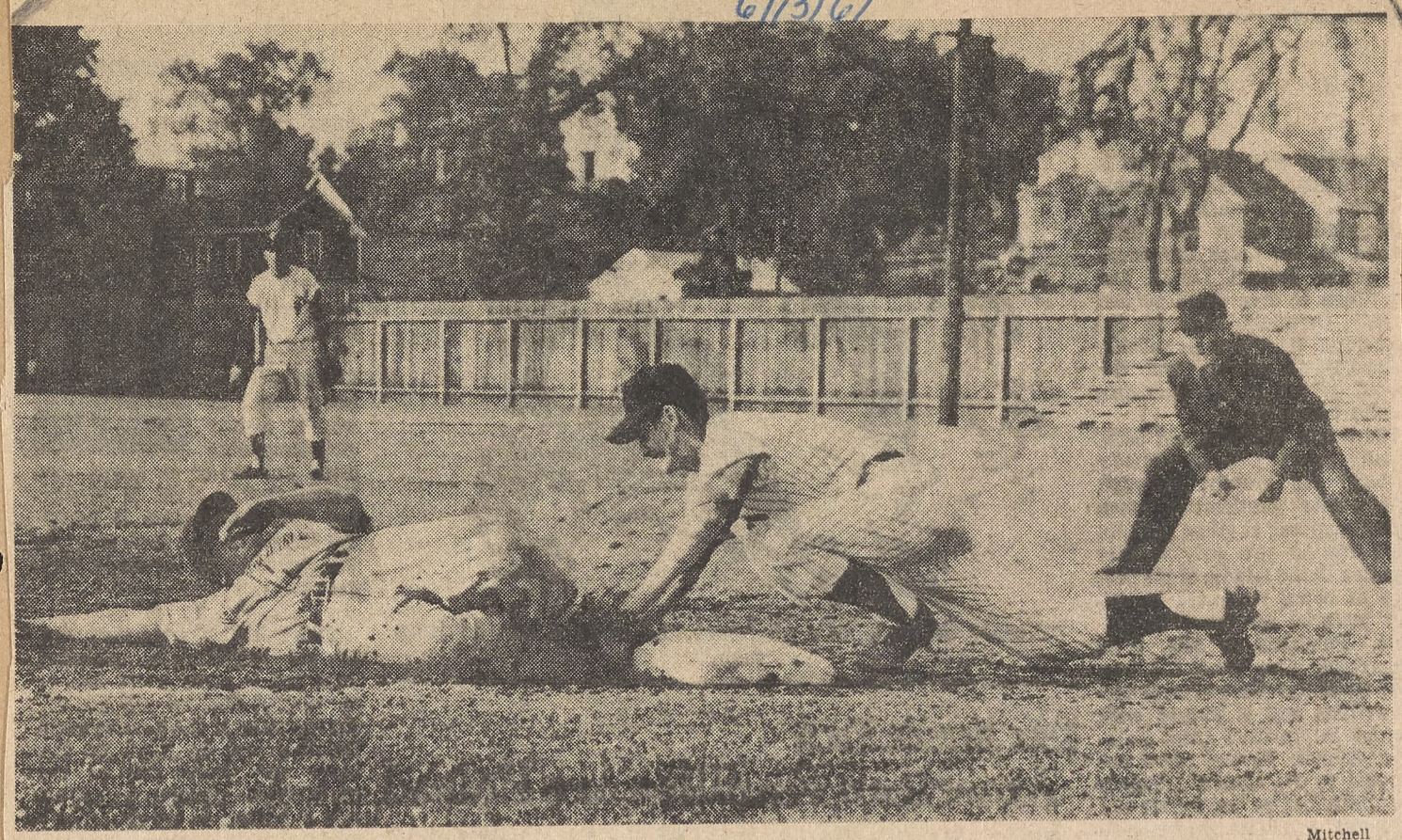

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OUT AT THIRD BASE in the fourth inning of yesterday's Berkshire County championship ball game at Wahconah Park is Lee's John Steadman, when he tried for a triple on his hard-hit ball to the fence in right centerfield. He was cut down, Paul O'Gara to Gary Soldato to Bob Magi, shown making the tag. The double drove in Lee's first two runs. Also in the photo are PHS shortstop Mark Belanger, left rear, and Umpire Louis Airoldi, who made the call. Pittsfield won 13-6.

No-hitters Are Common

FAIR OR FOUL

Wahconah 7/22/61

By Roger O'Gara

BACK IN the spring, Ray Woitkowski threw no hitters for the Pittsfield High baseball team against Adams High and St. Joseph's High of North Adams.

Wednesday night, he pitched another hitless game against a merger of the best players on both of those teams plus a couple of Drury High boys. This time, of course, he was working for the American Legion.

Three no-hitters in one season —that's the record of this able right-hander, and the summer is far from over. He should have at least a few more starts. The optimists are predicting many for him, because such community names as Keene, N.H., and Hastings, Neb., already are starting to turn up in their conversations.

Ray's chances of achieving another no-hitter will be more difficult as he and his teammates move into faster competition. Still, if he doesn't win another game, he has left a definite imprint on this season.

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THE LIST of double victims of Woitkowski's mastery includes Jimmy Robinson, Ronnie Pietras, Don Vitali and Francis Walsh, all of St. Joseph's of North Adams, Bob Constant, Jim Chenail, Francis Nimmons, Billy Roberts and Tony Kopec, all of Adams.

That's enough of a blight on Northern Berkshire to cause the ardent sports fans up that way to rue the day Ray's grandfather settled on Pittsfield's Wahconah Street rather than in Adams.

Hundreds of young men from Poland in the early days of this century went to Adams. They sired sturdy sons, who starred in the 1920s and the 1930s for Adams High, and now are exhorting their own offspring to match the feats. A fellow like Ray Woitkowski makes it difficult for the sons, however obedient they otherwise may be, to please their dads in baseball.

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RAY WAS fast a year ago. He's considerably faster today.

He hardly had a curve in the summer of 1960. Now it's a menacing thing, crackling much like the lightning that threatened to break up the Pittsfield-Dalton Legion game at Clapp Park the other night.

In these three no-hitters, he has ranged from wild to pinpoint and back to wild.

On a cold April day at Adams, he didn't allow Adams a hit, but the home team scored two runs. Ray was extremely wild.

In May, on a warmer day at Clapp Park, he pitched a perfect game in a chips-down meeting with St. Joseph's High of North Adams.

Against the Adams Legion at Wahconah Park, Woitkowski again was plagued by lack of control. When he missed, it usually was by a foot, not inches.

Nonetheless, wildness was all that bothered him. The Adams batters didn't. He played no favorites, getting every regular but Ronnie Pietras on strikes at least once. Pietras, a good left-handed batter, didn't fan, but neither did he pulverize Ray's pitches. He grounded out twice, walked once.

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NO ONE should be too hard on Frank Matrango if he says that Wahconah Park is haunted.

The St. Joseph's High of North Adams coach is handling the Adams Legion this summer.

When Woitkowski fanned Robinson for the game-ending out, he made it two consecutive no-hit, no-run appearances in Wahconah Park night games for Matrango. Frank's St. Joseph's team suffered the same fate in the spring of 1960 when Joey Costanzo bested Francis Walsh 1-0 in a real duel. Costanzo also threw a no-hitter.

Hold the phone. Frank can lament three straight no-hit jobs against Pittsfield High pitching in games played in this city. For he also sat on the losing bench on the day that Woitkowski had his perfect game.

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WHY DIDN'T Walsh start for the Adams Legion the other night? That's what many asked, with all deference to Constant's pitching. Constant shackled most of the Pittsfield batters, but wildness was his undoing.

However, Walsh in his brief relief appearance was every bit as phenomenal as Woitkowski. Then, too, based on the form book, he figured to be the starting choice. He had done three highly creditable route-going jobs against Pittsfield High in the last two seasons.

He wasn't nominated at the outset, because he had physical woe. A sore leg bothered him, and he also has had some groin trouble. However, he looked perfectly healthy when he came on in relief. He struck out four of the five men he faced. He is a fine prospect.

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COUNTY LEGION League officials were happy about the crowd.

They had to sweat out the finances. Less than 300 saw the opener in the twi-night doubleheader between Dalton and South Berkshire. However, as time for the feature game approached, people came in larger numbers.

There were more than 900 at the height of the Pittsfield-Adams contest, and most stayed to the end. They knew Woitkowski was working on a no-hitter.

Such a gathering this side of a state series contest indicates that the Legion team has built a solid corps of backers.

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Legion League Revises Slate

First Game Set Tuesday, June 20, In Great Barrington

Because of the one-week postponement of the opening of its schedule, the Berkshire County American Legion Junior Baseball League has revised the slate. The postponement was made because of conflicts with high school baseball.

The first game of the newly formed loop will take place next Tuesday night when Adams plays the South Berkshire team at Great Barrington. Williamstown will be at Dalton the following evening, Wednesday, June 21. Pittsfield draws the first round bye.

The South Berkshire entry is slated to play its home games in Great Barrington. Any schedule changes must be cleared through Martin Cooney of Dalton, league secretary.

The revised slate is a s follows:

FIRST ROUND

Tuesday, June 20—Adams at Great Barrington.
Wednesday, June 21—Williamstown at Dalton.
Friday, June 23—South Berkshire at Pittsfield; Williamstown at Adams.
Tuesday, June 27—Pittsfield at Adams; Dalton at Great Barrington.
Friday, June 30—Pittsfield at Dalton; South Berkshire at Williamstown.
Tuesday, July 4—Dalton at Williamstown (exhibition).
Wednesday, July 5—Williamstown at Pittsfield; Dalton at Adams.

SECOND ROUND

Friday, July 7—South Berkshire at Adams; Dalton at Williamstown.
Tuesday, July 11—Pittsfield at Great Barrington; Adams at Williamstown.
Friday, July 14—Adams at Pittsfield; South Berkshire at Dalton. (Proposed date for twi-night doubleheader at Wahconah Park).
Tuesday, July 18—Dalton at Pittsfield; Williamstown at Great Barrington.
Friday, July 21—Pittsfield at Williamstown; Adams at Dalton.

Legion Twin Bill Set Friday Night At Wahconah Park

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The Berkshire County American Legion Junior Baseball League will present a twi-night doubleheader Friday night at Wahconah Park, starting at 6:30.

Both games will be seven innings. Dalton and South Berkshire will meet in the first, with league-leading Pittsfield facing runner-up Adams in the second.

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Horton, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Procopio, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Soldato, 2b	5	0	0	1	4	0
Belanger, ss	3	2	2	2	0	0
Kelly, 1b	4	1	1	11	0	1
Reardon, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Tagliaferro, lf	3	3	2	0	0	0
Woitkowski, p	3	2	2	0	5	0
Tobin, cf, 1b	3	1	1	3	0	0
Meehan, c	3	0	3	6	1	0
Bates, c	1	0	0	3	1	0
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Sewell, 3b	3	0	0	2	2	0
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Noon, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Canning, 1b	4	0	0	12	0	0
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Brogan, cf	0	0	0	1	1	0
Fields, rf	2	0	0	2	0	0
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WBRK To Carry Play-by-Play Of Tourney Tilt

A play-by-play account of the Western Massachusetts interscholastic baseball tournament semifinal round game between Pittsfield and St. Stephen's of Worcester will be carried tomorrow afternoon by Radio Station WBRK. The contest is scheduled for MacKenzie Field in Holyoke, starting at 2:30.

Tom Kirby will be at the microphone.

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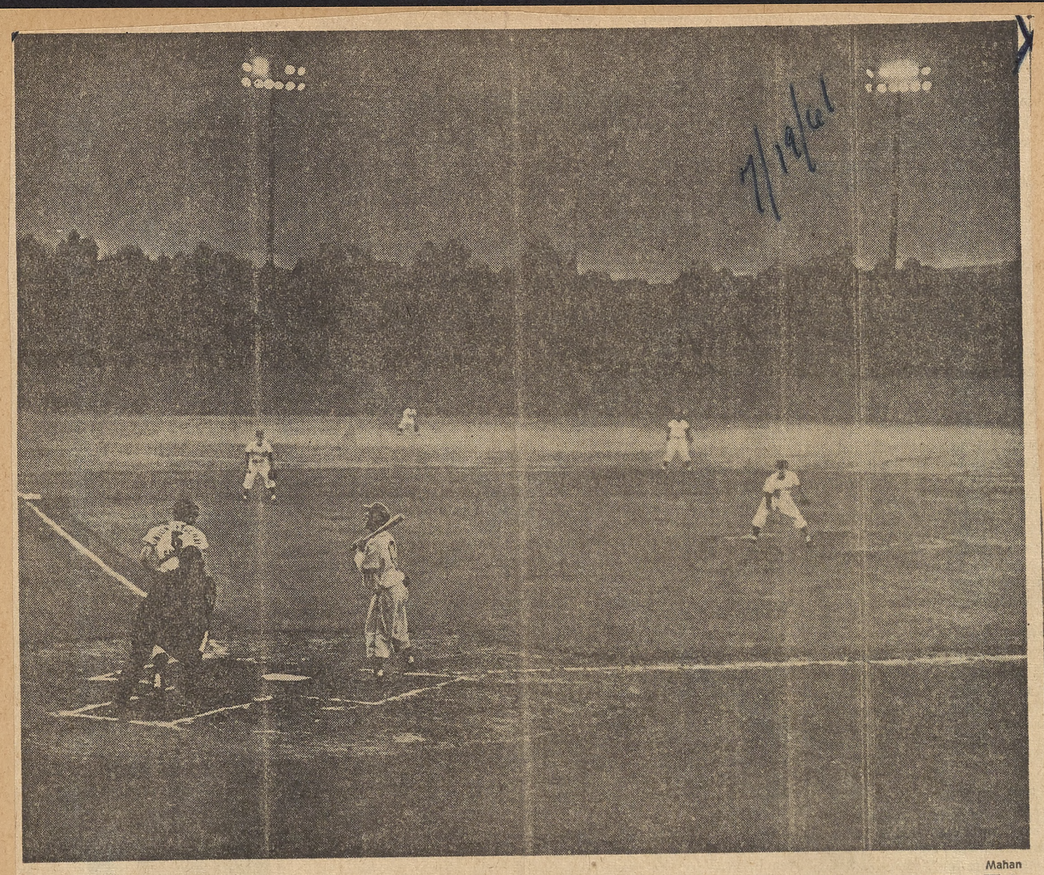

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FIRST PITCH of the first night baseball game of the season at Wahconah Park was by Pittsfield Legion hurler Ray Woitkowski to Adams Legion lead-off hitter Jim Robinson in the second contest of the Berkshire County Legion League's twi-night double-header last night. Woitkowski went on to pitch a no-hit, no-run game as Pittsfield won 3-0. The first call was a ball, but Woitkowski made Robinson his first of 14 strikeout victims. The Pittsfield catcher is Shaun Meehan.

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Eddie Connolly Jr. Will Sign With Red Sox Today for Substantial Bonus

U. of M. Southpaw Pitcher To Join Olean, N.Y., Club

BRL

Son of Former Catcher To Receive Amount That Reaches Five Figures— He Plans To Complete College Course

By ROGER O'GARA

Twenty-one-year-old Eddie Connolly Jr., former St. Joseph's High pitching star and a standout the past spring at the University of Massachusetts, will sign a bonus contract late today with the Boston Red Sox. The agreement was made by telephone yesterday. The signing will take place in Olean, N.Y., where Eddie will join that community's representative team in the Class D New York-Pennsylvania League.

Connolly will receive a bonus that reaches five figures, an excellent source advised.

He's With Dad's Old Club

"I'm very well satisfied," he said. "It isn't one of those real big ones that you've been reading about, but I like it."

Eddie is a left-hander. He stands six feet, one inch, and weighs 190 pounds.

Eddie is joining the team for which his father played in his professional baseball days. Eddie Sr., now in his early 50s, caught for the Red Sox from 1929 through 1932. He was with the Pittsfield Hillies of the Eastern League in 1928.

Connolly recently worked out with the Red Sox for five days. Then he went to Cleveland for a three-day drill with the Indians.

Eddie Connolly Jr.

Irving (Jack) Burns, former major league first baseman, has been representing the Sox in negotiations with the young pitcher. However, he will not be present at the signing because his wife is seriously ill.

Connolly has used up his collegiate baseball eligibility, but has one more semester to complete be-

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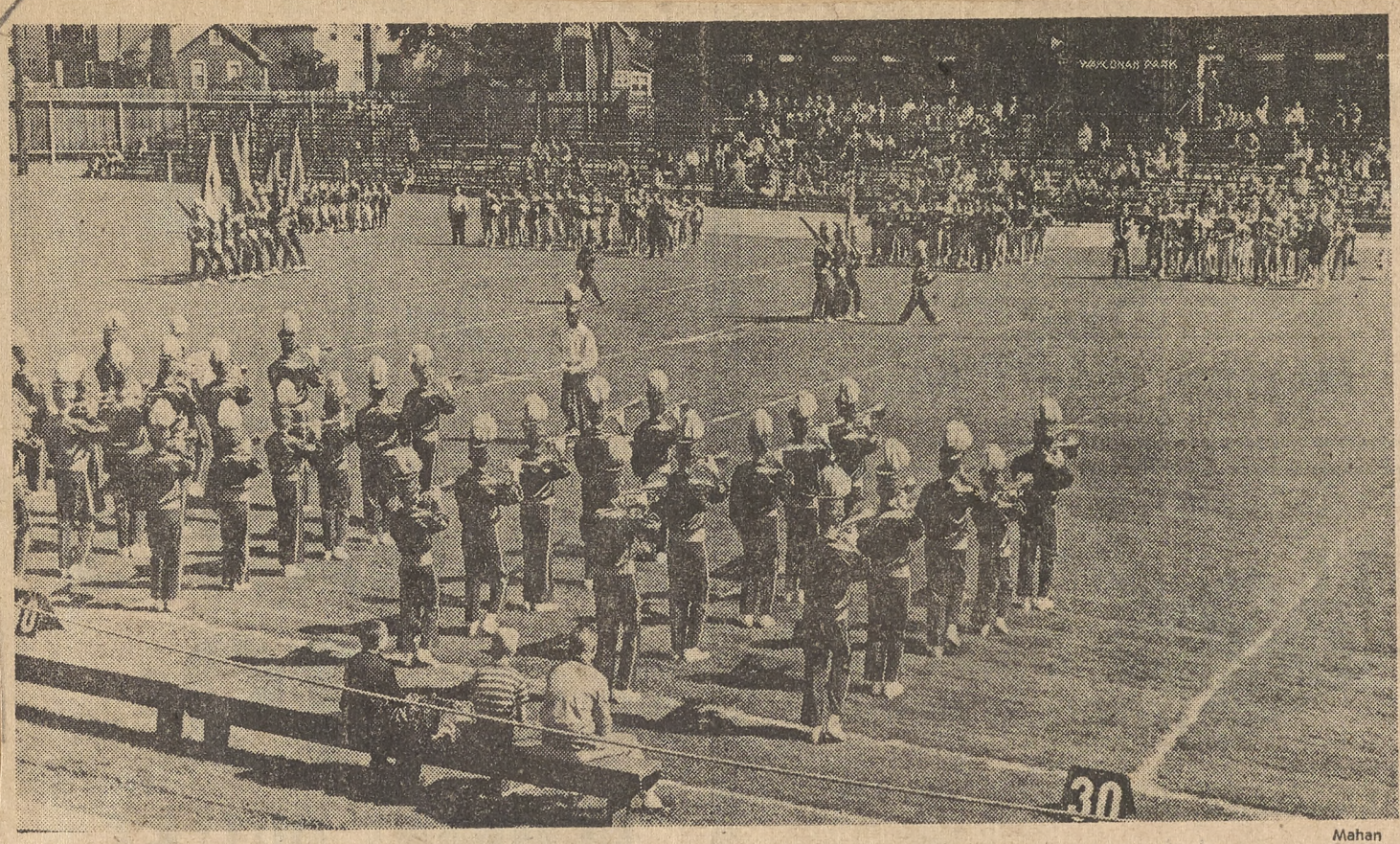

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OPENING CEREMONIES before the first game of the seventh season of the Pittsfield Quarterback Pop Warner football league included the Pittsfield Boys' Club Cavaliers drum and bugle corps, in the foreground, and the four teams in the league, lined up in the background. The units lined up for the flag raising and the Cavaliers' color guard marched to the flag pole with the colors. Pictured is the color guard moving down the center of the field toward the flag pole.

Pop Warner L
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By LAWRENC

A pair of scoreless ties marke
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1959 titlist, played to an inconclu
In the second game, the Lions
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four teams has a won-and-lost r

Cavaliers Play

The Warners popped the lid to the blare of bugles on a sunny but bracing afternoon before a crowd of 500. The Boys' Club Cavaliers, with Wilbert Stockton leading, conducted the opening ceremonies and entertained smartly between the halves.

The contests were typical of season-openers in that there was a lack of precision and decisiveness in the execution of plays. Fumbles were frequent and frustrating, nullifying scoring opportunities in both encounters. On the other hand, the play was spirited and rugged, and the opponents were as well matched as the items in a school-lunch menu.

A recovered fumble gave the Browns a golden opportunity early in the second period. In possession on their own 30, the Rams fumbled, and Browns tackle Fred Salomone recovered.

Mike Fiorini gained four yards in a slant through the left side. Steve Teal fumbled but recovered with a two-yard gain. Teal's five-yard sprint put the ball just inside the Rams' 20 for a first down.

Brennan Goes to 1

Kevin Brennan broke off the right side and rolled to the 1-yard line where he was stopped by Larry Hunt's diving tackle. With first down on the 1, it looked like a softer touch than a baby's blanket. But quarterback Phil Degnan's hand-off to Fiorini misfired, and the ball squirted into the end zone, where it was recovered by the Rams and brought out to the 20.

Late in the fourth period, with John Kennedy and Dick Scullary doing the lugging, the Rams penetrated to the Browns' 24 where they lost the ball on downs.

In the second game the Lions had four separate chances to win it, but were unable to put over a touchdown. The first opportunity was early in the second quarter when the Lions' forwards broke through and blocked Del Hoose's fourth-down punt. Mike Smith recovered for the Lions on the Giant 20.

Lions Threaten Again

Woodie Woodson swung left end for 9 yards. Shaun Kirby on a keep was stopped with no gain. Jim Parslow's short burst up the middle resulted in a first down at the 8. But the Giant line held for three plays, and Kirby's pass in-

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Easter Eggs and Children To Be 'Scrambled' Sunday

Hundreds of youngsters and colorful Easter eggs will be scrambled at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Clapp Park in the annual hunt sponsored by the Exchange Club and the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Infant-size to nine-year-old children are invited to participate in the Easter Sunday search, which ordinarily lasts a total of two minutes or less.

Mrs. Anna Martin, veteran egg decorator, has prepared the special prize-winning eggs. The rest are plastic shells containing jelly beans and were filled last night by Exchange Club members.

If the weatherman interferes, the hunt will be postponed two weeks. Exchange Club members have another activity planned for April 9, preventing a one-week postponement.

Herman A. Clement of the Exchange Club is general chairman. His assistants for the various age groups will be Hunter E. Robertson, two years and under; Simeon H. Decelles, three-and four-year-olds; Robert F. Elworthy Jr., fives and sixes; Del Virgilio and Kenneth D. Conway, seven through nine.

Prizes will be awarded the finders of the golden, silver, black, largest and smallest eggs, with a special gift for the youngest hunter present.

Children are asked to bring their own baskets. About a thousand youngsters scoured the park last year and picked up all the eggs within three minutes.

Public Events

Tomorrow

2:30 p.m. — Annual Easter egg hunt sponsored by the Exchange Club and the Department of Parks and Recreation, Clapp Park.

Librizzi

ADVANCED SCOUT for the Easter Bunny wore hip boots when he inspected Clapp Park today prior to the Easter egg hunt, scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Sunday. Barring interference from incoming April's weatherman, the grounds will be in good condition for the annual melee, an event that ordinarily lasts no more than two or three minutes.

City Observatory To Be Closed Aug. 4, 11

The Department of Parks and Recreation has announced that the observatory at Springside Park will be closed on Fridays, Aug. 4 and 11. The closing is made necessary because of vacations of the volunteers who supervise the program.

The observatory will resume operations on Aug. 18.

1,000 Scrambling Youngsters Find 3,000 Eggs in 3 Minutes

Snow flurries stemmed neither the enthusiasm nor the speed of about 1,000 youngsters who turned out yesterday for the annual Easter egg hunt at Clapp Park.

Braving gray skies and chilly weather, the scrambling youngsters took the usual two or three minutes to retrieve about 3,000 plastic eggs filled with jelly beans.

The sponsoring Exchange Club and Department of Parks and Recreation provided solace for the unsuccessful by supplying extra eggs afterward from an emergency store.

The Easter Bunny was on hand to award special prizes, including one to 11-moth-old Mary L. Tremblay of 128 Allengate Ave., judged the youngest hunter of the lot.

Golden-Egg Finders

Prize-winning finders of golden eggs were David J. Boothby of 769 Williams St., 2; Michael O'Kane of 30 State St., 4; Robert Barian of 261 Eleanor Road, 6; Daniel McHugh of 17 Alden Ave., 8.

Awarded prizes for finding black eggs were Louis J. Russo Jr., 131 Ridgeway Ave., 2; Jack Mansen, 92 Henry Ave., 4; Debbie Teevens, 12 South Merriam St., 6; William Longstreet, 51 Backman Ave., 9.

Silver-egg finders were Susan L. Daly, Lanesboro, 2; Johnny Ferguson, Bridgeport, Conn., 3; Timothy Daury, 98 Bryan St., 5; Charles Daley, 43 Lake St., 9.

Largest eggs were retrieved by Donald E. Brenham, 60 Cherry St., 2; Ralph Appleton, 22 Canal St., 4; Linda Pettibone, 88 Henry Ave., 6; Debbie Conway, 66 Mohawk St., 7.

Other Winners

And the smallest eggs were turned in by Judy M. Fitzgerald, 28 Hollister St., 2; Patricia Hall, 24 McKinley Ter., 4; Neil Huddleston, 664 Dalton Division Road, 6, and Larry Maston, 41 Branch St., 9.

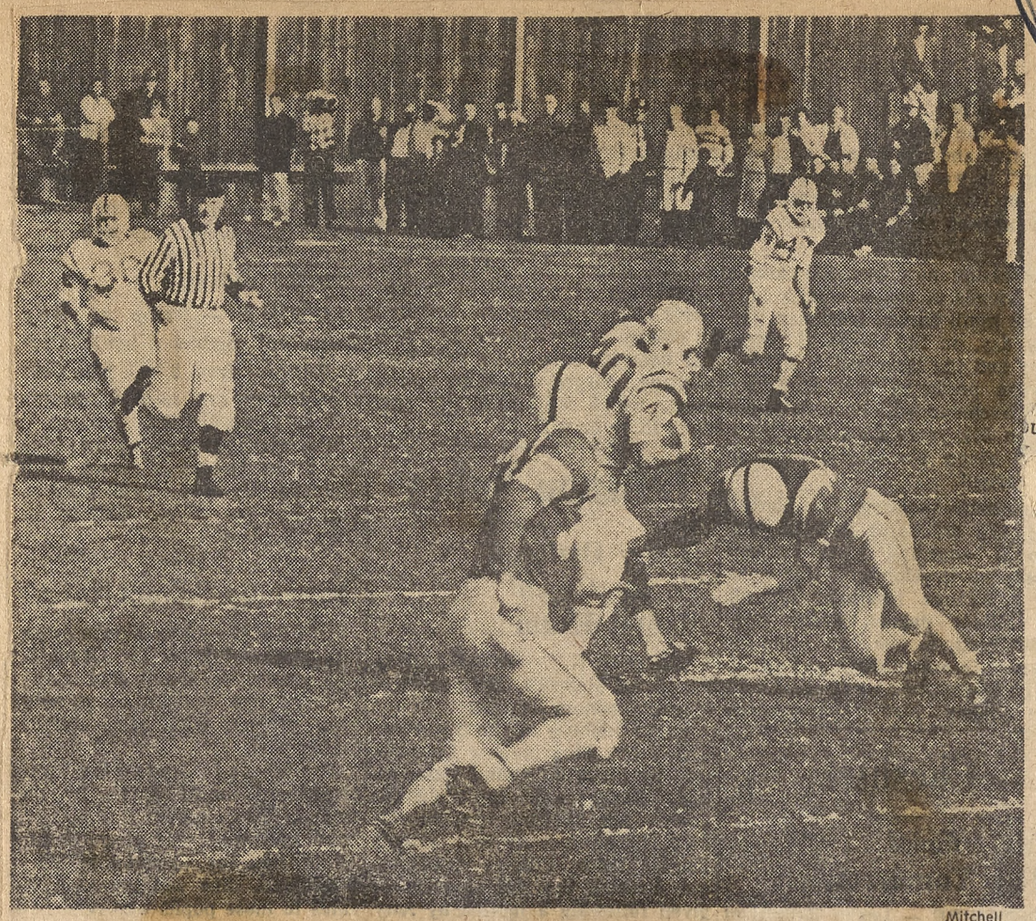
Exchange Club members prepared the jelly-bean-filled eggs, with Mrs. Anna Martin hand-decorating the special, prize-winning eggs.

Club members who took charge of the various age divisions were Hunter E. Robertson, two-year-olds and under; Simeon H. Decelles, three and four-year-olds; Robert F. Elsworthy Jr., five and six-year-olds; Del Virgilio and Kenneth D. Conway, seven, eight and nine-year-olds.

Librizzi

DETERMINED WAVE of youngsters swept over Clapp Park yesterday afternoon despite un-springlike weather and retrieved more than 3,000 jelly-bean-filled Easter eggs. The thousand participants seemed undaunted by the chill in the air and the snow flurries that preceded the hunt sponsored by the Exchange Club and the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Hermann A. Clement was general chairman, assisted by Vincent J. Hebert of the Park Department and the Easter Bunny.



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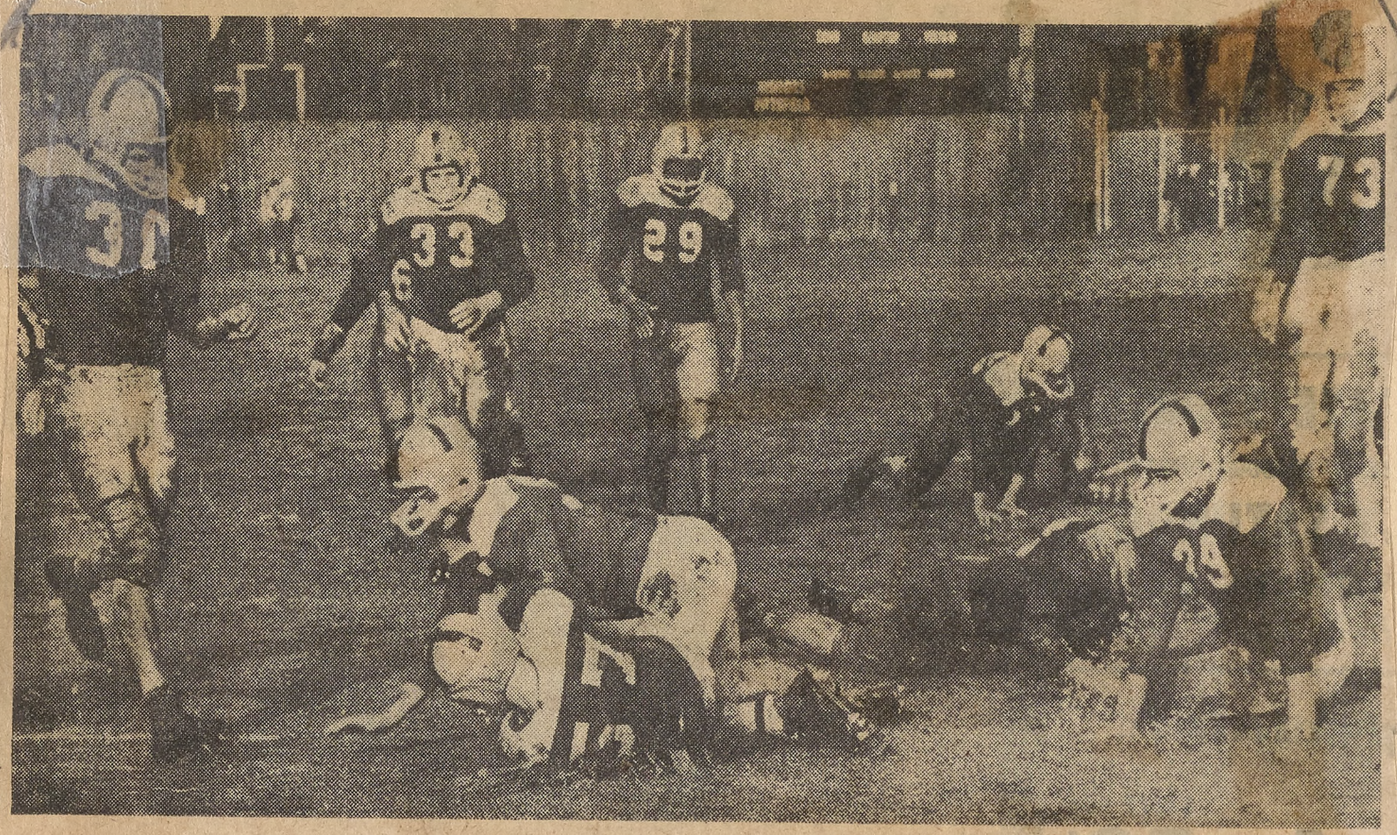
ADAMS' LAST CHANCE to stop Pittsfield halfback Ray Woitkowski on his 85-yard touchdown run in the first quarter of Saturday's game at Wahconah Park came around midfield (shown above) when one of the Hurricanes' defenders got a hand on Woitkowski but couldn't hold him and the big speedster outran the other. It was third touchdown for Woitkowski in first period and raised his scoring total to 76 points, high in Western Massachusetts.

Photos by Librizzi

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RUN of three by Pittsfield High halfback Ray Woitkowski Saturday afternoon at Wahconah Park against St. Joseph's High was for 72 yards in the fourth quarter. Above, the star back is shown heading for the end zone with St. Joe's halfback Paul Procopio in pursuit, left, and head linesman Vince Zajac keeping an eye on the play down the right sideline. Procopio, who had stopped Woitkowski on a couple of previous occasions, could not overtake the big speedster this time. In the photo, right, PHS Joe Gleason gets the hero's ride from a couple of his stalwarts at the conclusion of the undefeated season. It was Gleason's first season as head coach of the Pittsfield High championship team.



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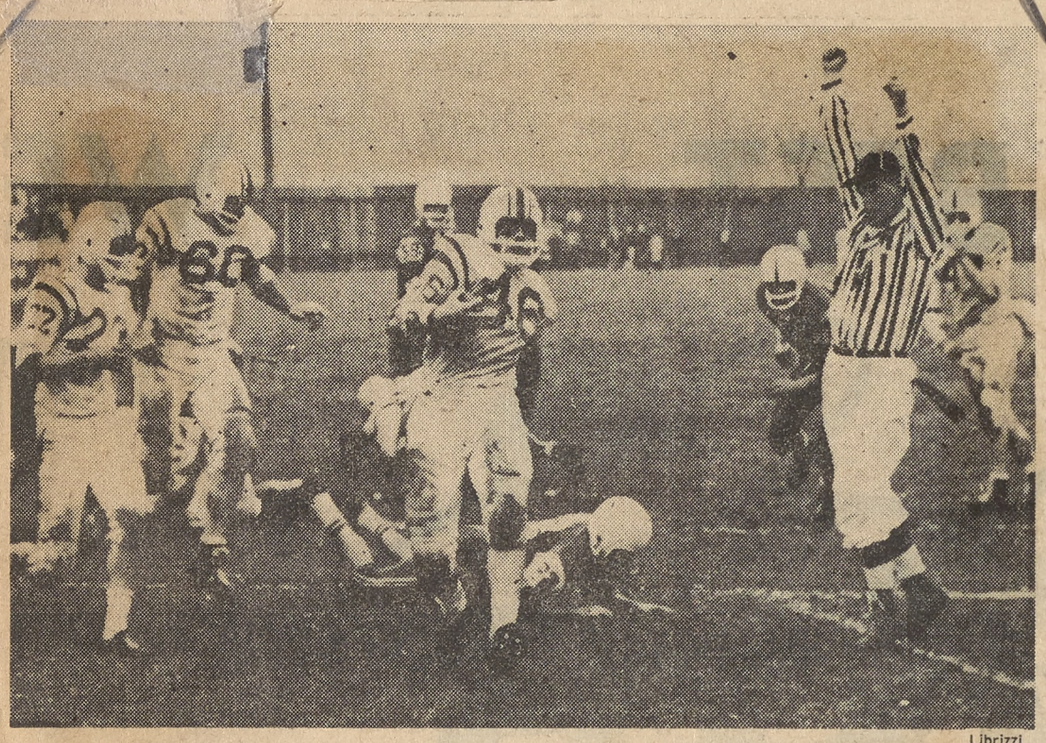
STOPPED SHORT BUT NOT FOR LONG, North Junior High halfback Lou Orazio goes down on the South five-yard line after a nine-yard gain in the second quarter of the contest between the local schools at Wahconah Park yesterday afternoon. South back Bob Ames made the tackle. Orazio took the ball on the next play and went over for his first of two touchdowns in North's 30-0 victory. He was the leading ground gainer and high scorer in the annual election day contest.



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UP THE MIDDLE for 14 yards was the route taken by Pittsfield High fullback Gary Sitcer (46) on his second of three touchdowns in the first period of Pittsfield's 46-20 triumph over Wahconah Regional at Wahconah Park Saturday. Sitcer scored 24 points on three touchdowns and three conversion runs. PHS players in the picture are Bob Bard (22) and Bud Collins (60). Wahconah defensive back Craig Crosier (22) is on the ground at the goal line in his unsuccessful try to stop the score. Umpire Ferd Berti gives the TD sign with outstretched arms.

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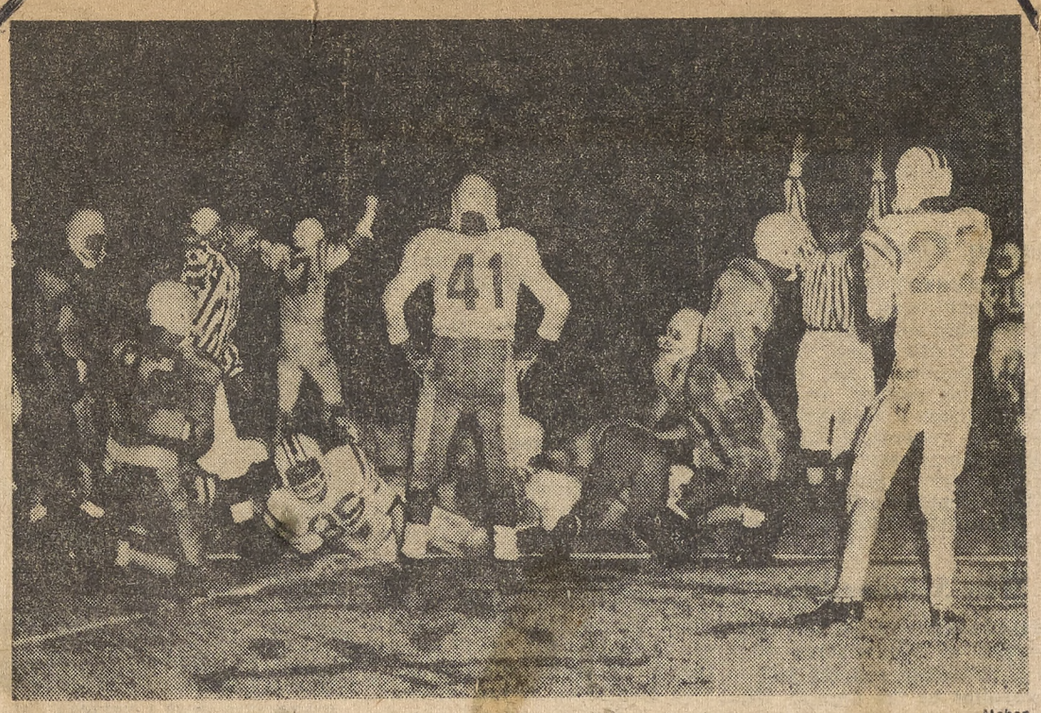

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FIRST PITTSFIELD HIGH TOUCHDOWN of the season and the first for the team under Joe Gleason, its new head coach, was made by Gary Sitcer (on the bottom of the pile) in the second quarter of last night's game with Springfield Trade at Wahconah Park. Pittsfield won 22-0. Identifiable players are Trade men Bob Guistembelli (92), and Roger Leftwich (41). Pittsfield No. 35 lying on the ground is Bob Melle and No. 22, right, is Bob Bard. The officials are umpire Bill Vickery, left, and referee Jack Barnini on the right.

Lions and Giants Clash For Warner League Lead

Sole possession of first place in the Pop Warner Football League will be at stake in the second game of a double-header tomorrow afternoon at Wahconah Park. The Lions and the Rams, who between them have scored seven of the eight touchdowns made in two weeks of play to date, will be the principals.

The Rams will oppose the Browns in the opener at 1:30. Each team has one loss and one tie. The Rams are defending champions.

The Lions walloped the Rams 26-6 and the Giants disposed of the Browns 22-0 last Sunday.

Commissioner Charles D. Gilson last night issued a special appeal to members of the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club to attend in large numbers. The club sponsors the league.

"We need help from the members," the commissioner said.

The probable starting line-ups:

FIRST GAME

RAMS: Mark Renieri and Dick Del Gallo, ends; Mark Guild and Tom Hannigan, tackles; Roger Barzousky and Frank Schultz, guards; Gerry DiCicco, center; Nando Delmolino, Dick Scullary, Mike Massaconi and John Kennedy, backs.

BROWNS: Tony Demick and Jim Clark, ends; Joseph Biasioli and Fred Salomone, tackles; Kevin Aldam and Bill Farr, guards; Steve Teal, center; Kevin Brennan, Ken Williams, Michael Fiorini and Mark Kline, backs.

SECOND GAME

LIONS: Mark Skowronski and Jim Hannigan, ends; Charles Beuth and John White, tackles; Wayne Ciepiela and John Powers, guards; Mark Mitchell, center; Shaun Kirby, Dick Haley, Jim Moore and James Parslow, backs.

GIANTS: Alex Borelli and Richard L'Hote, ends; David Gilmore and Julio Lucido, tackles; Bill Tobin and Joseph Esposito, guards; Karl Bauman, center; Michael O'Connor, Robert Estes, Tony Gibson and Deibert Hoose, backs.

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PASS INTERCEPTION by Paul Procopio of St. Joseph's (14), obscured by Mike Casey of St. Joseph's (3), gave the local parochial team its last chance to catch Northampton High in the fourth quarter of its 8-0 loss at Wahconah Park Saturday. St. Joe's moved down to its opponents' 37, where it lost the ball on downs. The Northampton player fighting for the ball is Larry DeLue, the intended receiver on the pass from quarterback Don Bertrand.

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Gilson

STRATEGY SESSION for the Giants of the Pop Warner Football League is held in preparation for second game of double-header under lights tonight at Wahconah Park. Handing the ball to quarterback Mike O'Connor is Coach Mike Bernardino. Looking on at left is John Carmody Jr., supervisor of coaches in the league and for six years head coach of the Giants. Other Giants are: second row, left to right, Joe Esposito, Karl Bauman, Jim Tobin and Dave Gillmore; back row, Pat Aherne and Dave Bates. The Giants will meet the unbeaten Lions in the second game at 7:45. The Browns and the Rams will be the principals in the opener at 6:30. This will be the league's first after-dark presentation in its seven-year history. Commissioner Charles D. Gilson arranged the night event because the World Series is on tomorrow afternoon. The Monarchs, a drum corps, will play between the halves of both games.

Night Double Bill Arranged Oct. 7 for Pop Warner League

The first night games in the seven-year history of the Pop Warner Football League will be played at Wahconah Park on Saturday, Oct. 7, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson announced today. He said a doubleheader has been set, with the first contest starting at 6:30.

The Saturday night date was arranged because the World Series will be on the next afternoon. Until this year, the weekend of the series was an open one in Warner League play.

"This will not be a booster program," Gilson explained. "Two regular season contests will be played. We're doing it for the kids, because they are so interested. They're thrilled to think they're going to be playing under lights. It will be good for them, because they'll be playing some night contests later when they are in high school."

The Rams will oppose the Browns, and the Giants will go against the Lions. Gilson said the order of games will be decided within several days.

9 O'Clock Finish

The commissioner promised parents that the program will be completed by 9 o'clock.

"We hope that this arrangement will enable many parents to see their sons play for the first time," he said. "We urge them to be present, because we think they should be there to provide transportation home for the little fellows."

Gilson said he expects to arrange for a drum corps "to add a little color."

Sunday afternoon the schedule has the Lions playing the Browns in the first game at 1:30 and the Giants clashing with the Rams in the second game about 3.

Veteran Officials To Work Warner Games Tonight

Veteran football officials Joe Woitkoski and Jake Barnini will officiate in the Pop Warner Football League double-header tonight at Wahconah Park. Bob O'Hearn and John (Radar) Farrell will be the other officials working with them.

The first game of the doubleheader will begin at 6:30.

Lions Thrash Browns 26-6, Take Warner League Lead

POP WARNER FOOTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

Lions	2	0	1.000
Giants	1	1	.500
Rams	1	1	.500
Browns	0	2	.000

The powerful Lions bounded to the top of the Pop Warner Football League by clawing the Browns 26-6 in the first game of a doubleheader yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park. Last year's champion Rams upset the Giants 8-0 in the second game.

The next twin bill has been arranged for Saturday evening under the lights at Wahconah. The Browns will be seeking their first win in the opener at 6:30, opposing the Rams. The Giants, trying to bounce back, will play in the feature. Naturally their opponents in the mane event will be those ruff customers, the roaring Lions.

Charles D. Gilson, league commissioner, announced that the change from the usual Sunday date has been made to accommodate Pop Warner fans who wish to be home for broadcasts of the World Series.

The Lions started off like a fire in a haymow, scoring two touchdowns in the opening quarter, and adding one in each of the last two periods. The Browns scored in the second quarter.

Parslow Scores

The Lions tallied on a downfield drive of 58 yards stemming from the kickoff. Shaun Kirby received the kick and returned 17 yards to the Lions 42. Willie Woodson circled left end to the 48. Dick Haley crashed off the right side, and rambled to the Browns 19 where he was stopped by Kevin Brennan. Woodson ran inside left end to the 10. Kirby tossed a pass to Haley in the left flat, good for six yards. Jim Parslow bolted over right guard for the touchdown.

Two other scoring opportunities were presented to the Lions when the Browns elected to run instead of kick on fourth down. First, in the opening quarter was on a fourth-and-two on their own 30-yard line. Brennan carried to the 31 — a one-yard gain — and the Lions took over.

Kirby, on a keep, failed to gain. Haley advanced six yards over right tackle. Haley bucked over left guard for a first down at the 20. Woodson swung left end for nine yards to the 11, where he was tackled by Mike Fiorini. Haley swept to the right sideline, where he was knocked out of bounds on the 2. Woodson circled left end for the touchdown.

With Fiorini doing the bulk of the carrying, the Browns traveled 36 yards in small chunks for a touchdown. Longest gain was Brennan's nine-yard run. Fiorini capped the drive by crashing over his left guard from the 2.

The Lions scored again on the second-half kickoff. The kick rolled into the end zone where several Browns converged on it. But Parslow, a man of direct action, fell on it for a Lions touchdown. Parslow added the extra points on a line smash, the only successful conversion of the day.

Final touchdown came in the fourth quarter when the Browns' attack petered out on the Lions 30. Woodson dashed 40 yards off his left end to set it up. Six plays later, Woodson was off on a six-yard touchdown jaunt.

The hard-hitting Rams seized the initiative in the second contest and never relinquished it. Midway in the first quarter Dick DelGallo recovered a fumble at the Giants 20-yard line. A penalty advanced the ball to the 15. Larry Hunt broke through center and raced for a touchdown.

Much of the remainder of the contest was played deep in Giant territory. In the second quarter Giant back Del Hoose was attempting a fourth-down kick from his end zone. The pass from center was high, and Hoose fumbled. Hoose recovered in the end zone, but was tackled for a safety.

Late in the period the Giants mounted a sustained offensive after Mike Connor intercepted Mitch Massaconi's pass on his goal line and ran it out 53 yards to the Rams' 47. With Hoose and Connor doing the bulk of the ball-toting, the Giants ran off three successive first downs, to the 5-yard line. But the attack sputtered out when a fourth-down play was run out of bounds on the 4.

FIRST GAME

LIONS

Ends—Murphy, Skowronski.
Tackles—Beuth, Mitchell, Levardi, Phillips.
Guards—Ciepiela, B. Barzousky, White, Parise.
Center—Powers.
Backs—Kirby, Haley, Woodson, Parslow, Brown.

BROWNS

Ends—Clark, Demick.
Tackles—Biasioli, Salomone, Handy.
Guards—Burke, Aldam.
Centers—Kline, Farr.
Backs—Degnan, Brennan, Fiorini, Williams, Teal.

Score by periods:

LIONS	12	0	8	6	—26
BROWNS	0	6	0	0	— 6

Touchdowns—Parslow 2 (4-yd. run, recovered kickoff in end zone); Woodson 2 (2-yd. run, 6-yd. run); Fiorini (2-yd. run). Points after touchdown—Parslow (run).

Referee, Pat Bruni; umpire, Mike Messina; head linesman, John Quinlan; field judge, Jim Smith. Time, 7-minute quarters.

SECOND GAME

RAMS

Ends—DelGallo, Renieri, Boyington.
Tackles—Guild, Gasson, Rocca, Bologna.
Guards—R. Barzousky, Hannigan, Fitzgerald.
Center—DiCicco.
Backs—Massaconi, Kennedy, Scullary, Vittone, Hunt, Delmolino.

GIANTS

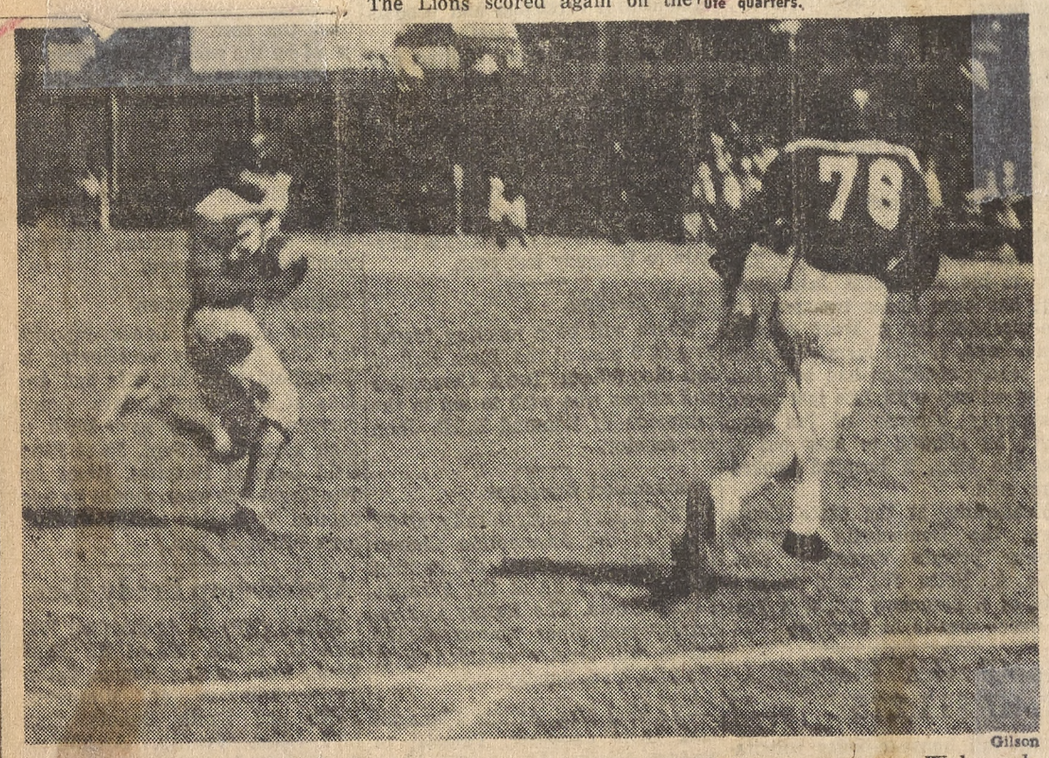
Ends—Borelli, L'Hote, Phelps.
Tackles—Lucido, Williams, Hayford, Aherne.
Guards—Tobin, Esposito, Keyes.
Center—Bauman.
Backs—Connor, Bates, Gibson, Hoose.

Score by periods:

RAMS	6	2	0	0	—8

Touchdown — Hunt (15-yd. run). Safety: Hoose.

Referee, John Quinlan; umpire, Pat Bruni; head linesman, Mike Messina. Time, 7-minute quarters.



Gilson

SWEEPING TO TOUCHDOWN in Pop Warner Football League game at Wahconah Park yesterday afternoon is Willie Woodson, star halfback for the Lions. Woodson's five-yard end run started his team on the way to a 26-6 victory over the Browns. Attempting to catch Woodson is Mike Fiorini (76) of the Browns.

Lions Virtually Clinch Pop Warner League Title

POP WARNER FOOTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
Lions	3	0	1	1.000
Rams	1	2	1	.333
Giants	1	2	1	.333
Browns	1	2	1	.333

By LAWRENCE JACOBS

The high-powered Lions all but clinched the Pop Warner Football League championship by trouncing the Giants 22-0 in the second game of a twin bill Saturday night at Wahconah Park. The Browns pinned a 22-6 defeat on the Rams in the opener for their first win of the season. A crowd of 500 attended.

Like the man of the house as Christmas approaches, the worst the Lions can get is a tie, as all other teams have lost two decisions. The Lions have contests remaining with the Rams and Browns.

The league will resume Sunday afternoon with a twin bill. The Lions are scheduled to meet the Rams, and the Giants will clash with the Browns.

Although the Giants were able to hold the Lions to a scoreless tie in their first meeting, they went down like a well-digger's lunch in the rematch. The Lions, with Dick Haley and Willie Woodson putting pressure on the flanks and Jim Parslow and Shaun Kirby probing the middle, were able to roll up impressive yardage on the ground.

Kirby, Woodson Score

The Lions scored in the second quarter, traveling 46 yards in three plays. The Lions took possession on a punt late in the period. Haley rolled nine yards around right end. Woodson circled left end for 25 yards and a first-down on the 12. Quarterback Kirby faked expertly to Parslow slamming into the line, kept the ball well hidden, and swung right, cutting back for a stand-up touchdown. Woodson sprinted around left end for the extra points.

Receiving the second-half kick on their own 41, the Lions drove downfield for a second touchdown. Longest item was Woodson's 31-yard scoring run. Parslow crashed through for the extra points.

The final touchdown, also in the third quarter, stemmed from a fumble recovered by the Lions at their own 38. Three plays later, Woodson dashed 32 yards to the Giants 10. Haley ran right end to go in standing. Kirby's keeper for extra points was stopped short of the line.

The Browns showed a formidable attack in winning the opener. On the first play of the second period, after a downfield push had been blunted at the Rams 1, the Browns' forward wall tackled Owen Boyington in the end zone for a safety. Late in the period Bob Williams passed to Jim Clark for a quick touchdown, a 32-yard play over-all.

Opening the second half, the Browns struck again. Kevin Brennan received the Rams kickoff and returned it — with the aid of a 15-yard penalty — to the Rams 43. Phil Degnan passed to end Tony Demick over the right side, and Demick rambled 43 yards to tally. That made it 14-0.

In the fourth period the Rams showed a more coordinated attack and a display of sustained power as they rolled 83 yards for a touchdown. Nando Delmolino burst over right guard for the touchdown on the 13th play. Longest gain was Mitch Massaconi's 15-yard run.

Brennan Runs 53 Yards

Degnan ran the ensuing kickoff back to his own 47. Kevin Brennan burst through the line, got a step on the secondary and dashed 53 yards for a touchdown, longest run of the day. Brennan also added the extra points on a line smash.

Defensively, Bill Farr of the Browns, in the first game, and Tony Gibson of the Giants, in the second, were outstanding.

Between the halves, the Monarch drum corps, 60-strong with a 16-girl color guard, gave a pleasing demonstration of precision marching and music. Organized in 1958, by interested parents, with membership of the younger side, the Monarchs are independent and self-supporting. This is their first year in competition. Leader is Steve Trepania.

Summaries:

BROWNS

Ends: Clark, Demick, Sincere
Tackles: Biasioli, Handy, Bauman
Guards: Salomone, Corl, Aldam
Centers: Kline, Farr
Backs: Degnan, Brennan, Fiorini, Williams, Teal, Bonito

RAMS

Ends: Del Gallo, Renieri, Schultz
Tackles: M. Guild, Gasson, Bologna, B. Keyes, Barzoursky
Guards: Hannigan, D. Guild, Rocca R. Keyes
Backs: Delmolino, Boyington, Hunt, Massaconi, Vittone

Score by periods:

Browns	0	8	6	8	—22
Rams	0	0	0	6	— 6

Touchdowns: Clark (pass from Williams, 32 yards); Demick (pass from Degnan), 43 yards; Brennan (53-yard run); Delmolino (1-yard run). Safety, Boyington. Point after touchdown, Brennan (run).

Referee, Joe Woitkoski. Umpire, Jake Barnini. Head linesman, John (Radar) Farrell. Field judge, Bob O'Hearn. Time, 7-minute quarters.

SECOND GAME

LIONS

Ends: Murphy, Skowronski
Tackles: Bleuth, Mitchell, Phillips, White
Guards: Ciepiela, Barousky, Hannigan
Center: Powers
Backs: Kirby, Haley, Woodson, Parslow, Parise

GIANTS

Ends: Borelli, L'Hote
Tackles: Lucido, Tobin
Guards: Esposito, Williams
Center: Bauman
Backs: Olds, Gibson, Bates, Hoose, Newell

Score by periods:

Lions	0	8	14	0	—22

Touchdowns: Kirby (12-yard run); Woodson (32-yard run); Haley (10-yard run). Points after touchdown: Woodson (run), Parslow (runs).

Referee: John Quinlan. Umpire, Joe Woitkoski. Head linesman, John (Radar) Farrell. Time, 7-minute quarters.

PWL Scoring Drouth Ends As Lions and Giants Win

POP WARNER FOOTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Giants	1	0	1.000
Lions	1	0	1.000
Browns	0	1	.000
Rams	0	1	.000

By LAWRENCE JACOBS

The Lions came from behind to smash the Rams 26-6, and the Giants blanked the Browns 22-0 in an interesting Pop Warner Football League double-header in sweltering heat yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park. Thus the winners are tied for the league lead after the first two weeks of play.

After the famine, the feast. The four teams, unable to score in the opening twin bill a week ago, rolled up a total of eight touchdowns, four by the Lions, three by the Giants, one by the Rams.

A brief review of recent Warner history indicates that the league has more balance than a tycoon's bank account. The Lions, stepped on like a drugstore scale a year ago, failing to win in six starts, slammed over three touchdowns in the final quarter to humble last year's champion Rams. And the Giants rocked the Browns, unbeaten 1959 powerhouse.

In the opener, the Rams secured an early edge in the second quarter. Dick Haley's line-drive kick from the goal line was taken by John Kennedy at the 25 and returned to the 10. A five-yard penalty against the Lions moved the ball to the 5. Mitch Massaconi on a keeper swung to the left, advancing to the 1. Nando Delmolino smashed over for the score.

The Lions tied it on an unusual series of plays. Two plays after the kick-off, Willie Woodson swept left end and presumably rambled 68 yards for the equalizer. But he unaccountably dropped the ball on the 5-yard line and it was recovered by the Rams on their 12. After three plays netted only five yards, the Rams prepared to punt. Delmolino, back to kick, was unable to get it away, and was tackled on the 5-yard line, and the Lions took over. On the first play, Woodson again tried left end and scored standing.

As neither team converted, the score was 6-6, it remained tied until the fourth quarter.

The Lions' next score came on the second play of the final quarter as Jim Parslow burst into the end zone from the 2. Five plays later, following a recovered fumble, Haley whizzed off right tackle on a 34-yard scoring jaunt. Quarterback Shaun Kirby rolled around the left side for the extra points. With less than a minute to go, the Lions scored again on a pass from Kirby to Haley for an over-all 39-yard gain.

In the second game, the Giants' first touchdown stemmed from a fumble recovered by Bob Bates on the Browns' 48. Delbert Hoose rammed through the line for 13 yards and a first down at the 35, the final play of the first quarter. An offside penalty advanced the ball to the 30. Hoose circled right end to the 21. Tony Gibson fumbled a direct pass from center, recovered, and dashed around left end for a touchdown. Quarterback Mike Connor added the two-point conversion on a sneak inside left tackle.

Hoose Is Standout

The Giants scored again in the third quarter on a pretty run by Hoose. From midfield, Hoose turned the right flank, cut back at the 20 and sprinted into the end zone. On the last play of the game he scored again, on a brilliant 37-yard run. Connor added two points by diving over his own right tackle.

Although the Browns were unable to score, they held the Giants well in check except for Hoose's long gainers. The Browns gained consistently in short hauls, but were unable to put over any long-strike touchdown plays. The Browns were minus five regular players.

In his first start at quarterback for the Browns; Kevin Brennan played well and made an adroit pass interception and 20-yard return in the second period.

Hard-working fullback Jim Parslow played well at secondary defense for the Giants, several times coming up fast to stop end runs and line plays with no gain.

Summaries:

FIRST GAME

LIONS

Ends: Murphy, Skowronski, Levardi, Stanger, Coty.
Tackles: Beuth, White, Brown.
Guards: Ciepiela, B. Barzousky, Phillips.
Centers: Powers, Mitchell.
Backs: Kirby, Haley, Woodson, Parslow, Belanger.

RAMS

Ends: P. Fosty, A. Fosty, Renierl, DelGalloBologna, Discoe.
Tackles: M. Guild, Hannigan, R. Guild, Boyington, Rocca, Discoe.
Guards: Gasson, R. Barzousky, Schultz, Johnson, Wagstaff.
Centers: DiCicco, Tone.
Backs: Massaconi, Kennedy, Delmolino, Hunt, Scullary, Vittone, Scanlon.

Score by periods:

Lions	0	6	0	20	—26
Rams	0	6	0	0	— 6

Touchdowns: Delmolino, 4-yard run; Woodson, 5-yard run; Parslow, 2-yard run; Haley, 2, 34-yard run, 39-yard run-pass from Kirby. Points after touchdown, Kirby (run). Referee, John Quinlan. Field judge, Mike Masena. Time, 7-minute quarters.

SECOND GAME

GIANTS

Ends: Borelli, Renieri, Olds, Williams.
Tackles: Lucido, Gilmore, Marino, Barile, Newell, Aherne.
Guards: Esposito, Tobin, Hayford.
Center: Bauman.
Backs: Connor, Gibson, Bates, Hoose, L'Hote, Wowk.

BROWNS

Ends: Clark, Demick, Handy.
Tackles: Blasioli, Salomone, Cori.
Guards: Burke, Aldam, Farr.
Center: Moore.
Backs: Kline, Brennan, Fiorini, Williams.

Score by periods:

Giants	0	8	6	8	—22

Touchdowns, Hoose 2 (37-yard run, 50-yard run; Gibson, 21-yard run. Point after touchdown, Connor, twice, runs.
Referee, Jerry Grover. Head linesman, John Quinlan. Field judge, Mike Masena. Time, 7-minute quarters.

Warner Leggue Plans 2 Games Sunday Afternoon

The second in the series of Pop Warner Football League double-headers is scheduled for Sunday afternoon at Wahconah Park. The Lions will oppose the Rams in the opener at 1:30, with the Browns going against the Giants in the second game at 3.

All teams will be seeking initial scores. The inaugural games last Sunday ended in scoreless ties. It was an all-time league record for dearth of touchdowns.

Practice sessions were called off last night because of rain. It's likely that all teams will have final tune-up drills tomorrow morning.

Warner Games Are Postponed

The Pop Warner Football Leagu double-header scheduled for Wah conah Park yesterday afternoo was postponed because of we grounds.

The same set of opponents wil attempt to play next Sunday. Th Rams will go against the Lions i the first game at 1:30, with th Giants and the Browns meeting i the second.

Warner Drills Will Be Resumed

Practice for all four Pop Warner Football League teams will be resumed on the Common tomorrow night at 6, John T. Carmody Jr., supervisor of coaches, announced today.

Lions Triumph 30-8, Clinch Warner Title

By LAWRENCE JACOBS

The powerful Lions clinched the Pop Warner Football League championship by trouncing the Rams 30-8 in the second game of a doubleheader yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park. In a finish as gripping as a nervous trapeze performer, the Giants came from behind to tie the Browns 20-20 in the opener.

The regular league season will conclude Sunday with a twin bill. The Rams will meet the Giants in the opener and the Lions will clash with the Browns in the afterpiece. The all-star game will be played Thanksgiving Day morning.

Exhibitions Pending

Commissioner Charles D. Gilson has announced that exhibition contest are pending with well-rated out-of-town teams to fill the interval following Sunday's finale.

The first game was as interesting as a movie star's memoirs. The rivals were tied 12-12 at the half, but Joe Blasioli recovered a fumble on the Giant 30 and the Browns scored in four plays. Mike Fiorini made the scoring play, a 14-yard burst over right tackle following some expert faking. Kevin Brennan crushed through the line for the extra points to give the Browns a 20-12 advantage.

Late in the fourth period, Dave Gilmore recovered a funble for the Giants on the Browns' 23. Del Hoose swung left end to the 16. Tony Gibson lost a yard at left guard. Hoose swept right end for a first-down at the 11. Again Hoose tried the left end and shook off several tacklers as he fought he way into the corner for a touchdown. Mike Connor scored the all-important tying points on a cross buck.

The Giants scored first on a pass from Alan Olds to Conor, a 28-yard scoring play, in the first period. The Browns tied it on a drive initiated and capped by Fiorini. Fiorini intercepted a pass at the Giant 40 late in the quarter and ran it back to the 26. Eight plays later — on the second play of the second period — Fiorini went over from the 2.

Following the kick-off the Giants tried a pass deep in their own territory. It was intercepted by Henry Williams who ran it in from the 20 to give the Browns a short-lived 12-6 lead.

The Giants received the kickoff and went 60 yards in 10 plays to tie the score. Connor ran nine yards for the touchdown. Big items in the drive were 17 yard runs by Hoose and Gibson.

Haley Scores 3 TDs

Dick Haley was the spearhead of the champion Lions' attack which gathered momentum like woman shopping on a charge account. Haley had three touchdowns on runs of 13, 14 and 31 yards. Jim Parslow added a touchdown for the winners on a short line smash.

The longest run of the season was mady by Larry Hunt when he took a kickoff on his own 20, burst through the crunch at midfield, and raced for the Rams' only score. Mitch Massaconi added the points on a line plunge.

As usual, the Lions exerted most of their pressure on the flanks with Haley and Willie Woodson racking up several long gainers. This tactic was varied with Parslow's line balsts and an occasional bootleg by quarterback Shaun Kirby.

Parslow made the first score on a one-yard smash to climax a 77-yard drive. Big items were runs of 38 and 24 yards by Woodson. Kirby swung left end for the extra points.

Early in the second period Haley intercepted a Rams' pass on their 26. Three plays later he ripped off the right side for 14 yards into the end zone. Woodson went around left end for the added points.

On the first play of the final period Haley went 13 yards around right end to complete a downfield push. Another long run by Woodson, for 39 yeards, was a big factor in the score.

A couple of plays later Ben Barzousky intercepted on the Rams' '31 and Haley was on his way again. After one play failed to gain, Haley swung right end for the touchdown. Parslow broke through the middle for the points-after.

Summary:

FIRST GAME

GIANTS

Ends: Borelli, Renieri, Phelps; tackles: Lucido, Marinoff Gilmore; guards: Tobin, Esposito, Hayford; backs: Olds, Gibson, Connor, Hoose, L'Hote, Newell.

BROWNS

Ends: Clark, Demick, Teal; tackles: Blasioli, Salomone, Bannick; guards: Aldam, Cori; center: Moore; backs: Bonito, Brennan, Fiorini, Williams, Sincere.

Score by periods:

GIANTS	6	6	0	8	—20
BROWNS	0	12	8	0	—20

Tounchdowns: Connor 2 (pass from Olds, 28 yards, and 9-yard run); Fiorini 2 (2-yard run, 14-yard run); Williams (interception and 20-yard run); Hoose (11-yard run). Points after touchdown, Brennan (run), Connor (run). Referee, John Quinlan. Umpire, Mike Masena. Head linesman, Bill Mara. Field judge, Jerry Grover. Time: 7-minute quarters.

SECOND GAME

LIONS

Ends: Murphy, Skowronski, Stanger, Coty; tackles: Beuth, Brown, White, Parise; guards: Ciepiela, B. Barzousky, Phillips; centers: Powell, Mitchell; backs: Kirby, Haley, Woodson, Parslow, Belanger.

RAMS

Ends: Renieri, DelGallo; tackles: Guild, Gasson, Rocca, Fitzgerald; guards: Hannigan, R. Barzousky; center: DiCicco; backs: Delmolino, Scullary, Massaconi, Hunt.

Score by periods:

LIONS	8	8	0	14	—30
RAMS	0	0	0	8	— 8

Touchdowns: Haley 3 (14-, 13- 31-yard runs); Parslow (1-yard run); Hunt (80-yard kickoff return). Points after touchdown: Parslow (run); Masaconi (run). Referee: John Quinlan. Umpire: Mike Masena. Head linesman: Bill Mara. Field Judge: Jerry Grover. Time: 7-minute quarters.

Title Winners Seek Perfect Season in PWL

The championship Lions will be trying to close a perfect season in the Pop Warner Football League as they face the Browns in the second game of a doubleheader tomorrow afternoon at Wahconah Park. Play will start at approximately 3 o'clock.

The Lions will be shooting for their sixth straight victory. Their offense is built principally on the running of Willie Woodson and Dick Haley.

The Rams and the Giants will meet in the opener at 1:30.

The league will be concluding its seventh season. However, about half of the players will not be putting away their uniforms. They'll be preparing for exhibition games against county opponents and for the Thanksgiving Day morning all-star contest.

PWL Plans for Rest of Season Are Outlined by Commissioner

Plans for the remainder of the Pop Warner Football League season were disclosed today by Commissioner Charles D. Gilson. The next to the last doubleheader of the regular schedule will be played Sunday afternoon at Wahconah Park, with the finale slated for the same field Sunday afternoon, Oct. 29.

"To fill the gap between the end of our season and the Thanksgiving Day morning all-star game, we are negotiating for three exhibition contests in the county," Gilson said. "We expect to make a definite announcement on this in the near future."

Lions Can Clinch

In the twin bill Sunday, the Giants will oppose the Browns in the opener at 1:30, with the Lions meeting the Rams in the second. The undefeated Lions can clinch the title by winning this game.

Louis Markham, former St. Joseph's High end, has been appointed head coach of the Rams. He succeeds Charles Kruger and Art Gwinnell, who resigned. An assistant coach will be named shortly.

Tickets for the Thanksgiving Day game, which usually nets enough money for the league to continue, will go on sale at the park Sunday afternoon. Gilson said one parent has been named to handle each team's ticket distribution.

Opportunity beckoned when Nando Delmolino recovered a Giant fumble on the Giant 18. On the first play Mitch Massaconi slanted outside left guard, and fought his way into the end zone. Larry Hunt tried left end for the tying points but was run out of bounds at the 1.

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Lions Remain Undefeated; PWL Maps Exhibition Plans

POP WARNER FOOTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
Lions	5	0	1	1.000
Giants	2	2	2	.500
Browns	1	3	2	.250
Rams	1	4	1	.200

By LAWRENCE JACOBS

The unbeaten Lions reeled off a fifth straight win, defeating the Browns 12-0 in the second game of a Pop Warner Football League double-header yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park. The Giants downed the Rams 14-6 in the opener.

Yesterday's twin bill concludes the regular season for the Pop Warners. The champion Lions finished with only a scoreless tie, in the first game of the season, to mar an otherwise all-winning record. The season will end wit han all-star game Thanksgiving morning.

Traditionally, the all-star contest matches a group from the first and last teams in the standings against a combination from the two other aggregations. If the plan remains in effect, the Lions and Rams will meet the Giants and Browns in the cranberry classic.

To keep the youngsters in fettle for the finale, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson has made tentative plans for a couple of exhibition games with well-rated county teams on the same level. Gilson has called a meeting of his committee for tomorrow night, and expects to announce the names of two teams that will appear against Pop Warner opposition at Wahconah Park.

Scoring in 1st Half

In the opener all the scoring was done in the first half. In the first play sequence the Rams attempted a pass on a fourth-down-and-three situation at their own 30. The pass was incomplete, and the Giants took over at that spot.

Mike Connor broke through guard for seven yards. Tony Gibson's four-yard gain at left end was good for a first-down. Two line smashes by Connor put the ball on the 11. A neatly executed double reverse sprang Gibson loose around right end for a touchdown. Connor made the extra points through the line.

The Rams—champions last year but licked this season more than envelope flaps in campaign headquarters—came right back with a score of their own.

In the second game the Lions scored on the first play from scrimmage. The Browns kicked off to Jim Parslow, who returned to midfield. With the aid of some adroit faking by quarterback Shaun Kirby and Parslow, Dick Haley took a handoff and circled right end for 50 yards and a score.

The second touchdown was largely a one-man show featuring Willie Woodson. Woodson received a Browns' punt on his own 40, and ran it back 35 yards. Haley pitched out two Woodson in the right flat and Woodson advanced to the 3 before he was rolled out of bounds by Henry Williams. Woodson tried the center of the line to the 1. Woodson carried again, this time around left end, and scored standing.

The Browns played well against the champions, proving able to gain consistently, but penalties and fumbles nullified their effectiveness. Mike Fiorini and Kevin Brennan were able to advance in good chunks through the line, and quarterback Phil Degnan's quick passes to end Jim Clark added considerable yardage. But they didn't have the long gainer.

Jim Smith, John Quinlan, Mike Masena and Bill Mara handled the officiating chores. Officials serve the league without remuneration.

Warren U. Sears of the local Red Cross was present in the press box for first-aid emergencies. Also a volunteer, Sears has been present for every game.

Summaries:

FIRST GAME

GIANTS

Ends: G. Renieri, Borelli, Allen.
Tackles: Gilmore, Phelps, Lucido.
Guards: Esposito, Hayford.
Center: Bauman.
Backs: Olds, Gibson, Connor, Hoose, L'Hote, Bates.

RAMS

Ends: M. Renieri, DelGallo.
Tackles: Guild, Gasson.
Guards: Barzousky, Hannigan, Keyes, Wagstaff.
Center: DiCicco.
Backs: Delmolino, Scullary, Massaconi, Hunt, Boyington.

Score by periods:

Giants	8	6	0	0	—14
Rams	6	0	0	0	— 6

Touchdowns: Gibson 2 (11-yard run, 56-yard run); Massaconi (18-yard run). Evtra points: Connor (run).

Referee, Jim Smith. Umpire, John Quinlan. Head linesman, Bill Mara. Field judge, Mike Masena. Time, 7-minute quarters.

SECOND GAME

LIONS

Ends: Murphy, Skowronski.
Tackles: Beuth, White, Phillips, Brown.
Guards: Ciepiela, Barzousky.
Centers: Powers, Mitchell.
Backs: Kirby, Haley, Woodson, Parslow, Kozack.

BROWNS

Ends: Clark, Demick, Teal.
Tackles: Blasioli, Salomone, Kline.
Guards: C. Moore, W. Moore.
Backs: Degnan, Brennan, Fiorini, Williams, Bonito.

Score by periods:

Lions	6	0	6	0	—12

Touchdowns, Haley (50-yard run); Woodson (1-yard run).

Referee, John Quinlan. Umpire, Bill Mara. Head linesman, Jim Smith. Field judge, Mike Masena. Time, 7-minute quarters.

Warner League Teams To Play Lee, Lanesboro

Three Pop Warner Football League teams will face as many out-of-town opponents in weekend games, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson announced today.

The league's B squad, composed of members of the Giants and the Browns, will go against the Lee seventh and eighth-grades Saturday morning at 9:30 at the Lee Athletic Field. A bus for the Pittsfield players will leave the Common at 8:30.

Coakley Coaches Lee

The Lee team is coached by Bob Coakley, former Lenox High and Springfield College athlete, who is the new varsity basketball and baseball coach at Lee High.

The league's A squad, made up of members of the Lions and the Rams, will meet the Lanesboro Blue Devils of the Berkshire County League in the second game of a double-header Sunday afternoon at 3. The first contest will be between the league's C squad and the Lanesboro peewees.

The Warner C outfit will include all 12-year-old boys who weigh under 105 pounds. Commissioner Gilson said representation from this age group was light last night. He invited all who are under the prescribed figure to attend the workout tonight at 6 on the Common.

The Lanesboro teams are coached by John Dallmeyer and Charley Mancivalano, former Pittsfield High athletes.

Warner Game May Be Moved To North Field

"We'll move it to North Junior High Field if we have to."

So said Pop Warner Football League Commissioner Charles D. Gilson this morning as continued heavy rain made Wahconah Park an unlikely site for the league's annual all-star game. The contest between the Lions-Rams and Giants-Browns squads originally was slated for Wahconah yesterday morning, but was postponed until Sunday afternoon Wednesday noon because of poor field conditions.

Gilson said a definite announcement will be made tonight.

Pittsfield, Lanesboro Split Grid Twin Bill

Pittsfield and Lanesboro divided a spirited football doubleheader yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park. The Pittsfield Pop Warner League juniors won 12-8 in the second game after the Lanesboro peewees triumphed 12-6. Four of the six touchdowns came on long runs. An enthusiastic crowd of approximately 200 paid $55 to watch the initial relationship of the neighboring community organizations.

Woodson, Haley Score

Willie Woodson and Dick Haley ran 71 and 40 yards, respectively, for Pittsfield scores in the first half of the game between the larger teams. It began to look like a rout. However, sturdy Lanesboro braced then, and actually had the edge in the second half.

A four-yard over-all pass from Tim McGovern to Dick Barnes in the end zone brought a Lanesboro touchdown late in the third period. When McGovern, on a clever bootleg play, swept the Pittsfield left end for a pair of conversion points, Lanesboro was in an excellent striking position. It was the only time a play after a touchdown made the necessary yardage.

Pittsfield's hard-hitting line, led by tackle Jim Parslow, managed to contain Steve Motiozo, Lanesboro's bulky full back. Motiozo looks and runs more like a high school senior than the 13-year old he is. Motozio occasionally picked up good chunks of yardage in midfield, but wasn't able to sustain an advance.

On defense, the big fellow continually harassed Pittsfield by getting a running start from his line backing position. His timing was excellent as he messed up many plays in the fourth period. So annoying was he, Pittsfield didn't mount a serious threat after intermission.

Woodson's sensational scoring run came on the third play following the opening kickoff. He ran wide to his left, caught the sidelines and was long gone. Two Lanesboro backs gave chase, but couldn't get within tackling range as the clever colored boy cut to his right as he approached the end zone.

Haley went to his right on his big run. He bounced off several opponents in the close secondary, and ran away from the rest.

Parslow made many tackles. Mitch Massaconi and Jim Moore also excelled defensively for Pittsfield. Jerry Whitmire was a standout tackle for Lanesboro, and Bruce Durwin made several jarring stops as a linebacker.

Dan Delorey Stars

Dan Delorey Jr., Lanesboro left end, was the all-around star of the peewee contest. He scored both touchdowns, and was the busiest tackler on the field.

Pittsfield's only score came the first time it had the ball. On an off-tackle slant, Pat Phelps was hit hard twice at the line of scrimmage, but kept driving, soon was in open country, and followed north sideline 67 yards for a touchdown.

Lanesboro came right back to tie the score. Delorey raced 43 yards on an end around play that saw him come from left end to go wide around the Pittsfield right flank.

Lanesboro obtained the clincher early in the fourth period. A 48-yard gallop by Noble Francouer to the Pittsfield 5 set up the chance. Roger Barzousky caught Francouer from behind. Then quarterback Tim Taylor passed short to Delorey in the right flat near the goal line, and the talented end caught the ball and stepped in for the touchdown.

Bill Prendergast made some good stops at the other end for Lanesboro. Taylor ran his club like a much older boy. Ten-year old King Keeler, a pint-sized halfback, came up fast to make several good tackles for the winners.

Barzousky, Dave Marchetto and Walt Bannick were defensive stalwarts for the losers.

Former Pittsfield High athletes John Dallmeyer and Charley Mancivalano are the coaches of the Lanesboro junior and peewee teams, respectively. John Carmody Jr. and George Newell Sr., handled the Pittsfield peewees. Mike Haley, Dick Bard and Lou Markham comprised the junior strategy staff.

The lineups:

PEEWEES

LANESBORO
Ends: Prendergast, Delorey, Moore
Tackles: Traversa, Bonnivier
Guards: Delmolino, Pulver, Davis, Towart
Center: Rielio
Backs: Taylor, Francouer, Keeler, Roy, Delorey

PITTSFIELD
Ends: Handy, Aldan, Guild, Marchetto
Tackles: Haley, Farr, Belanger, Riegel
Guards: Phillips, Tobin, Downing, Trzsinka
Centers: Wagstaff, Bannick
Backs: Williams, Newell, Phelps, Baumann, R. Murphy, Reynolds, Barzousky, M. Murphy
Score: Lanesboro 12, Pittsfield 6.
Touchdowns:
(P) Phelps (67yard run)
(L) Delorey (43-yard run)
(L) Delorey (5-yard pass from Taylor)
Referee, Jerry Grover. Umpire, John Quinlan. Head linesman, Bill Mahar. Time, 6-minute periods.

JUNIORS

PITTSFIELD
Ends: Massacani, Kennedy
Tackles: Parslow, Beuth, Moore, White
Guards: Barzousky, Hannigan, Ciepiela, Rocca, Skowronski
Centers: DiCicco, Powers, Parise
Backs: Kirby, Haley, Woodson, Hunt, Scullary, Delmolino

LANESBORO
Ends: Barnes, Blair
Tackles: Dowlin, Whitmire, Lasher
Guards: M. Wilson, McCluskey, West
Center: Vallee
Backs: McGovern, R. Wilson, T. Wilson, Motiozi, Durwin, Maschino
Score: Pittsfield 12, Lanesboro 8
Touchdowns:
(P) Woodson (71-yard run)
(P) Haley (40-yard run)
(L) Barnes (4-yard pass from McGovern
Conversion: McGovern (run)
Referee, Quinlan. Umpire, Grover. Head linesman, Mahar. Time, 8-minute periods.

Warner League Teams Play Tomorrow at North Adams

Pittsfield's Pop Warner Football League A and C teams will face North Adams representatives in a double-header tomorrow afternoon on Noel Field in that city. The C team, a peewee unit comprised of boys weighing less than 105 pounds and under 12 years of age, will play in the opener at 1:30, with the A club going on in the second game.

The A club is a merger of the Lions and the Rams, who finished first and last, respectively, in the regular season race. The Lions had only a tie to mar a perfect record in six games.

North Adams has two entrants in the Berkshire County Junior League, the Greens and the Blacks. Pittsfield will meet the Greens.

Pittsfield's juniors will start with Larry Hunt and Owen Boyington, ends; Jim Parslow and Roger Moore, tackles; Tom Hannigan and John White, guards; Anthony Parise, center; Shaun Kirby, quarterback; Willie Woodson and Mitch Massaconi, halfbacks; and Dick Haley, fullback.

This will mark the second successive weekend double bill for the teams. A week ago tomorrow at Wahconah Park, the C team lost to the Lanesboro peewees 12-6 before the A outfit defeated the Lanesboro juniors 12-8.

Two Berkshire Street Railway buses will transport the players to North Adams. Departure time from the Common will be 11:45 a.m.

Pop Warner Game Postponed Until Sunday at 1:30 P.M.

The annual Pop Warner Football League all-star game scheduled for Wahconah Park tomorrow morning at 10 has been postponed until Sunday afternoon at 1:30, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson announced today. He said tickets sold in advance will be honored on Sunday.

The contest pits the combination of the championship Lions and the Rams against the Giants and the Browns.

Gilson said he decided on postponement after Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation, told him it would be impossible to move heavy snow-removing equipment onto the field. Hebert explained, Gilson continued, that the soggy ground, with no frost in it, would not support the machinery.

The Warner League has scheduled a contest at Wahconah Park every Thanksgiving Day since 1955. This was the first time a postponement was necessary.

Weather Holds Key to Warner Stars' Game

Commissioner Says It Will Be Played If Possible

The annual Pop Warner Football League all-star game will be played tomorrow morning at 10 at Wahconah Park "if it is possible," Commissioner Charles D. Gilson announced today. Slated as composed of members of the championship Lions and the last-place Rams, and the B club, made up of players from the runner-up Giants and the third-place Browns.

Gilson was hopeful that the snow would be removed from the field "sometime today." He said the teams undoubtedly would meet providing another storm doesn't make the gridiron unplayable.

The A team goes into the contest a heavy favorite because of its two-one record in postseason play. It has defeated Lanesboro and North Adams, and lost to the Mattydale Vikings of Syracuse, N.Y. In its only start, the B team was beaten by Lee.

The probable starting lineups:

Mitch Massaconi and John Kennedy ends;; Jim Parslow and Chuck Beuth, tackles; Sonny Barzousky and Whitey Hannigan, guards;; Jerry DiCicco, center; Shaun Kirby, quarterback; Dick Haley and Willie Woodson, halfbacks; Larry Hunt, fullback.

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Syracuse Boys' Teams Booked To Play Here

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Peewees Play Nov. 18

Arrangements were concluded last night in a telephone conference between Gilson and Syracuse officials. Negotiatfons for the game were initiated yesterday afternoon by the Syracuse men, who said they wanted to take their boys on a "long trip" to reward them for their excellent season.

Pittsfield's C team, composed of boys under 12 years of age and below 105 pounds, will oppose the Syracuse peewees Saturday afternoon, Nov. 18. Then on the following afternoon, Pittsfield's A team, made up of the Lions and the Rams, will meet the Viking varsity. The Lions were unbeaten, winning five and tying one in the regular season. The Rams finished last with one tie and five defeats. The Vikings were undefeated in a regular seven-game schedule. All were wins.

The Syracuse teams are affiliated with the national Pop Warner organization. The Pittsfield league isn't.

Syracuse has a 135-pound limit for its varsity players. Pittsfield has agreed it will not use anyone over that weight.

The Syracuse squad of 33 players and 10 girl cheerleaders will stay overnight in Pittsfield the evening of Saturday, Nov. 18. Commissioner Gilson is hopeful that members of the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club, sponsor of the Warner League, and parents of Pittsfield players will make rooms in their homes available for the young visitors.

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A Park Square welcome is planned late Saturday afternoon for the Syracuse (N.Y.) Mattydale Vikings, who will se the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League A team ay afternoon at 1:30 at Wahconah Park. Mayor Ray- l L. Haughey will extend the city's welcome to the young tes and their families and followers.

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police escort will be given he Syracuse caravan from Pittsfield-Hancock line to the er of the city. Sirens will ld the arrival some time aft- o'clock.

he 33 squad members and 10 cheer leaders will travel in large bus. Departure from racuse is scheduled for early orning so that the party may op en route at Albany to visit e New York state capitol uilding.

Shortly after the mayor exends his welcome, the boys and irls will go by cars to their espective hosts, Commissioner harles D. Gilson of the Warner eague said today. After dinners n private homes, the young peole will assemble with Pittsfield oys and girls for a social period t the Girls Club.

Pittsfield families also will provide breakfasts for the young visitors, and in many instances will accompany them to church services.

Gilson said today he needs a few more hosts to provide overnight lodging and the two meals to the Syracuse party.

"We've had a rush of volunteers in the last 24 hours," he said, "but we can use a few more. Anyone who wants to help should let me know."

A dinner has been scheduled Sunday afternoon at 4 at the Berkshire Restaurant for the football players and the cheer leaders and a representative group of Warner League officials.

At least 100 adults are expected to follow the Vikings to Pittsfield. Yesterday at noon, one Pittsfield-Lenox road motel reported 10 double bed reservations from Syracuse for Saturday night.

Easy Win For Vikings

The Vikings didn't have to extend themselves in closing their regular season with a 26-0 conquest of the Bellevue Bombers last Sunday afternoon. There was no scoring in the second half. Coach John Angelo rested his regulars, and played the last two periods with his second and third teams.

A 20-yard pass from John Gannon to Carroll Bernier brought the first touchdown in the opening period. Dave Zorrilla picked off a partially blocked punt on the five-yard line, and went in for the score early in the second period. Jeff Harvey intercepted a pass and ran 65 yards for the third touchdown. Don Starliper dashed 50 yards from scrimmage for the final score. The extra points came on a pass from Gannon to Starliper.

A 97-yard touchdown run by regular guard Pat McAlear, running out of the fullback spot in a burst off right tackle, was nullified by a downfield clipping penalty.

The Pittsfield team has been practicing nightly on the Common under the direction of Dick Bard and Mike Haley. Most of the starters are members of the Lions, who won the Pop Warner League title with a record of five wins and one tie. The Lions merged with the last place Rams following the conclusion of the regular schedule. To date in postseason play, the A team has defeated Lanesboro and North Adams.

Warner Stars Will Play At NJH Field

Contest Shifted Because Wahconah Park Is Unplayable

The all-star game, season finale in the Pop Warner Football League has been shifted from Wahconah Park to North Junior High Field, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson announced last night. Kickoff tomorrow afternoon is set for 1:30.

Gilson said the change was necessary because Wahconah is unplayable following heavy snow and rain.

The Lions and the Rams will oppose the Giants and the Browns.

A ticket booth will be set up on the school field. Tickets bought in advance will be honored.

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Star Back Dick Haley Seeks To Solve Weighty Problem

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Doubt was expressed yesterday that Haley would be eligible to play because he is over the limit of 140 pounds. Haley's weight was announced as 155 pounds.

However, Mike Haley, an uncle and also a member of the Pittsfield team's coaching staff, said that was the figure recorded more than a week ago when the boy was fully dressed for football. Haley said Mike weighed 147 stripped last weekend, and now is down to 143.

"He is on a strict diet, and is running all the time," Mike said.

Haley, 13, is an eighth-grader at St. Mary's School. He and Willie Woodson were the big ground gainers in leading the Lions to the Warner League championship.

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THE COLLECTION at the Syracuse-Pittsfield boys' football game Sunday afternoon at Wahconah Park totaled $275. Pop Warner League Commissioner Charley Gilson and his associates were disappointed. They felt the crowd was large enough to contribute $500 or more. Many people went right by the donation barrel without breaking stride.

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Indivero: Was switched from guard to end to take advantage of his fine hands. A star catcher in Babe Ruth League. He caught eight passes in one game on dives, leaps and fakes. This was most outstanding job of season by an end in the Central New York Conference.

Kohnke: The holler guy. He's excellent in blocking and tackling. He also is a Babe Ruth League catcher. His team went to finals in district play.

PITTSFIELD'S OPPONENT in the big intersectional junior boys' football game at Wahconah Park Sunday afternoon at 1:30 will be this team from Syracuse, N.Y. The Mattydale Vikings are unbeaten and untied in eight starts. They have scored 249 points against 35 for their victims. The Vikings will go against Pittsfield's Pop Warner League A team, composed of members of the championship Lions and the last place Rams. The Lions won five and tied one in regular season play. Since merging for postseason competition, the two teams have won two straight.

Warner Stars Will Play At NJH Field

Contest Shifted Because Wahconah Park Is Unplayable

The all-star game, season finale in the Pop Warner Football League, has been shifted from Wahconah Park to North Junior High Field, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson announced last night. Kickoff tomorrow afternoon is set for 1:30.

Gilson said the change was necessary because Wahconah is unplayable following heavy snow and rain.

The Lions and the Rams will oppose the Giants and the Browns.

A ticket booth will be set up on the school field. Tickets bought in advance will be honored.

The probable starting lineups:

Lions-Rams

Mitch Massaconi and John Kennedy, ends; Jim Parslow and Chuck Beuth, tackles; Sonny Barzousky and Whitey Hannigan, guards; Jerry DiCicco, center; Shaun Kirby, quarterback; Dick Haley and Willie Woodson, halfbacks; Larry Hunt, fullback.

Giants-Browns

Mike Connors and Jim Clark, ends; Bill Hobin and Alan Keyes, tackles; Joe Esposito and David Gilmore, guards; Karl Baumann, center; Phil Degnan, quarterback; Mike Fiorini and Tony Gibson, halfbacks; Kevin Brennan, fullback.

e Boys From Syracuse

ark Square Welcome lanned for Vikings

A Park Square welcome is planned late Saturday afternoon for the Syracuse (N.Y.) Mattydale Vikings, who will se the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League A team ay afternoon at 1:30 at Wahconah Park. Mayor Ray- l L. Haughey will extend the city's welcome to the young tes and their families and followers.

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police escort will be given he Syracuse caravan from Pittsfield-Hancock line to the er of the city. Sirens will ld the arrival some time aft- 4 o'clock.

he 33 squad members and 10 cheer leaders will travel in large bus. Departure from racuse is scheduled for early orning so that the party may op en route at Albany to visit e New York state capitol uilding.

Shortly after the mayor ends his welcome, the boys and irls will go by cars to their espective hosts, Commissioner harles D. Gilson of the Warner eague said today. After dinners n private homes, the young peole will assemble with Pittsfield oys and girls for a social period t the Girls Club.

Pittsfield families also will proide breakfasts for the young isitors, and in many instances will accompany them to church ervices.

Gilson said today he needs a ew more hosts to provide overnight lodging and the two meals to the Syracuse party.

"We've had a rush of volunteers in the last 24 hours," he said, "but we can use a few more. Anyone who wants to help should let me know."

A dinner has been scheduled Sunday afternoon at 4 at the Berkshire Restaurant for the football players and the cheer leaders and a representative group of Warner League officials.

At least 100 adults are expected to follow the Vikings to Pittsfield. Yesterday at noon, one Pittsfield-Lenox road motel reported 10 double bed reservations from Syracuse for Saturday night.

Easy Win For Vikings

The Vikings didn't have to extend themselves in closing their regular season with a 26-0 conquest of the Bellevue Bombers last Sunday afternoon. There was no scoring in the second half. Coach John Angelo rested his regulars, and played the last two periods with his second and third teams.

A 20-yard pass from John Gannon to Carroll Bernier brought the first touchdown in the opening period. Dave Zorrilla picked off a partially blocked punt on the five-yard line, and went in for the score early in the second period. Jeff Harvey intercepted a pass and ran 65 yards for the third touchdown. Don Starliper dashed 50 yards from scrimmage for the final score. The extra points came on a pass from Gannon to Starliper.

A 97-yard touchdown run by regular guard Pat McAlear, running out of the fullback spot in a burst off right tackle, was nullified by a downfield clipping penalty.

The Pittsfield team has been practicing nightly on the Common under the direction of Dick Bard and Mike Haley. Most of the starters are members of the Lions, who won the Pop Warner League title with a record of five wins and one tie. The Lions merged with the last place Rams following the conclusion of the regular schedule. To date in postseason play, the A team has defeated Lanesboro and North Adams.

Star Back Dick Haley Seeks To Solve Weighty Problem

Star back Dick Haley of the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League A team refuses to be counted out of the intersectional contest with the Mattydale Vikings of Syracuse Sunday afternoon at 1:30 at Wahconah Park.

Doubt was expressed yesterday that Haley would be eligible to play because he is over the limit of 140 pounds. Haley's weight was announced as 155 pounds.

However, Mike Haley, an uncle and also a member of the Pittsfield team's coaching staff, said that was the figure recorded more than a week ago when the boy was fully dressed for football. Haley said Mike weighed 147 stripped last weekend, and now is down to 143.

"He is on a strict diet, and is running all the time," Mike said.

Haley, 13, is an eighth-grader at St. Mary's School. He and Willie Woodson were the big ground gainers in leading the Lions to the Warner League championship.

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THE COLLECTION at the Syracuse-Pittsfield boys' football game Sunday afternoon at Wahconah Park totaled $275. Pop Warner League Commissioner Charley Gilson and his associates were disappointed. They felt the crowd was large enough to contribute $500 or more. Many people went right by the donation barrel without breaking stride.

Junior Football

FAIR OR FOUL

By Roger O'Gara

IF INDEED the city's wall of apathy toward boys' football can be broken, the Pittsfield-Syracuse game at Wahconah Park on Sunday afternoon would appear to be the event to do it.

This is an excellent intersectional attraction, one worthy of support if for no other reason than community pride.

Commissioner Charles D. Gilson, his handful of assistants from the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club and the dedicated Pop Warner League coaches have given hundreds of man hours this fall to a tackle program for the young football players.

Public support has ranged from fair to downright poor. One would almost suspect that the games were boycotted.

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NOBODY LIKES doting parents, but they are to be preferred to indifferent ones.

A past president of the Quarterbacks' Club recently told this story of his count at the Wahconah Park gate on a bright Sunday afternoon: "As I was standing there, I decided to count the number of adults who deposited players in the parking lot and then drove away. In no time at all, my figure was 32."

Most of these had to be parents. These fathers and mothers presumably were so disinterested in what their youngsters were doing in football, they couldn't sit through the few minutes a game lasts.

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WHAT IS the answer?

From experience, we can testify that attendance at a football game in which your son is competing produces both nervousness and satisfaction. You worry whether he is going to get up immediately after being tackled or tackling someone else. You also feel a glow of pride when he scores a touchdown, makes a big gain, throws a key block, or executes a tackle that stops the other team's drive.

Yet it is a hundred times better to be watching every play than to be sitting home wondering how he is doing. Maybe some of the stay-away parents are so phlegmatic, they don't permit themselves the pain of speculation.

What can the counter attraction be in quiet Pittsfield on a Sunday afternoon? A nap? How can you sleep when your kid is playing football? Pro football on television? This will be going on long after your boy's season has ended. A drive in the country? You'll be safer at Wahconah Park.

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FIFTY PARENTS are coming from Syracuse to root for their team. The Mattydale Vikings, the youthful representatives of one of the hottest big Eastern football cities, will not forget their game here.

They'll recall Pittsfield as that strange town where few of the burghers venture forth on Sunday afternoon to encourage their kids. Or they'll remember it as a rooting community whose large and vocal crowd lifted their youngsters to a peak of play.

Commissioner Gilson, an indefatigable worker, has been particularly impressed by the quantity of preparation the Syracuse adults have made for their trip here. There's a committee for every phase — adult housing, transportation, meals, etc.

"We can't fumble when we're arranging things for such people," Gilson says.

The Syracuse managers have talked several times by telephone with Gilson and his associates. These aren't ordinary communications. No, sir. These are what are known as "conference calls." That's an arrangement whereby the telephones of all interested people are tied into one call. The first night, four Syracuse people were listening. The next evening, the number had grown to 10.

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THIS ISN'T the first intersectional game for Pittsfield. It's the second.

Two years ago, when the late Mark Viale was commissioner, the Pop Warner League all-stars went to Winchester, and scored an upset win over that community's undefeated championship team.

One of the Pittsfield players that day was Bobby Pinsonneault, a valuable sophomore halfback this year at Pittsfield High.

That shows what close affiliates the Pop Warner League and high school football are.

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IN 1955, the Warner League's first season here, many high school stars-to-be first displayed promise.

Competing that year were Gary Soldato, George Garivaltis, Ray Woitkowski, Paul O'Gara, Bill Seely, Bruce Walcott, Jimmy Fassell, and John Sottile, all of Pittsfield High, Shaun Meehan of both Pittsfield and St. Joseph's, Leo Delaney of St. Joseph's High, and Jim Reynolds of Cranwell School. The following year such PHS line greats as Dave Giddings, Jim Hickey and Steve Ciepiela came into the league. Mike Ryan and John Kellar, both of this year's St. Joseph's team, also first bloomed in Warner play.

There was great enthusiasm Oct. 9, 1955 when the league presented its first doubleheader. Approximately 800 people contributed $264. After the novelty wore off, attendance and gate slumped sharply.

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THIS YEAR, the two outstanding backs in the league are Willie Woodson and Dick Haley, both of the championship Lions.

Each of these highly-talented young men is an eighth-grader in the parochial school system, Woodson at St. Joseph's, Haley at St. Mary's. Haley is a nephew of the Lions' coach, Mike, who was an outstanding center at St. Joseph's High in 1958 and 1959.

You would guess that both of these youngsters would be going to St. Joseph's High. Woodson will be a freshman there next fall. However, it is reported that Haley is headed for Pittsfield. Uncle Mike advises that Dick will transfer to North Junior High after this school year, and then go to PHS as a sophomore in 1963. Dick's father, Jack, was an end at Pittsfield in the late 1930s.

Haley showed this week that he has great desire. Counted out of the Syracuse game because he was eight pounds above the limit, he ate lightly and exercised heavily. It looks now as if he will make it.

With him in there, Pittsfield's chances should be considerably brighter. For if he should play, Syracuse would have to defense two breakaway men rather than one.

Ten Starters Name

Dick Haley's Problem Makes Left Halfback Uncertain

Delbert Hoose or Tony Gibson Ready To Go If Star Doesn't Make It— Jim Parslow Rated Top Defensive Man

Starters at 10 of the 11 positions were named today by the three-man coaching staff for the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League A team that will oppose the Mattydale Vikings of Syracuse, N.Y., Sunday afternoon at 1:30 at Wahconah Park. The one uncertain spot is left halfback, where well-built climax runner Dick Haley is fighting a battle to lose three more pounds so he can qualify to play. The maximum limit is 140 pounds.

Haley, Woodson Have Starred

If Haley doesn't make it, his place will be taken by Tony Gibson or Delbert Hoose. Both are members of the Giants. Haley and right halfback Willie Woodson were the big ground gainers through the regular season as the Lions won the league championship.

They have continued to excel as the Lions and the Rams, merged to form a representative A team for the league, have won two straight in postseason play. Victime were the Lanesboro and North Adams entrants in the Berkshire County Junior League. Each had a substantial weight advantage and was older than the Pittsfield team.

The first line will include Mitch Massaconi and John Kennedy, both of the Rams, ends; Jim Parslow and Chuck Beuth, both of the Lions, tackles; Sonny Barzowsky of the Lions and Whitey Hannigan of the Rams, guards; and Jerry DiCicco of the Rams, center.

Woodson and Haley or Gibson or Hoose will be halfbacking. Shaun Kirby of the Lions at quarterback and Larry Hunt of the Rams at fullback complete the backfield.

Two 11-Year-Olds

Most of the Pittsfield players are 13. That means they were seniors this fall in Warner play. However, there are two 11-year-olds on the 19-player squad. They are guard Wayne Ciepiela of the Lions and Hoose. Ciepiela at 80 pounds is the lightest member of the squad. However, as one who has followed Pittsfield High for the past three seasons may suspect, Wayne hits hard. Yes, he is a kid brother of Steve Ciepiela, Pittsfield's block-busting center and linebacker. Hoose is a sturdy 120 pounds. He gave a fine all-around exhibition through the regular season, and was just added to the all-star roster this week to provide insurance in the ball-carrying department.

Parslow, at 138 pounds, the heaviest regular, is considerably more than that. He is a heavy-duty tackler. In both of the games against out-of-town opponents, this young man has stopped more speedsters than a turnpike cop.

In addition to Ciepiela, Gibson and Hoose, the list of reserves includes center Tony Parise of the Lions, tackles Jim Moore and John White of the Lions, linebacker Nando Delmolino of the Rams and corner backer Joe Esposito of the Giants.

All three members of the coaching staff were playing high school football only two years ago. Mike Haley of the Lions and Lou Markham of the Rams were at St. Joseph's, and Dick Bard of the Lions was on the first of Pittsfield's undefeated teams. All are sophomores at Berkshire Community College.

Pittsfield Girls Organize Cheering Group for Game

When it was announced that 10 cheer leaders would accompany the Mattydale Vikings of Syracuse, N.Y., to Pittsfield for the intersectional contest with the Pittsfield Pop Warner League A team, several Pittsfield girls decided the local heroes needed encouragement.

So they organized a seven-member group of cheer leaders. They've been practicing for a week, and hope they'll have plenty to yell about Sunday afternoon at Wahconah Park.

The cheer leaders are Colleen O'Gara, Mary Margaret Giannone, Joan Mason, Linda Foley, Nancy Bogle, Carol McMahon and Margaret Seyffer.

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Something To See

FAIR OR FOUL

By Roger O'Gara

FOR SHEER perfection of play, Pittsfield football enthusiasts hadn't seen anything on the junior level to come even close to the Mattydale Vikings. The talented boys from the suburb of Syracuse certainly demonstrated what teaching and practice can do as they humiliated the pick of our Pop Warner League. It was more than a week ago, but most fans still are shaking their heads in disbelief.

You've often heard that a game was closer than the final score would indicate. This was one where the count didn't begin to tell the great difference between teams of the same age and weight. Penalties and poor pass catching kept the tally from soaring to absurd heights.

These youngsters executed plays with a dispatch that was frightening. They charged and tackled with such force, the Pittsfield team looked weak. Their blocking had both quantity and quality. It cut down the enemy like a power reaper moving through a corn field at harvest time.

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THE PASSING of John Gannon was fanciful. Not only did he receive perfect protection. He had the poise and accuracy to match it. His receivers ran patterns that soon made Pittsfield's secondary look like so many cigar store Indians.

Time and again, the target for Gannon's bombs dropped the ball after he had maneuvered himself yards by the last defender.

The running of Don Starliper was something to behold. This chunky little fellow had speed, power and determination. It was no problem for him to turn a corner, because his linemen kept their adversaries from penetrating an inch. When opponents came close to him, he ran over the two he couldn't elude.

On another team, John Wurtzer and Mike Ney would look like All-Americans. On this one, their excellent running pales before the artistry of Gannon and Starliper.

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SPEED would have been enough, but the Vikings wanted to be doubly sure. So they added deception. This came mostly from tricky multiple ball-handling.

The Vikings' advance publicity department was almost as extensive a grist mill as the one Abe Saperstein has developed over the last 35 years for the Harlem Globetrotters.

One of its boasts was that the Vikings employ the multiple offense, a snooty catch-all phrase that means a little bit of this and a little bit of that.

The Vikings do indeed use multiple formations. They even showed the old Notre Dame box here. They had several variations of the T and the single wing.

It was a good show, but it wasn't necessary. They could have announced the routes and the means, and their superiority would have carried the day.

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IF A TEAM has that much of an edge on another team, it obviously enjoys marked supremacy in the line.

To use a trite modern colloquialism, you can say that again. Or as Franklin Delano Roosevelt used to chant in his fireside chats, "Again, and again, and again."

On the whoopy-do ball handling, there wasn't the slightest penetration by Pittsfield linemen. The Viking forwards were able to enforce a strict lockout. No one was coming through to mess up the play before it started.

Nor were there many instances when Pittsfield's forwards were able to muster enough of a charge to make an indentation before the carrier and his escort reached the flank. Thus the corner was negotiated with consummate ease, and the marauders moved into the secondary at full strength.

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THE STRENGTH of the line also was shown when it was on defense. Its tackling was emphatic. Most Pittsfield running plays were stopped before the carriers were able to get up a full head of steam.

Pat McAlear was a break through artist. He continually was crashing into the Pittsfield backfield to make tackles that cost yardage deficits for the outclassed home team.

In regular season play, Willie Woodson and Dick Haley gave the Lions a formidable one-two punch. Both were breakaway threats with speed and change of pace.

The poor kids never had a chance. The Vikings were in on them before they had taken two steps. On sweeps, Pittsfield's feeble attempts to block were stripped. Thus additional hazards were built for Woodson and Haley.

The rush that the Vikings put on passer Larry Hunt was awesome. They brushed aside opposing linemen as if they didn't exist, and ran right through the backfield protectors.

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THE ADULT VIKINGS apologized for their unbridled enthusiasm by revealing that this was the culmination of a perfect season after a number of so-so years.

Mattydale was fortunate to inherit three capable youngsters by reason of change of residence. John Gannon's father, a lieutenant-colonel in the Air Force, was transferred from the Hawaiian Islands to Syracuse. Pat McAlear's effervescent dad, Bob, was moved from Cleveland to Syracuse. Starliper's father, they say, is on government service in Greenland, and hasn't been home in 18 months. He should apply for a leave, because he really must see this kid play football.

Gannon was billed as an All-Hula bowl performer. It was a legitimate listing. McAlear was supposed to have been an All-Cleveland CYO guard. That too is easy to believe.

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THE VIKINGS' success gave the Pittsfield men pause for thought.

The Vikings showed the benefit of autumn-long association.

This was their ninth game as a unit. They were a team that competed with representatives of other communities in a regular conference schedule.

On the other hand, this was only the third game for Pittsfield. They looked reasonably good against fair opposition from Lanesboro and North Adams. Yet these Vikings were too much.

Pittsfield was an all-star team of sorts. However, it didn't have the co-ordination of a well-knit team. Nor did it have proper footwear. Wearing sneaks, it was at a distinct disadvantage against these clever kids, who had rubber cleated shoes.

Come another year, Pittsfield may find it practical and economical to select a 33-man varsity for outside play, equip all of these boys with rubber cleats, and say, "This is it."

For seven years, the Pop Warner League, under the sponsorship of the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club, has provided tackle football for more than 120 boys a season. There has been little appreciation on the part of the community. Most parents have been guilty of utter apathy. So, next fall, the club may have to face the facts of life, and go for the program with the smaller number. It would be cheaper, and probably would produce more top-grade football players.

Warner Boys Should Return Suits Tonight

Pop Warner Football League players have been asked by Commissioner Charles D. Gilson to return their uniforms tonight or tomorrow night at the Common warming house.

Gilson said he and John T. Carmody Jr., supervisor of officials in the league, would be there each evening at 6 to receive the equipment.

All-Star Teams in Tie In Warner League Finale

Underdog Browns-Giants Hold Edge In Statistics—Haley and Fiorini Score Touchdowns on End Runs

By LAWRENCE JACOBS

The underdog Browns-Giants scored on the first play of the final period for a 6-6 tie with the favored Lions-Rams in the Pop Warner Football league all-star finale yesterday afternoon at North Junior High Field. The Lions and Rams were recruited from the unbeaten champion Lions and the fourth-place Rams. The Browns-Giants represented the second-place Browns and third-place Giants.

Receipts Total $195

The all-star contest originally was scheduled for Thanksgiving morning at Wahconah Park, but bad weather necessitated both a postponement and a change of locale.

A surprisingly large crowd paid $195 at the gate, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson reported. He said this total doesn't include the advance sale.

The Lions-Rams won the toss and elected to receive. Jim Parslow received the kick and returned 10 yards to his own 44. After three plays netted only a yard, Dick Haley dropped back to kick. Haley's kick was fumbled by Del Hoose and Whitey Hannigan recovered it on the Browns-Giants 38 to initiate the touchdown thrust.

Haley swung around right end and fought his way to the 34. A penalty advanced the ball to the 30. Larry Hunt went up the middle to the 27 and a first-down. Another penalty moved the ball up to the 22.

Haley Goes 10 Yards

A pass from Willie Woodson to Nando Delmolino gave the Lions-Rams a first-down at the 17. Another penalty moved the ball to the 10. Haley swept right end and shook off several tacklers to go into the end zone. Hunt's try for the extra points was stopped for no gain.

With Hoose and Mike Fiorini sharing the running chores, the Browns-Giants dominated the second quarter. Finest run of the period was Fiorini's dash through the middle from his 37 to the Lions-Rams 23, where the attack bogged down.

The Browns-Giants touchdown was set in motion midway of the third quarter when Hoose made a fair catch of a Haley punt on his own 26. There were 74 yards to go, but the underdogs ate up the distance like a sword swallor working on a yardstick. .. .. ..

Fiorini picked up a yard through the middle. Hoose rambled around left end for 18 yards and a first down at the 45. Fiorini blasted up the middle for 21 yards to the Lions Rams 34. Hoose, on a draw drove through center for nine yards. Phil Degnan's four-yard advance on a keeper meant a first-down at the 21.

Double Reverse Works

Hoose made 12 yards around left end, but an infraction brought the ball back. Fiorini broke through left guard to the 12. Again Fiorini tried left guard, but he was held with no gain. On the first play of the fourth quarter, Fiorini, off a double reverse, turned his left end and scored standing. The try for what might have been the winning points resulted in a frustrating fumble.

Each team mounted one more threat. Sparked by Woodson's 19-yard run and Shaun Kirby's 11-yard sneak up the middle, the Lions-Rams reached their opponents 30, where they were forced to punt. Taking the ball on the 11, with a couple of short gainers and Hoose's dazzling 28-yard sprint, the Browns-Giants crossed the midfield stripe to the 41. But Delmolino broke through and tackled Tony Gibson for a 10-yard loss two plays before the final whistle.

Big Margin in Yardage

The statistics favored the Browns-Giants. Browns-Giants gained 203 yards over-all to 98 for the Lions-Rams. The Browns-Giants also led in first downs, 8-7, The Browns-Giants tried one pass, which was incomplete. The Lions-Rams tried seven and completed two for 15 yards. The running of Fiorini and Hoose was the big factor in the Browns-Giants success. Fiorini carried nine times for 98 yards, Hoose eight times for 78 yards. Woodson ran well for the Lions-Rams, totaling 25 yards in six carries.

The Warner League is a project of the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club. Gilson yesterday completed his first season as commissioner. Supervisor of coaches is John Carmody Jr. Dick Bard, Mike Haley, Mike Bernardino and Bob Morse coached the two all-star groups. Officials who donated their services in the finale were Jim Smith, Bill Mara Mike Masena and Jerry Grover. John Quinlan is supervisor of officials.

The line-ups:

LIONS-RAMS
Ends: White, Delmolino, Ciepiela
Tackles: Parslow, Beuth, Moore
Guards: Hannigan, Barzousky, Parise
Centers: DiCicco, Powers
Backs: Haley, Kirby, Hunt, Woodson

BROWNS-GIANTS
Ends: Demick, Clark
Tackles: Biasioli, Bates
Guards: Tobin, Esposito
Center: Baumann
Backs: Degnan, Fiorini, Gibson, Hoose

Score by quarters:

Lions-Rams	6	0	0	0—6
Browns-Giants	0	0	0	6—6

Touchdowns: Haley, 10-yard run; Fiorini, 12-yard run.

Referee, Jim Smith. Umpire, Jerry Grover. Head linesman, Bill Mara. Field judge, Mike Messina. Time, 7-minute quarters.

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Syracuse's Mattydale Vikings Favored in Junior Grid Game Her

Approximately 1,000 May See Wahconah Park Attraction

Unbeaten Central New York Team Holds 6½ Pound Edge Over Pittsfield Club—Haley's Status Still Is Uncertain

With a starting unit that will have a six and one-half pound weight advantage per man, the high-powered Mattydale Vikings of Syracuse, N.Y., are substantial favorites over Pittsfield's Pop Warner League A team in the boys' intersectional football contest tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 at Wahconah Park. The Vikings' regular offensive team averages 127.8 pounds a player. The Pittsfield first-stringers are 121.3.

If the enthusiasm of Warner League Commissioner Charles D. Gilson and his associates is even mildly contagious and the weather is good, a crowd of 1,000 may attend.

Big Advantage In Line

The Mattydale outfit has a marked advantage in the line, where its seven men figure out to 128.1 per player. The Pittsfield line averages only 118.4. Pittsfield's backfield will be outweighed only slightly. The averages are 127.2 to 126.5.

The Vikings will be shooting for their ninth consecutive win. In sweeping through their Central New York Pop Warner League Conference schedule, they scored 249 points against 35. Ten of the 19 Pittsfield players also have been free of defeat throughout the autumn. These would be the Lions, who compiled a regular season mark of five victories and one tie in driving to the league championship. In post-season exhibition play, the Warner A team, composed of the aforementioned Lions, six Rams and three Giants, won two straight, defeating the Lanesboro and North Adams entrants in the Berkshire County Junior League.

The Vikings dress 33 players. They have three offensive teams and a defensive unit. The Syracuse team employs a multiple offense. Pittsfield runs mostly from the winged T.

Kickoff Rule In Effect

The Vikings will be playing the kickoff rule for the first time. In their conference, the game starts with a team in possession on its own 35. The Pittsfield league always has employed a kickoff, but it requires the man putting the ball in play to punt. After several conferences by telephone, the Syracuse management agreed to play the kickoff. Coach John Angelo has concentrated on teaching kicking and receiving alignments throughout the week.

Syracuse's main offensive threats are quarterback John Gannon and halfback Don Starliper. Gannon, a left-handed passer, was an all-Hawaii selectee last year, and led his team to victory in a Hula Bowl game in Honolulu. He also runs well. Starliper is the No. 2 passer and the team's best yardage threat on inside plays. He also plays an important defensive role, center linebacker.

Pat McAlear, a sturdy guard, probably is the team's best tackler. He hits harder than most 135 pounders. McAlear was an all CYO guard last fall in Cleveland, Ohio.

The availability of Dick Haley, one of Pittsfield's best runners, will be a question right up to game time. The fleet and powerful left halfback is trying hard to come down to the maximum limit of 140 pounds. He was 148 a week ago, but reduced to 143 at midweek.

If Haley should make the grade, Pittsfield's chances would be brightened. For this would mean he and Willie Woodson would provide a continual breakaway possibility. If Haley should miss, Woodson would have to carry an extremely heavy load.

Pittsfield's outstanding defensive player is left tackle Jim Parslow, a 138-pounder who meets most enemy moves head-on.

Reception Today

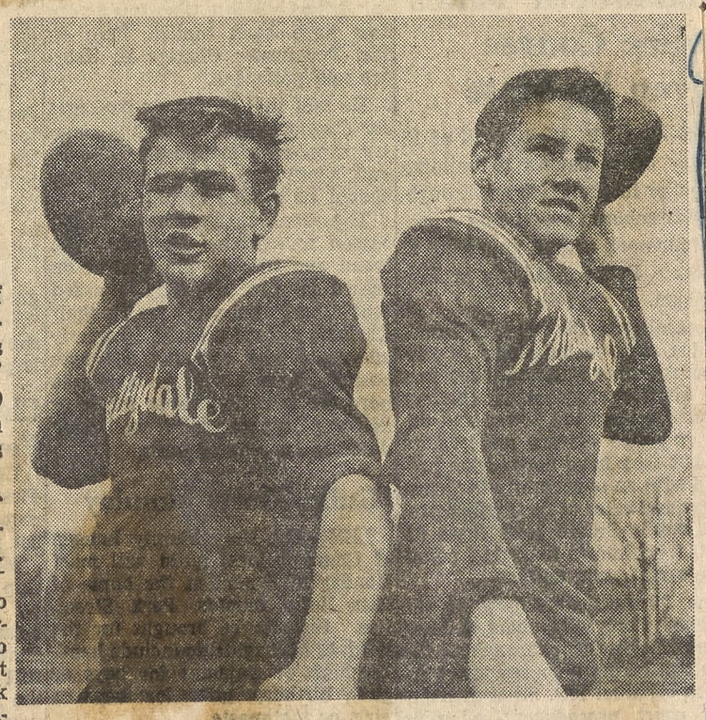
A large crowd is expected at Park Square this afternoon at 4 or thereabouts for the welcome to the Vikings. Mayor Raymond L. Haughey will extend the city's greetings to the young players, their cheer leaders, families and followers.

Commissioner Gilson has arranged overnight lodging in private homes for the Syracuse boys and girls. They'll attend a record hop tonight from 7:30 to 10 at the Girls' Club. A dinner for the visitors is scheduled for the Berkshire Restaurant tomorrow afternoon shortly after the game ends.

Boys' Club Cavaliers To Greet Vikings

The Pittsfield Boys' Club Cavaliers drum and bugle corps will be at Park Square this afternoon to meet the players and accompanying adults of the Syracuse Vikings Pop Warner football team when they arrive in the city. The Syracuse caravan is expected at about 4.

The Cavaliers will also perform at the game tomorrow afternoon at Wahconah Park between the Vikings and the Pittsfield Pop Warner A League All-Stars.



PIN-POINT PASSERS, according to advance notices from Syracuse, N.Y., are these star backs for the Mattydale Vikings, who will oppose the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League A team tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 at Wahconah Park. Just to confuse you and their opponents, halfback Donald Starliper, left, throws right-handed, and quarterback John Gannon, right, tosses left-handed.

Starting Lineups Tomorrow In Pittsfield-Syracuse Game

PITTSFIELD

	Position	No.	Weight	Age
Mitch Massaconi	Left End	89	125	13
Jim Parslow	Left Tackle	83	138	13
Sonny Barzousky	Left Guard	88	105	13
Jerry DiCicco	Center	65	100	12
Whitey Hannigan	Right Guard	82	127	13
Chuck Beuth	Right Tackle	69	122	13
John Kennedy	Right End	75	112	13
Shaun Kirby	Quarterback	85	100	13
Dick Haley or	Left Halfback	87	140	13
Delbert Hoose	Left Halfback	70	120	11
Willie Woodson	Right Halfback	68	133	13
Larry Hunt	Fullback	86	133	13

SYRACUSE

	Position	No.	Weight	Age
Richard Carroll	Left End	3	132	12
William Houser	Left Tackle	25	125	12
Patrick McAlear	Left Guard	63	135	13
Mark Brunet	Center	8	125	11
Robert Kohnke	Right Guard	14	125	13
Theodore Godsil	Right Tackle	56	130	13
Patrick Indivero	Right End	17	125	13
John Gannon	Quarterback	22	122	13
Donald Starliper	Left Halfback	21	127	13
John Wurster	Right Halfback	13	127	13
Michael Ney	Fullback	15	133	13

Pop Warner Football

Rams' Defending Champions To Face Browns in 1st Game

Giants and Lions Slated To Meet In 2nd Tilt at Wahconah—Cavaliers Will Escort Teams on to Field

The Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League will open its seventh season with a doubleheader Sunday afternoon at 1:30. The Rams' defending champions will go against the Browns in the opener, and the Giants will face the Lions in the second contest.

Flag Raising at 1:20

Elaborate opening - day ceremonies have been scheduled by Charles D. Gilson, the league's new commissioner. He announced this morning that the Cavaliers, the Boys' Club drum and bugle corps, will escort the teams onto the field, and also will drill before play starts and during the halftime intermissions. Flag raising is set for 1:20.

"The newly-organized Pop Warner teams in Berkshire County will be welcome to attend the games as our guests," Gilson said.

"Preseason workouts point to an excellent distribution of strength," Gilson said. "We think the four teams are evenly matched. They all appear to be in wonderful shape. We're looking for a close race."

Officials will be John Quinlan, Mike Messina, Jerry Grover and John Farrell. Monroe England Jr., and Steve O'Connell will be stake holders. Former commissioner Louis (Moose) Decensi will be assistant to the head linesman.

James Mancivalano will be custodian of the gate. No admission is charged. The Warner League is entirely dependent on contributions. Mancivalano supervises the money drum at the gate. Art Gwinnell will be the public address announcer.

A program will be published, Gilson said. It will contain the names and numbers of all players.

After the season opens, the teams will practice only on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights, Gilson said. They have been working every week day evening.

The American Red Cross will provide full first-aid service.

Teams Picked In Warner Football Loop

Coaches of the Pop Warner Football League selected teams last night following the third try-out on the Common. Equipment will be issued tonight at 6 at Wahconah Park after which a light workout will take place.

Players will be assigned to their teams tonight before the issue of equipment, and team rosters will be released to the press tomorrow.

The league will again consist of four teams with 30 players on each team. League officials will decide on a starting date and set up the schedule in the near future.

In a statement today, Commissioner Charles Gilson said:

"As the Pop Warner League is a project of the Monday Morning Quarterback Club, I want the club members to know they will be welcome at the park tonight for the equipment issue or at any of the league activities throughout the season."

Cimini Named Line Coach At St. Joe's

New Assistant Is Graduate Of PHS, N.A. State

Pete Cimini, former Pittsfield High football and baseball player, has been named line coach at St. Joseph's High by Coach Bill Murray to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Al Bianchi, who was forced to give up the football job because of an ailing shoulder. Cimini reported today when the parochial team had its first practice at Deming Field.

Cimini is a Pittsfield native. He went through the Pittsfield public schools, and was graduated from Pittsfield High in 1955. In high school he was an end on the football team and a catcher on the baseball club.

The new St. Joe's assistant entered the pre-law course at Northeastern, but after a year, transferred to North Adams State College. He graduated from North Adams last June. He was a catcher on the baseball team at the state school. While in college, he served as a coach in the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League for three years.

Cimini received his first appointment as a teacher in the Pittsfield school system, and will teach seventh grade at Tucker School. He is 24 years old, is single and resides with his mother at 48 Holmes Road.

Touch League Holds Meeting

The Adult Touch Football League held an organizational meeting last week at the Berkshire Mutual Insurance Co. at which six teams expressed interest in competing this year.

The agenda included discussion of entry fees, rosters and starting dates.

Any interested teams should communicate with Tom Ditello at HI 3-6175 or Bob Blake at HI 3-4461.

WBRK Advises High Schools It Plans Grid Broadcasts

Broadcasting of a selected schedule of Pittsfield High and St. Joseph's High football games this season is being considered by radio station WBRK, a representative today advised both schools.

Walter Kearsey, vice president and general manager of the Greylock Broadcasting Co., wrote letters to Cornelius J. McMahon, faculty business manager of athletics at Pittsfield High, and the Rev. Raymond A. Lanoue, moderator of athletics at St. Joseph's High.

He said in each, "WBRK is considering the broadcast of a selected schedule of Pittsfield High and St. Joseph's High football games this season. We would appreciate having your schedule as soon as possible.

"We sincerely feel that such broadcasts will build a greater interest in local high school football and thereby increase attendance at the games.

"We look forward to receiving your schedule and any comments you might have.

"Many thanks for your cooperation."

Football Officials To Meet Tonight

The Berkshire County Football Officials' Association will meet tonight at 7:30 at Springside House. The group will discuss interpretation of the rules.

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Mattydale Vikings Are Impressive in Walloping Pittsfield Jun

Quarterback John Gannon Throws 2 Scoring Passes

Carroll, Indivero and Starliper Score Touchdowns; Woodson Tackle for Safety; Home Team Isn't Able To Muster Threat

By LAWRENCE JACOBS

The boys from Syracuse proved they were worth their salt yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park as the Mattydale Vikings trimmed the All Stars of the Pop Warner Football League 20-0. Mattydale is a suburb of Syracuse.

More than 1,200 fans turned out for the intersectional exhibition which was played on a muddy field with ideal weather overhead. It was the unbeaten Vikings' ninth straight win.

Game Thursday AM

The local all-stars were recruited from the champion Lions and the last-place Rams of the Pop Warner League. This aggregation will wind up its season Thanksgiving morning at 10 by clashing with a combination from the Giants and Browns, who finished second and third, respectively.

By agreement with the visitors, players were limited to 13-and-under in age and 140-and-under in weight. Also, by agreement, there were no kickoffs. The ball was put in play by the "receiving" team on its own 35-yard line.

According to an unofficial weight chart, Mattydale had a slight advantage in weight—and a greater edge in the cohesion that results from playing all season as a unit. The visitors also had whatever leverage accrues from performing with rubber cleats; Pittsfield players, in compliance with the regulations of the local league, wore sneakers.

But these are theoretical—and sometimes dubious — advantages. Actually, the All Stars succumbed to frontal probing, swift encirclement and intermittent but accurate Gannon fire.

Gannon Runs 41 Yards

Yes, quarterback John Gannon, a Viking by way of the Hawaiian Islands, led the charge for Mattydale. Gannon fired two touchdown passes—both real Hono-lulus—and lugged the pineapple on the longest run of the day, a 41-yard near-touchdown in the final quarter.

The All-Stars were unable to gain consistently against the hard-hitting Mattydale defense. Dick Haley and feather-footed Willie Woodson, who put tremendous pressure on opponents' flanks during the Lions' unbeaten season, could not turn the corner on end runs, and inside plays were contained with short yardage. In the air, the All-Stars were at a distinct disadvantage, completing only two passes.

Mattydale scored once in each period, putting together three touchdowns and a safety for its 20 points. The first touchdown stemmed from the opening play. Starting from its own 35 with Mike Ney and the swift Don Starliper carrying, Mattydale drove to its own 47 in three plays. A deceptive reverse shook John Wurtzer loose for 30 yards to the Pittsfield 23. An offside penalty cost Mattydale five yards, but Starliper picked up 9 yards to the 19. Gannon picked out end Dick Carroll at the goal line, and tossed a nifty pass for the touchdown. Carroll made a sensational leaping catch to complete the play.

The second touchdown resulted from a fumble recovered by Ted Godsil at the Pittsfield 22. On the second play Starliper off a double reverse rambled to the 5. A 15-yard penalty set the Vikings back to the 20. After two incomplete passes, Pat McAlear carried to the 16. Gannon tossed to his favorite receiver, Pat Indivero, in the end zone for a touchdown.

One Big Play

Pittsfield put the ball in play at the 35. After two plays were thrown for a loss Larry Hunt passed to Woodson over the right side. Woodson headed for the right sideline, tried to cut back, but lost his balance momentarily, and was tackled by Starliper after a 27-yard gain. There were two plays left in the period.

The third-quarter touchdown was initiated by Starliper's 16-yard run on a fourth-down-and-six from punt formation at midfield. Starliper capped the drive by going over from the 2.

In the fourth quarter, Pittsfield checked a Viking drive at its own five-yard line. On the second play Woodson, attempting to sweep left end, was driven back into the end zone where he was tackled for a safety.

Gannon threw 14 passes and completed 6. However, four other completions were nullified because of infractions and three more should have been caught. One was intercepted.

Mitch Massaconi and Haley played well on defense for Pittsfield, anticipating plays well and tackling with authority. Haley had sweated it out all week in a successful attempt to drop down from 148 pounds. He weighed in at 140 gridside.

The summary:

MATTYVILLE VIKINGS
Ends: Carroll, Indivero, Bernier, Strom, Stevenson
Tackles: Houser, Godsil, Smith, Roof
Guards: McAlear, Kohnke, Burnham
Centers: Brunet, DiRiezo, Seeling
Backs: Gannon, Sterliper, Wurtzer, Ney, Zerillo, Strom, Harvey, Migdal, Hundshamer, Bucci.

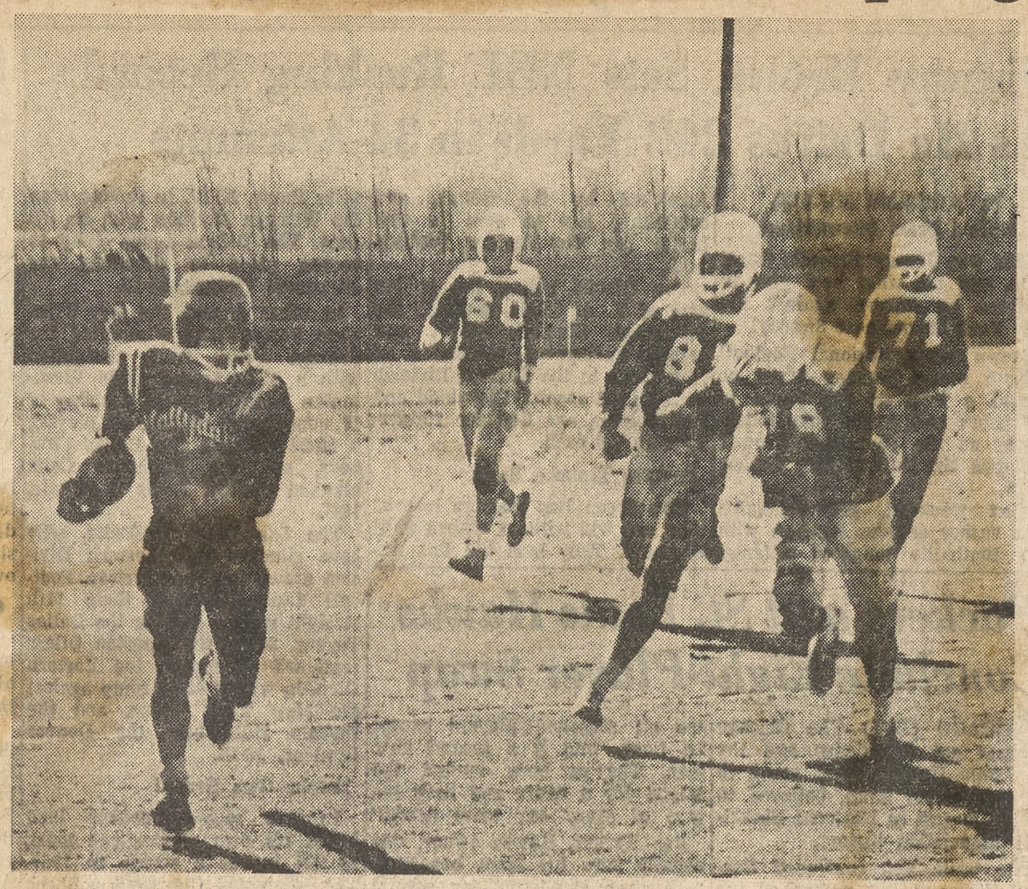
POP WARNER ALL-STARS
Ends: Kennedy, Massaconi
Tackles: Beuth, Parslow, Moore
Guards: Hennigan, Barzousky, Esposito
Center: DiCicco
Backs: Kirby, Healey, Hunt, Woodson, Delmolino

Score by periods:

Vikings	6	6	6	2—20

Touchdowns: Carroll, pass from Gannon (19 yards); Indivero, pass from Gannon (16 yards); Starliper, 2-yard run. Safety, Woodson.

Referee, John Quinlan. Umpire, John Prendergast. Head linesman, Bill Mara. Field judge, John Farrell. Time, 8-minute quarters.



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SYRACUSE STAR Don Starliper runs 23 yards to the Pittsfield 5 in the second period of the junior intersectional football game yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park. Seconds after the picture was taken, Starliper was tackeld by Mitch Massaconi, No. 89, who is angling over to take a shot at the fleet halfback. Others Pittsfield pursuers are Nando Delmolino (No. 60), Dick Haley (No. 87), and Jim Moore (No.71). The Mattydale Vikings, the Syracuse representatives, won 20-0.

Carroll Suffers Neck Injury On Final Play

Dick Carroll, regular end for the Mattydale Vikings, suffered a neck injury on the final play of the junior intersectional football game yesterday afternoon at Wahconah Park. He was hit hard after receiving a pass deep in Pittsfield territory, and experienced difficulty in breathing.

The hurt was diagnosed as neck soreness by Dr. Thomas M. Norton and Dr. David Kagan, who attended the boy on the field and in the dressing room. They said the injury was minor.

Syracuse Players, Fans Attend Dinner

The Mattydale (N.Y.) football Vikings, their families and followers were honored at a dinner at the Berkshire Restaurant late yesterday afternoon after their decisive 20-0 win over the Pittsfield Pop Warner League A team at Wahconah Park.

Speakers were Mayor Raymond L. Haughey, Jack Kohnke, assistant coach of the Vickings, and Joseph Bucci, chairman of the Mattydale-Hinsdale Park District that sponsors the junior team. Bucci invited the Pittsfield team to play in Syracuse next fall.

Covering the game for the Syracuse newspapers was Henry Colton, former Eagle representative in Dalton. Colton now is a public relations representative for the Carrier Corporation in Syracuse.

Vikings-Pittsfield Game Statistics

	Mattydale	Pittsfield
First downs	16	3
Net yards gained	259	54
Yards gained rushing	195	17
Yards gained passing	64	37
Passes attempted	11	3
Passes completed	7	2
Passes intercepted	1	0
Punts	0	3
Punts, average	—	32
Penalties, yardage	85	50
Fumbles	3	5
Fumbles recovered	2	2

Warner League Starts Second Week Monday

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The next practice session for the Pop Warner Football League will be Monday night at 6 on the Common. The drill will mark the second week of practice for the league.

Workouts for all four teams will take place on the Common until further notice. The move was made to give better liaison between the coaches and league officials.

All equipment has been issued and team pictures will be taken Monday night. There are still openings for players and boys may sign up at the Monday session. All the players are insured, the insurance being in force from the first meeting.

Chamberland Elected Head Of Umpires

Bruni Appointed As Commissioner Of AL League

Ray Chamberland of New Marlboro was elected president of the Berkshire County Baseball Umpires' Association at a meeting last night at the American Legion Home. A Notre Dame graduate, he is varsity basketball coach at Mount Everett Regional High School in Sheffield.

Other officers chosen were: vice president, Russell Durant of North Adams; secretary-treasurer, and Joseph Harrison of Pittsfield. Harrison was returned to office.

Part Bruni of Pittsfield was announced as commissioner of the Berkshire County American Legion Junior Baseball League. The veteran umpire was appointed by Arthur McGill, president of the league. Bruni made assignments for the season.

Appointed to the examining committee were Bruni, Durant, Sammy Russo of Pittsfield, and Al Trocchi of Ashley Falls.

Twenty-five attended. Refreshments were served.

Touch League Sets Meeting For Tomorrow

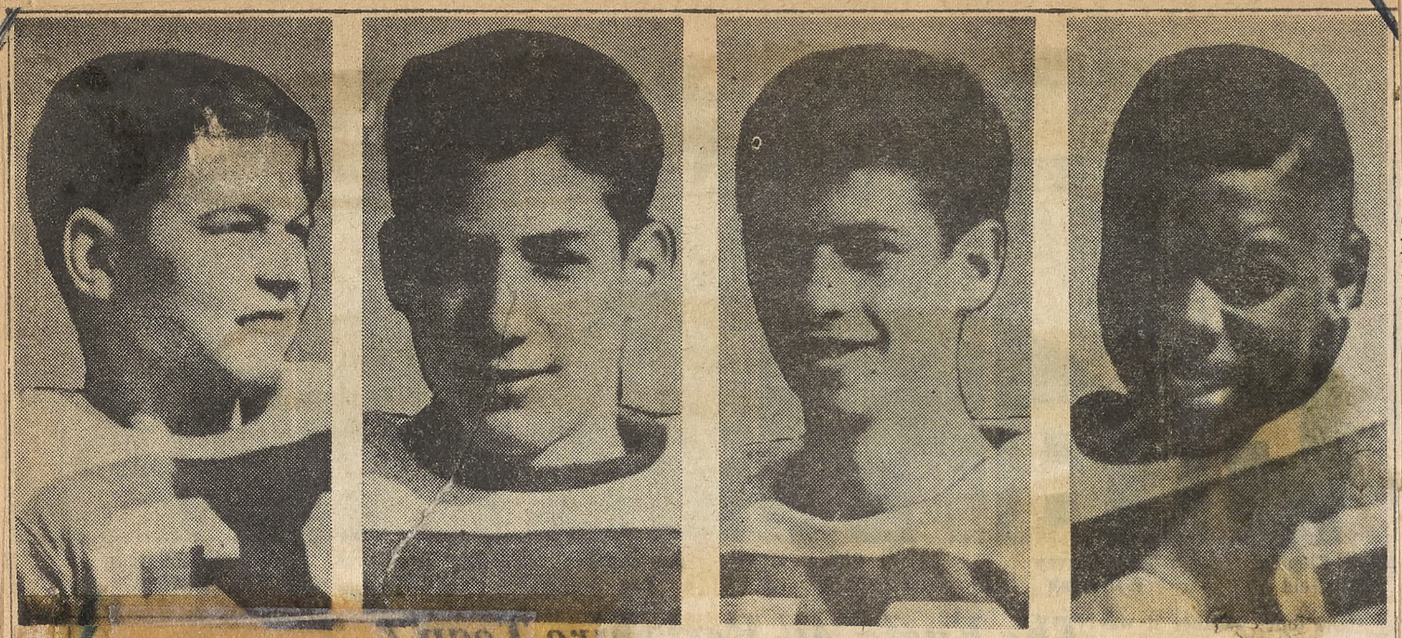
The Adult Touch Football League will try to complete plans for its second season at a meeting tomorrow night at 8 at Springside House.

Berkshire Mutual Insurance Co., Park Jewelry and the Stanley Club have returned as members. There are three vacancies.

Interested managers and sponsors should attend the meeting.

Touch Football Meeting Tomorrow

The Adult Touch Football League meets tomorrow night at 8 at the Berkshire Mutual Insurance Co. on Wendell Avenue Extension.



PITTSFIELD REGULARS in the junior boys football game against the Mattydale Vikings of Syracuse, N.Y., Sunday afternoon at Wahconah Park. They are, left to right: Left guard Sonny Barzousky, left end Mitch Massaconi, right end John Kennedy and right halfback Willi[illegible]wood[illegible]. The Vikings will be shooting for their ninth consecutive win. The Pittsfield Pop Warner League A team is undefeated in two postseason games.

Dinner Slated At Eastover For PWL Boys

George Bisacca Will Be Host Monday Night

Approximately 140, including 120 Pop Warner Football League players, officers of the league, coaches and officials will be dinner guests of George Bisacca, owner of Eastover, at the Lenox resort Monday night at 6:30, Charles D. Gilson, commissioner of the league, announced today.

Gilson said Bisacca also will extend to the boys free use of his swimming and skating facilities for the evening.

Buses and private cars will transport the boys from this city to Lenox and back. Players should be at the Common that evening at 6.

Each coach was asked to advise all of his players about the dinner. Boys who haven't been notified should communicate with Gilson or with John T. Carmody Jr., supervisor of coaches in the league.

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EASTOVER HEADLINERS last night at dinner given for the Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League players by George Bisacca, owner of the Lenox resort, are, left to right: Kevin Brennan, Bisacca, Mrs. Bisacca, Billy Farr, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson and Wayne Ciepiela. Mrs. Bisacca holds flowers that were presented to her by league. In appreciation, the boys also gave a large dog mattress to Bisacca. Sitting on the mattress in foreground is Chinook, Bisacca's recently acquired Siberian Husky. Kevin, Billy and Wayne were speakers.

PWL Players Entertained At Eastover

Bisaccas Receive Gifts From Their Young Guests

Approximately 120 Pop Warner Football League players last night ate dinner and enjoyed the recreational facilities of Eastover, the Lenox resort, as guests of owner George Bisacca.

The entire party numbered about 140. Present as chaperons for the boys were officials and coaches of the league. Commissioner Charles D. Gilson was in charge of arrangements, and John T. Carmody Jr., supervisor of coaches, assisted him.

The youngsters presented gifts to the Bisaccas in appreciation of the outing. Bill Farr of the Browns handed Mrs. Bisacca a large box of flowers. Kevin Brennan of the Browns gave a large dog mattress to Bisacca for use by Chinook, a recently acquired Siberian husky. Chinook played his role perfectly by reclining on the mattress.

Wayne Ciepiela of the Lions presented neckties to all of the coaches.

Roger O'Gara, sports editor of The Eagle, was master of ceremonies. The boys were the only speakers. Introduced for bows were head table occupants, Mr. and Mrs. Bisacca, Commissioner Gilson, John G. W. Mahanna, county editor of The Eagle, John V. Maguire, a prime mover in the Warner League, John Marchesi of the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department, and Francis M. Callanan, treasurer of the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club, sponsor of the Warner League.

DeAngelis Throws Two TD Passes For Park Jewelers

Two touchdown passes by Frank DeAngelis gave the Park Jewelers a 13-7 win over the Stanley Club team in the Adult Touch Football League Sunday afternoon at Clapp Park. DeAngelis connected with Dick Elwell on the first play from scrimmage, and in the second half he tossed Eddie DeAngelo.

The pass to Elwell was good for 50 yards, and the one to DeAngelo covered 40 yards. A pass to Joe Ditcello following the first TD added the point after.

The Stanley Club managed to tie the score late in the first half at 7-7, when Joe Sulosky tossed a 35-yard pass to Frank Kraus for the score. A Sulosky-to-Dan Kletter forward was good for the point.

Adult League Slates Two Games Tomorrow

The Stanley Club team will play The Berkshire Eagle tomorrow afternoon at 1 at Clapp Park in the first of two Adult Touch Football League games. Park Jewelers and Berkshire Mutual will clash in the second contest at 2.

About 200 Attend Clinic

Event Cosponsored By County Officials, Park Department

About 200 football officials, coaches and high school players from Berkshire County attended the third annual football officials' clinic last night at Wahconah Park. The Drury High team, under Coach Tom Bresnahan, was the demonstration squad for the play situations.

The clinic was cosponsored by the Berkshire County Football Officials' Association and the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department. Association President Joe Amerio was master of ceremonies.

John Quinlan explained the proper position of officials under certain play situations. Assisting him were Tom Farley, Mike Messina, Jerry Grover and Steve Helstowski, all of Pittsfkeld, who were in uniform and took the correct positions on free kicks, pass situation and scrimmage plays. Clipping fouls were also discussed. A question and answer period followed.

The committee assisting Amerio with arrangements consisted of Quinlan and John Pendergast of Pittsfield, Tom White of Dalton and Ray Chamberland of Sheffield.

Pittsfield Pop Warner Football League Registration

(Name) _____ (Age) _____

(Address) _____ (Tel. No.) _____

Parent's Consent _____
(Father or Mother Should Sign Here)

Boys who had not attained their 13th birthday prior to March 1, 1961, are eligible.

Mail to Robert J. Brennan, Director of Registration, 101 Strong Ave., Pittsfield

Pop Warner Loop Being Organized In North Adams

NORTH ADAMS—A Pop Warner Football League, with two teams from North Adams and one each from Cheshire and Lanesboro, is being organized and will conduct registration Sept. 2 at Noel Field. About 100 boys are expected to take part.

The program will be run in cooperation with school authorities and any boy taking part will be required to do statisfactory school work. All players will be covered by insurance.

Clinic Slated Tomorrow Night At Wahconah Park

The third annual clinic and demonstration by the Berkshire County Football Officials' Association is scheduled for tomorrow night at 7:30 at Wahconah Park. Rules interpretations will be given. The public is invited free.

In the event of rain, the event will be canceled, Joe Amerio, president of the association, said this morning.

The Drury High squad, under the direction of new coach Tom Bresnahan, will be used for the demonstration.

Touch May Go

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By Roger O'Gara

A DIRTY Republican trick.

That was our first reaction to the announcement that only three teams have enrolled for the second season of play in the Pittsfield Adult Touch Football League.

Isn't touch football President Kennedy's favorite game? And didn't it receive reams of nationwide publicity last fall about the time when Jack and his brothers professed great liking for it?

So Kennedy was elected, and the membership in the PATFL dropped from six to three. Are there political implications?

Maybe the Republicans aren't to blame, in view of the fact that the three teams already in line seem to be sponsored by good sound conservatives. These are Berkshire Mutual Insurance, Park Jewelry and the Stanley Club. All are studies in rock-ribbed respectability. However you need more than three teams for a league. If additional teams don't enroll, touch may go.

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SO WHAT is it? Are the Democrats the culprits who are refusing to co-operate?

What's the story? Haven't most of the potential players received the word about physical fitness? Wouldn't the Pittsfield Adult Touch Football League be a worthy proving grounds for such an activity?

Bob Blake of Berkshire Mutual, Joe Salonsky of the Stanley Club and Tom Ditello of Park Jewelry are wondering what happened to the other teams. The Water Department won the championship last fall. It hasn't rejoined.

"We have all kinds of fellows who want to play," Blake said in explaining the situation. "They just haven't been banded together in teams. We need leadership."

Yes, and more sponsorship wouldn't hurt either, would it, Bob? A sponsor usually is assessed $30 for a team.

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BLAKE FEELS that the sponsor's fee may be a stumbling block for some.

So how about a team composed of interested men who would be willing to raise the money among themselves? With 22 men on a roster, no one would get tagged for more than $1.36. That's a small price to pay for staying in shape and having a place to go every Sunday afternoon.

Of course it's barely possible that there'll be a rush of sponsors once this need has been publicized. After all, this is a little bit different than some other athletic enterprises where sponsors have high sales resistance. Most self-respecting businessmen would spend $30 to endorse physical fitness.

The league has a minimum age of 21. Insofar as we know, there is no maximum. The President is 44, and he played the sport until he was elected.

Football Star Appointed by Cancer Society

Charley O'Rourke Named Area Director For Western Mass.

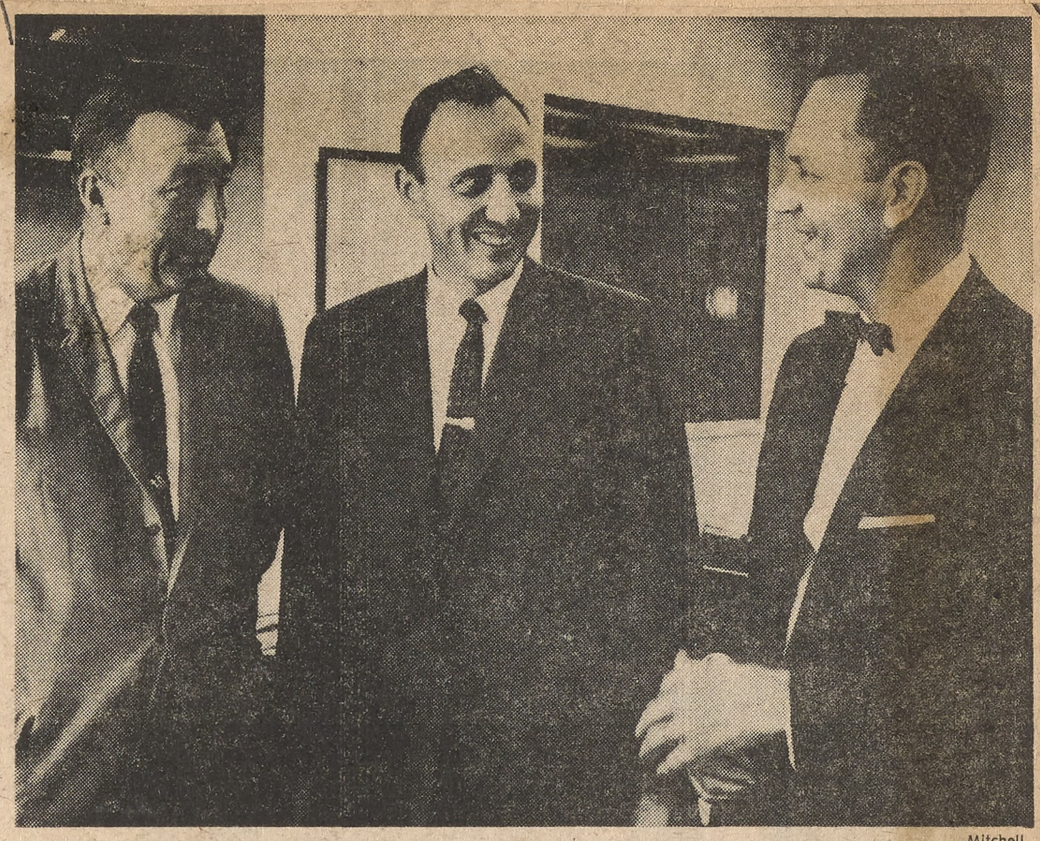
Charley O'Rourke, 42, former University of Massachusetts varsity football coach and one-time All-America halfback at Boston College, has been appointed Western Massachusetts area director of the American Cancer Society. He will cover a territory from Pittsfield to Gardner.

O'Rourke's main responsibility will be to supervise the organization of community and county committees. He has been in Berkshire County for the past several days.

O'Rourke played with BC in the Cotton Bowl in 1940 and in the Sugar Bowl in 1941. Boston lost to Clemson 6-3 in the first game, but defeated Tennessee 19-13 in the second. O'Rourke scored one of the touchdowns.

He resigned the Massachusetts position following the 1959 season. Prior to joining the cancer society, he was employed as a salesman by the Rochester Germicide Company.

He will continue to live in Amherst.



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FELLOW BOSTON COLLEGE ALUMNI Rudolph Sacco, center, and Alphonse Kasuba, right, wish good luck to ex-football star Charley O'Rorurke upon his appointment as Western Massachusetts area director of the American Cancer Society. O'Rourke, an outstanding passing halfback at BC, graduated in 1941, Kasuba in 1948, Sacco in 1951. O'Rourke for some years was head football coach at the University of Massachusetts. Sacco and Kasuba were unsuccessful contenders in Tuesday's special primaries for nominations to fill a vancany in the state Senate.

Grid Slate Announced By WBEC

Station Will Carry Six High School, 10 College Games

A fall schedule of six local high school football games, 10 Notre Dame games and a series of "Football Specials" which will be heard five nights a week at 7:15 have been announced by radio station WBEC. The nightly series will include interviews with high school coaches and players in the area.

High school games to be carried live are: St. Joseph's-Drury tomorrow night at 7:30 at Wahconah Park; Pittsfield High-Northampton at Northampton Saturday at 2; Pittsfield-West Springfield at West Springfield, Saturday, Oct. 7; Pittsfield-Drury at North Adams, Saturday, Oct. 14; Pittsfield-Holyoke Catholic at Holyoke Friday, Oct. 20; Pittsfield-Adams, at Wahconah Park Saturday, Oct. 28.

Notre Dame contests are: Saturday, Oklahoma; Oct. 7, Purdue; Oct. 14, Southern California; Oct. 21, Michigan State; October 28, Northwestern; Nov. 4, Navy; Nov. 11, Pittsburgh; Nov. 18, Pittsburgh; Nov. 18, Syracuse; Nov. 25, Iowa; Dec. 2, Duke.

When high school and Notre Dame games are being played at the same time, the Notre Dame play-by-play broadcasts will be recorded in their entirety and carried on WBEC at 6:30.

The play-by-play and color broadcasts of the high school contests will be shared by WBEC sports director Burt Steere and General Manager Henry Hovland.

Junior High Teams Slated To Play Five Games Apiece

North Junior High opens a five-game schedule this afternoon against the Wahconah Regional Jayvee team at North Junior High Field. The team is coached by Steve Helstowski, who is assistd by Ray Kowalski.

Other games on its slate are: Oct. 10, at Darrow; Jayvees, Oct. 18, Lenox School jayvees here; Nov. 7, South at Wahconah Park.

The South Junior High team, coached by Pat Bruni and his assistant, Earl Hatch, will open Oct. 4 against the Lenox School jayvees at Lenox. The remainder o the schedule is: Oct. 9, Lee jayvees here; Oct. 19, Darrow jayvees here; Oct. 24, Wahconah Regional, jayvees; Nov. 7, North at Wahconah Park.

Touch League Lists 2 Games For Tomorrow

A Pittsfield Adult Touch Football League double-header is scheduled for tomorrow afternoon at Clapp Park. In the opener at 1, Berkshire Mutual Insurance Co. will go against the Stanley Club. Then, at 2:30, the Berkshire Eagle will face Park Jewelry.

In the season openers last Sunday, the Stanley Club defeated the Eagle 13-0 and Park Jewelry won from Berkshire Mutual 21-0.

Youngsters Vie For 15 Prizes In Grid Contest

Approximately 60 boys ranging in age from 6 through 10 will be shooting for prizes and the right to go farther in nation-wide competition as they meet on the Common this morning at 10 in the Ford Motor Company's football contest.

They'll be tested in three skills — punting, passing and placement kicking.

First, second and third awards will be made in each of five age brackets, six years old, seven, eight, nine and 10.

Accuracy and distance will be the considerations.

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PUNTING FOR A PRIZE, Don LeBlanc launches a kick in the Ford punt, pass and place kick contest Saturday morning on the Common. The contest, which is being sponsored nationally by the Ford Motor Co. for boys 6 to 10 years old, will have its finals later in the season between regional winners at the halftime of a professional football game. Adults in the picture assisting in running the competition are Howard J. Seyffer, president of Brookshire Ford, left, and Vincent Hebert, superintendent of Parks and Recreation Department.

Punt, Pass, Kick Contest Set Saturday

Boys 6 to 10 Will Compete On the Common

Approximately 40 entries have been received for the Pittsfield area competition in the Ford Motor Co. nationwide punt, pass and placement kicking contest. The event for boys from 6 to 10 years of age has been scheduled for Saturday morning at 10 on the Common.

Additional contestants will be accepted throughout the week. Interested boys should register with Richard Connor, sales manager of the Brookshire Co., 694 East St.

Winners here will go on to regional tournaments.

Punt, Pass, Kick Contest To Be Concluded Today

The Pittsfield part of the Ford Motor Company's punt, pass and placement kicking contest for boys from six to 10 years of age is scheduled to be concluded on the Common this afternoon at 3:30.

Most of the 60 contestants were tested Saturday morning on the Common. However, officials of the Brookshire Company, the Ford agency in the city, decided that those who stayed away because of inclement weather should be given a chance today.

Some excellent scores were made in all divisions. Contestants were judged on distance and accuracy.

Boys attempted to punt, pass and place kick straight down a middle line. If a boy passed 40 feet and the ball landed right on the line, his score for that particular event was 40. If he passed 40 feet, but was two feet away from the line, his total was 38. He lost a point for each foot of inaccuracy.

Parks and Recreation Department officials assisted Brookshire personnel in the operation.

Warner League Lists Plans For Season

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Opening Drills Set Monday Night On the Common

Tryouts for the Pop Warner Football League's seventh season will start Monday night at 6 on the Common, Commissioner Charles D. Gilson announced today.

He said all eligible boys should fill out the registration blank that is printed on Page 32. The completed blank shoud be mailed to Robert J. Brennan, director of registration, 101 Strong Avenue, Pittsfield.

Successful candidates will be assigned to teams Wednesday night after only three evenings of drills. This is a marked change from former, policy. However, John T. Carmody Jr., head of the coaches said the boys will benefit from the new plan. He pointed out they will receive more coaching by joining their teams at an earlier date.

Selections will be announced Wednesday night. Uniforms will be distributed Thursday night.

Sunday, Sept. 17 is the tentative date for the season-opening doubleheader at Wahconah Park.

The team names will remain the same as they have been since the inception of the league. These are the Browns, the Lions, the Giants and the Rams.

Boys who had not attained thier 13th birthday prior to March 1, 1961 are eligible. Fourteen-year olds also are permitted to play if they have not advanced to the ninth grade or the freshman year of high school.

Winners Are Announced In Ford Motor Contest

Winners were announced today in the Pittsfield part of the Ford Motor Co. punt, pass and place-kick contest for boys between 6 and 10 years of age.

Champions and Scores

The divisional champions by years and their scores are as follows: Ten years, Robert J. Cella, 25 Sampson Parkway, 172 points; nine, James A. Sincere Jr., 169 Brown St., 151; eight, Peter J. Clark, 72 Dartmouth St., 102; seven, Andrew MacGruer, 187 Bartlett Ave., 90; six, George Garivaltis, 300 Holmes Road, 53.

The scores of the winners in each age group will be compared with those of successful contestants in many other communities. A few will be chosen for a runoff for the regional title preceding a New York Giants' home contest at Yankee Stadium some time in November.

Fifty-three boys participated in the contest that started on the Common Saturday morning, and ended there yesterday afternoon. Most of the boys took their tests Saturday. The competition was extended to yesterday for the convenience of the few who stayed away Saturday because of inclement weather.

Winners will receive National Football League suits, with all accessories. Second-place boys will be given warm-up jackets, and footballs will be presented to those who finished third.

Richard Connor, sales manager, William Michaels, office comptroller, and Kenneth J. Seyffer, president, of Brookshire Co., the Pittsfield Ford agency, were in charge of arrangements.

Scoring Method

Contestants were scored on a point basis that combined distance and accuracy. A middle line was extended down a field marked at every five feet by a cross stripe. The idea was to punt, pass and place-kick as far as possible right down the middle. Young Cella's winning score of 172 means he averaged 57.3 on each effort. The method of scoring was to award a point for each foot of distance and then to subtract a point for each foot of inaccuracy. For instance, if a boy kicked a football 65 feet, and the ball landed eight feet away from the middle line, his score would be 57.

The second and third placers by age groups were as follows:

TEN

2nd, Charles Kirk, 7 Esther Ter., 168
3rd, Glen Frydel, 74 Unkamet Park Drive, 157

NINE

2nd, Donald F. LeBlanc, 203 Connecticut Ave., 126
3rd, Michael Brown, 10 Howe Road, 125

EIGHT

2nd, Mickey Hall, 20 Myrtle St., 76
3rd, Donald E. O'Brien Jr., 68 Third St., 50

SEVEN

2nd, Keith A. Phelps, 39 Third St., 56
3rd, Jeff Habeck, 148 Bartlett Ave., 46

SIX

2nd, James J. O'Keefe, 11 Livingston Ave., 51
3rd, James Davis, 433 Pomeroy Ave., 47

For Title

Touch League Game Set for Sunday At Clapp Park

The unbeaten Park Jewelers and the Stanley Club will meet at Clapp Park tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 in a playoff game for the post-season championship of the Pittsfield Touch Football League.

The Jewelers have a record of seven straight wins. The Stanley Club finished second in the regular season race. It has won five, lost two.

This will be the third meeting of the teams. The Jewelers were extended to the limit in winning 12-6 and 6-0.

Frank DeAngelis of the Jewelers is rated the best passer in the league. Other key players are former Pittsfield High backs Joe Ditello and John Fiorini and Eddie DeAngelo.

The Stanley Club will be handicapped by the absence of Joe Solusky, former Lehigh University player, who is on vacation. However, it has four standout men ready for full duty. They are John Sayles, former Cornell University back, star end Bob Faye, Felix Wisnewski and Bob Vollinger.

The game will mark the close of the leagues second season.

Vince Zajac Heads County Grid Officials

Grady Re-elected For 10th Term; White Appointed

Vincent Zajac of Adams was elected president of the Berkshire County Football Officials' Association at the annual dinner meeting last night in Green Acres Restaurant in Cheshire. He succeeds Joseph Amerio of Pittsfield. Thirty-six attended.

Edwin Grady of Pittsfield was re-elected secretary-treasurer for the 10th consecutive term. Thomas White of Dalton was chosen vice president.

White also was named chairman of the committee to make plans for the kickoff meeting next August.

Announced as provisional members were Angelo DiNicola and Peter Tierney, both of Pittsfield, and John Ballantine of Williamstown. All three passed written tests. After serving next season as officials in junior varsity, junior high and Pop Warner League contests, they'll qualify for full membership the following year.

The association passed three resolutions. In one, it thanked all high schools for their cooperation during the season, particularly insofar as the establishment of dressing room facilities for officials was concerned. It also thanked the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department for providing a meeting place for the organization every two weeks. Finally, it sent congratulations to Pittsfield and Lee highs for their successful football seasons.

Touch League Playoffs Open Next Weekend

Park Jewelry Team Wins Regular Season Honors

Park Jewelry's already crowned champions warmed up for the post-season playoffs in the Pittsfield Touch Football League by defeating the Stanley Club 6-0 in the opening game of the last twin bill of the regular season yesterday afternoon on Clapp Park. Berkshire Eagle and Berkshire Mutual Insurance Co. battled to a scoreless tie in the second contest.

The playoffs will start next Sunday at Clapp. Park Jewelry will meet Berkshire Mutual in the opener at 1, and Berkshire Eagle will go against the Stanley Club at 2:45.

The winners will meet Sunday, Nov. 12, for the playoff title.

ch League In Finale

Two Top Teams Meet Tomorrow At Clapp Park

The Pittsfield Touch Football League will close its second season tomorrow afternoon with a double-header at Clapp Park. Undefeated Park Jewelry, which already has clinched the title, will oppose runner-up Stanley Club in the opener at 1. Third place Berkshire Mutual Insurance Company will go against The Berkshire Eagle's cellar dwellers at 2:30.

Park Jewelry will be shooting for its fifth consecutive win. Its biggest offensive weapon is long and accurate passer Frank DeAngelis. The Stanley Club has a three-two mark. The Eagle is winless in four starts.

A post-season playoff series will be held on the two following weekends. Details will be announced next week.

Gleason, Brennan, Redman Approved as PHS Coaches

The School Committee, at a brief public meeting last night in the School Department office in City Hall, formally voted appointment of three athletic coaches at Pittsfield High School.

Named head football coach was Joseph F. Gleason; first assistant football coach, George L. Redman; head baseball coach, John J. Brennan.

Split Two Sports

The committee thus split the football - baseball coach position held during the last several years by Nicholas J. Morris, who resigned to go to New Bedford. With Morris went Charles P. DeLeo Jr., an assistant football coach.

Mr. Gleason, a former PHS teacher, has for the last three years been head football coach at a high school in Bristol, R.I. He is a graduate of Holy Cross College. He will also teach social studies.

Mr. Brennan was a four-letter man at Pittsfield High School. An English teacher, he has been Mr. Morris' assistant in baseball for the last three years. He is also a Holy Cross graduate.

Mr. Redman is a Springfield College graduate and has been assistant football coach at a high school in Middlebury, Vt., for the last four years. He will also teach physical education.

Overlock Dissents

All three positions were included in the motion to appoint made by Committeeman Philip H. Krause. The only dissenting vote was cast by Chairman Joseph W. Overlock, who told a reporter he "preferred another man as head coach."

Committeeman John J. Quinn held out briefly for further consideration of Mr. Brennan as head football coach, but was told by other committeemen Mr. Brennan was satisfied with the baseball position. Mr. Quinn did not press the point. Mr. Brennan will continue as second assistant football coach, a position he has held in the past.

Warner Football

FAIR OR FOUL

8/31/6

By Roger O'Gara

THE RECENT announcement on the change in management of the Pop Warner Football League needs elaboration.

Since the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club voted sponsorship of this program of tackle football for boys up to 13 years of age in the spring of 1955, the administration nas been in the hands of a small group of industrious, dedicated men.

By the time the first game was played that fall, a separate organization known as the Pop Warner Football League had been established. It was composed exclusively of QB club members, but that was as close as some of the brothers came to the games.

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SO AFTER six highly successful seasons, men like Clem Farrell, Moose Decensi and John Quinlan have asked to be relieved. After all, you couldn't expect them to go on forever. The time and effort they put into the thing was fantastic.

They asked last winter that the Parks and Recreation Department take over the project as a worthwhile recreational activity. The Park Commission voted against that, but countered with a proposal to make one of its employes available for assisting the league.

Then Farrell, Decensi and Quinlan asked the club to take responsibility for continuation of the league. The club voted to accept.

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IT CHOSE Charles Gilson as commissioner.

This came as a refreshing development to the many friends of the new commissioner. They feared he had taken the Paul Gallico Road last fall when he renounced football for a registered beagle named Supersonic Sam.

Sam and Charley ranged the fields and woods through the autumn with no decrease in the rabbit population.

Sam wasn't competitive. He soon found the comfort of the Gilson manse preferable to the rigors of the outdoors, and furthermore he isn't mad at a living thing.

His greatest exertion of late was to accompany his master to an American Legion baseball game at Clapp Park on the business end of a leash.

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WITH THE effervescent Gilson at the helm, the league should prosper. It'll have to be a team effort, though, as he so appropriately put it in his inaugural address.

At 56, Charley has the pep and drive of many men 30 years his junior.

After a week's vacation in Canada, he's raring to tackle all of the countless details that go to make up this big operation. He has been associated with many of the good sports programs in the city in the past quarter of a century.

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THE RECENT NEWS story of the change in management didn't include all of the league's financial figures. So in fairness to the men who gave so much over the years, we would like to print this communication from Clem Farrell.

Clem, the man who originated the idea of this league in Pittsfield, was its first commissioner. Although he relinquished the position, he never left the league. He was a valuable associate of Decensi, Mark Viale, Mrs. Mark Viale and Quinlan, who followed him as commissioners.

Clem's letter reads as follows:

"Just a note to express my personal thanks to the Monday Morning Quarterbacks' Club in appointing a committee to operate our Pop Warner Football League again. As you are well aware, this program has operated since its beginning with its own officers and treasury. It was the lack of interest shown by the members of the Quarterbacks' Club, and for personal reasons of the present officers, that we had asked the Park Department to operate this league. However, I am sure that with renewed interest and such zealous personnel that the program will enjoy continued success.

"In lieu of submitting a comprehensive financial report for the six years of operation, which will be available to your newly elected officers, I believe your statement of our profit of 1956 and our deficit of 1960 doesn't give a true picture of this program. For instance, our total expenses for the year 1956 were $688.45 and for the year 1960 these were $2,053.20. As you well know, most of this equipment is approximately 5 years old, and approximately $700.00 worth of new equipment was purchased in 1960 and our insurance on the boys increased from $300.00 to $600.00 per season. As it is difficult to compare profit and loss from year to year, it is well to note that at the beginning of our 1956 season we had a total cash on hand of $592.55 and at the close of the 1960 season we had cash on hand of $1,707.57.

"I believe I would be remiss if I didn't make special mention of three of our most ardent and loyal supporters of this program, namely the late Monroe B. England, Mark R. Viale and Dan Healy. I would also like to express my sincere gratitude to the dedicated men who were associated with me during the last six years, particularly Louis (Moose) Decensi, James Mancivalano, and John Quinlan who provided us with outstanding officials for every game played.

"We all owe special thanks to Miss Alice G. Cronin who kept a most complete and detailed record of our receipts and expenditures over the past six years. These records will be turned over to the new officers."

Park Jewelry Wins 20-14

Frank DeAngelis Throws 3 TD Passes in Touch Game

Pace-setting Park Jewelry remained undefeated in the Adult Touch Football League by winning from Berkshire Mutual Insurance 20-14 yesterday afternoon at Clapp Park. It was the third consecutive victory for the Jewelers. Berkshire Eagle forfeited to the Stanley Club in the other scheduled game.

Frank DeAngelis threw three touchdown passes as Park Jewelry jumped to a 20-0 lead in the first half. The receivers and overall gains were Ed DeAngelo, 20 yards, John Fiorini, 45 yards, and Dom Palmieri, 30 yards. DeAngelis also passed for extra points to Bill Shea and Joe Ditello.

Dick Smeester hit Bob Blake on two scoring tosses for gains of 20 and 15 yards as Berkshire Mutual rallied in the second half. The other two points for the losers came as Al Bianchi caught DeAngelis in the end zone for a safety.

Berkshire Mutual and the Stanley Club, both with 2-2 records, will meet in the second game of a double-header next Sunday afternoon at 2:45 at Clapp. Park Jewelry and The Berkshire Eagle are listed to play at 1.

Touch Loop Sets Meeting Friday

An 1961 organizational meeting of the Adult Touch Football League will take place Friday night at 7:30 at the Berkshire Mutual Insurance Building at 10 Wendell Ave. The meeting is for all young men over 21 interested in the league.

Managers and represenatives of teams desiring to enter the loop should be present for the Friday night session.

All Candidates For PWL Pass Physical Exams

All 160 candidates for the Pop Warner Football League passed their physical examinations last night on the Common.

Giving the tests were Doctors Ernest E. Segnalla, Thomas M. Norton, Thomas Sullivan and Roy Walchenbach.

Mrs. Mildred Baker Named President Of Legion Women

Mrs. Mildred Baker was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary at a recent meeting at the Legion Home. She succeeds Mrs. Mary Gough.

Other officers named were Mrs. Maud Cloutier, senior vice president; Mrs. Paul Silvagni, junior vice president; Mrs. Albert G. Clark, treasurer; Mrs. Florence Regnier, historian; Mrs. Marguerite Boland, chaplain; and Mrs. Ernest Wheeler, sergeant at arms.

Executive board members will be Mrs. Gough, Mrs. Edward C. Murphy, Mrs. Loring B. Tower, Mrs. Albert H. Melle and Mrs. D. C. Gardner.

The installation will take place n October.

Square Dance Group Plans New Series

The Berkshire County Square ance Association today announced new series of square dance les- ons. Any couple interested in estern style square dancing may et in touch with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Tallman, 101 Orlando Ave., or Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Agar, 36 Marian Ave. Two or three new groups will be formed.

Winter Sports Meeting

The first meeting of the winter sports committee will be tonight at 8 at Springside House, 874 North St., to discuss plans for the coming season.

Winter Sports Chairmen Named

Special chairmen for the 17th annual Winter Sports Carnival events were announced today by Carl Peaslee, general chairmen.

Fourteen members of the winter sports committee attended their first meeting of the year last night at Springside House.

Mrs. George Yannone was named chairman of this year's Queen Contest. Other appointments are James Farry, chairman of city speed skating meet; Sumner Gamwell, chairman of the Eastern Seaboard speed skating championship; Mrs. Mildred Baker, chairman of the competitors dinner, and Mark Selkowitz, chairman of the Berkshire interscholastic ski meet.

The design of this year's winter carnival button will be discussed at the next meeting of the committee, Nov. 1 at 8 p.m. in Springside House. Definite dates for the sports activities will be announced later.

Winter Sports Groups To Meet Tonight

Two Pittsfield Park Department organizations meet nightly at Springside House to plan winter activities.

James Farry, president of the Speed Skating Club, has called a meeting for 7 p.m. This will be followed at 8 by a meeting of the winter sports committee with Chairman Carl E. Peaslee.

Winter Sports Sale To Be Discussed

Plans for the winter sports equipment sale will be discussed at a meeting of the winter sports committee tomorrow night from 8 to 9 at the Springside House.

The annual sale will be held Nov. 30, Dec. 1 and 2 at a place to be announced. Mrs. George Maynard is chairman.

The Pittsfield Parks Speed Skaters Club also will meet tomorrow night from 7 to 8. Plans for projects and practice sessions will be discussed.

Winged Skate Chosen for Carnival Button

A winged ice skate has been chosen as the design for the 1961-62 winter carnival button, according to Carl Peaslee, winter sports committee chairman.

Approximately 20,000 buttons will be ordered and then sold by carnival queen contestants. Buttons help defray carnival expenses.

About 20 persons attended the sports committee meeting last night at the Springside House.

Ernie Manns of the Berkshire Motor Sports Club reported on the gymkhana to be held Jan. 14 on the ice at Onota Lake.

Also discussed was the possibility of bidding for a national junior ski meet so that it could be held in Pittsfield and the possibility of holding ski jump demonstrations here next year.

The Pittsfield Parks Speedskating Club also held a meeting last night to discuss several projects to raise money for skating meets and other winter activities. Members plan to sell a gadget that cores and slices apples, and icicles for the decoration of Christmas trees.

Mrs. Maynard Heads Sale for Winter Sports

Mrs. George Maynard will be in charge of the annual winter sports equipment sale, the Department of Parks and Recreation announced today.

The event features the sale of used winter sports equipment. Eighty per cent of the proceeds is returned to the donors of the equipment and 20 per cent goes to winter carnival committee for expenses.

This year the sale will be held Nov. 30, Dec. 1 and 2 at a place to be announced. It will be the first event of the 17th annual winter carnival.

The annual carnival ball has been scheduled for Feb. 2 at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel. The queen's contest with Mrs. George Yannone in charge will begin Dec. 27 and last through Jan. 25.

William S. Litty was named chairman of the winter carnival program booklet at a winter sports committee meeting held at the Springside House last night.

The committee also discussed the carnival square dance, ice fishing derby and other winter sports activities. Carl Peaslee is general chairman of the committee.

Queen Contest Applications Available

Applications for carnival queen contestants may be obtained at the Springside House or from Mrs. George Yannone, chairman of the contest, it was announced today.

Deadline for entry is Dec. 10. Any single girl, 17 to 24 years of age, who lives, works or attends school here may enter.

At a meeting last night of the winter sports committee, Mrs. George Maynard announced the names of three workers who will assist her during the annual sports equipment sale, Nov. 30, Dec. 1 and 2.

They are the Misses Patti Smith and Glennie Zofrea, members of the Parks Speed Skating Club, and Max Sauter, former president of the Mount Greylock Ski Club.

The place of the sale has not yet been announced. Sports committee members plan to take movies during the sale, Mrs. Maynard said.

A stock car race may be held during the sports car trials at Onota Lake, Jan. 14, according to Ernest Manns, chairman of the Berkshire Motors Sports Car Club.

The next meeting of the winter sports committee has been set for Nov. 29 at the location of the equipment sale.

Winter Sports Equipment Items Sought for Sale

Everything from sleds to snow shoes is needed for the annual winter sports equipment sale, Mrs. George Maynard, chairman of the event, said today.

The sale will be Nov. 30 through Dec. 2. The committee will take items for the sale from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 27 through the 29th at a location to be announced.

Eighty per cent of the proceeds reverts to the donors and 20 per cent goes to the winter carnival committee to help pay carnival expenses.

Sale items should be in the best condition possible, Mrs. Maynard noted. Skates that are polished and have lacings and clean runners sell best. Skis with bindings sell better than those without bindings.

There always is a big demand for toboggans of all sizes, sleds and snow shoes, the chairman said.

$5,300 Netted From Winter Sports Equipment Sale

The three-day winter sports equipment sale netted about $5,300, it was announced today by Mrs. George Maynard, sale chairman.

About 1,420 articles were handled during the sale. Owners of the items received 80 per cent of the sale price and the rest went to the winter sports committee.

Checks and unsold articles will be given to owners at the store, 78 West St., today and tomorrow from 10 to 3 p.m. After tomorrow, checks will be left at the Springside House.

300 Articles Received for Winter Sports Sale

Approximately 300 winter sports articles were received yesterday at the sale headquarters, 78 West St., next to the Sherwin-Williams Paint store.

Chairman of the winter sports sale, Mrs. George Maynard, said articles may be brought in today and tomorrow from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Sleds, skates, toboggans and small size skis and ski boots as well as other items are welcome. Donors get 80 per cent of the sale price and 20 per cent goes to the sports committee to aid in Winter Carnival expenses.

The winter sports sale will run Thursday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and will continue for the next two days from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Mrs. Wilde Named Head of Queens' Contest

Mrs. Eleanor E. Wilde was appointed general chairman of the 17th annual queens' contest to take the place of Mrs. George F. Yannone who has resigned. The appointment was made at a meeting of the winter sports committee of the Parks and Recreation Department last night at Springside House.

The kickoff dinner for the queen contestants will be Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel.

Applications for contestants will close tomorrow at noon.

The winter sports committee voted $25 to Collin Garstang to help meet his expenses at a three-day ski camp for promising young skiers at Killington Basin, Sherburne, Vt. Collin will return from Sherburne on Saturday.

The next meeting of the committee will be Jan. 3 at 8 p.m. at Springside House. The public is invited.

Sports Sale Set for West Street

The Parks and Recreation Department's annual winter sports equipment sale will be held this year at 78 West St., next to the Sherman-Williams Paint store. The department has been looking for a place to hold the sale.

The sale will run Thursday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and will continue for the next two days from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Winter sports articles will be received at the store Monday through Wednesday from 10 to 3 and from 7 to 9 p.m. Mrs. George Maynard, chairman of the Winter Sports Sale, announced that equipment owners will receive 80 per cent of the sale price and the remaining 20 per cent will be retained by the Winter Sports Committee to defray expenses incurred during the Winter Carnival.

Winter Sports Sales Hit $2,500 First 2 Hours

About $2,500 was grossed this morning during the first two hours of the Parks Department winter sports equipment sale, Mrs. George Maynard, sale chairman, said today.

Starting at 10 a.m. almost 35 per cent of the 1,200 items had been sold by noon. The sale is at 78 West St.

Mrs. Maynard said the committee would accept articles for sale until 9 tonight and 6 p.m. tomorrow. She said skis, poles, toboggans and ski racks were in demand. Sleds, skates, ski boots, and other winter spotrs equipment are on sale.

The West Street store will be open until 9 tonight, and from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. tomorrow and Saturday.

Eighty per cent of the purchase price is returned to the donor; the other 20 per cent goes to the winter sports committee to help finance winter carival activities.

About 20,000 carnival buttons have been received, according to Carl Peaslee, president of the sports committee. The buttons will be sold by carnival queen contestants.

Carol Marby Named Tri-Hi-Y Candidate For Carnival Queen

Miss Carol Marby of 12 Baker Ave., a member of Sigma chapter, last night at the YMCA was chosen Tri-Hi-Y representative for the winter carnival queen contest. The contest will be sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Other contestants were the Misses Sally Baver of 72 Commonwealth Ave., Beta chapter; Rhoda Pomerantz of 139 Robbins Ave., Delta chapter; Dietra Dastoli of 79 Spadina Parkway, Theta chapter; and Linda Lamy of 64 Cleveland St., Phi chapter. All five contestants are 17 years old and seniors at Pittsfield High School.

Judging was for poise, appearance, personality and ability to express one's self, the same qualifications used at the winter carnival. Judges were Mrs. Silvio DeLugan, Robert M. Boland and Mrs. Mary-Jane Gross.

Carnival Queen Contestants Will Be Sponsored This Year

Department stores, industries, and other local businesses and service clubs will be asked to sponsor the carnival queen contestants this year during the annual winter carnival competition.

An innovation, the plan seeks larger citywide participation and interest in winter sports.

"By sponsoring a candidate," the winter sports committee points out, "the sponsoring organization lends support to the winter carnival and to winter sports in the city of Pittsfield.

Meeting Tonight

Several groups already have indicated interest in supporting a candidate. The plan will be discussed further at a sports committee meeting from 8 to 9 tonight at Springside House.

Sponsorship does not mean financial backing, the winter sports committee noted. It means that the girl running for carnival queen will have the support of all the members in the sponsoring business or group. The contestant does not have to be employed by the sponsor.

The queen's contest is open to all single girls 17 to 24 years old who live, attend school or work in Pittsfield. A contestant must sell 1,200 buttons before being eligible to be judged for queen.

A sponsoring organization may not only be in industry, such as General Electric Co., it also may be a specific department within the company. Organizations such as service clubs, or local stores, also may sponsor a candidate.

Sales Begin Dec. 27

Button selling will begin Dec. 27 and end Jan. 25. Permission for the sale of buttons has been granted by local authorities. No one under 16 is permitted to sell them.

The queen will be crowned Feb. 2 at the 17th carnival ball at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel. Mrs. George Yannone is chairman of the queen's contest.

Chairmen Named for Events In Annual Winter Carnival

Sanford Bookless and Vincent Ruberto have been named chairmen of the 17th annual winter carnival ball, Carl Peaslee, winter sports committee chairman announced today.

The ball has been scheduled for Feb. 2 at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel. The carnival queen will be crowned at the ball.

Named to head the city ski meet Jan. 27 were Mrs. W. J. Frosty and Mrs. Winthrop Gutman. The meet probably will be held at the Pittsfield State Forest.

At a meeting of the winter sports committee held last night at the Springside House, Ernest C. Manns was named secretary of the committee.

Also announced was the appointment of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eck as chairmen of the winter carnival square dance Jan. 20 at the Jewish Community Center. The dance will be sponsored by the Berkshire County Square Dance Association and the winter sports committee.

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Pittsfield Winter Carnival Ball

PITTSFIELD WINTER CARNIVAL

Jan. 14-Feb. 3

Jan. 14—Sports car Gymkhana
Jan. 20-21—Eastern Seaboard Speed Skating Championship Races.
Jan. 24—City Speed Skate Meet.
Jan. 27—City Ski Meet.
Feb. 2—Winter Carnival Ball.
Feb 2-3—Berkshire Interscholastic Ski Meet.

Courtney Olds, Warner Player, Suffers Fracture

Courtney Olds, star end for the Browns of the Pop Warner Football League, received a broken right arm in a practice scrimmage last night on the Common. The fracture occurred just above the wrist.

Coaches said Olds played a fine defensive game Sunday afternoon in the season opener against the Rams at Wahconah Park.

Queens Contest New Chairman Is Mrs. Wilde

12-21-61

PITTSFIELD — The winter sports committee of the Parks and Recreation Department on Wednesday night voted that Mrs. Leanor Wilde would be new chairman for the winter carnival queens contest, succeeding Mrs. George Yannone, resigned. Mrs. Wilde has run the contest in other years and assisted a number of times.

To date, seven young ladies have entered the contest to be queen of the 17th annual carnival, four of them sponsored by local organizations, with more expected sponsorships by closing date for applications this Friday noon. The queen's contestants dinner will be held in the Wendell - Sherwood Hotel on the evening of Dec. 27.

The committee aso voted to appropriate $25 to help defray the expenses of Colin Garstang, local skier chosen to attend the three-day New England ski instruction course at Killington, N. H.

Next meeting of the committee at Springside House will be Jan. 3 and the public is invited to the 8 p. m. sesnion.

Four Organizations Will Sponsor Queen Contestants

12-23-61

Four of the seven carnival queen contestants will be backed by sponsoring organizations, the winter sports committee announced today.

The sponsors are IUE, Local 255, Telegraph Co. and Berkshire Community College. The names of the Tri-Hi-Y, American Telephone and contestants will be announced next week.

The kickoff dinner for the queen's contest will be Wednesday night at 6:15 at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel. Mrs. Eleanor Wylde is chairman of the queen's committee.

This is the first year contestants for carnival queen have been sponsored. Sponsorship does not mean financial backing. It means that the girl running for queen will have the support of the company she works for, her organization or her school.

Button selling will begin next week following the kickoff dinner and will end Jan. 25. The queen will be crowned Feb. 2 at the 17th annual carnival ball.

7 Contestants For Queen To Be Feted

Seven girls, queen contestants for the winter sports carnival, will be entertained at dinner tomorrow night at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel by the Park Department.

The seven contestants are Miss Carol Barzowskas of 34 Forest Place, 17, sponsored by IUE Local 255; Miss Carol Sue Marby of 12 Baker Ave., 17, sponsored by Tri-Hi-Y; Miss Joanne M. Hoctor of 119 Danforth Ave., 19, sponsored by the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.

Unsponsored candidates are: Miss Mary C. Gloria of 23 Ashley St., 18; Miss Mary A. Haddad of 843 West St., 17; Miss Judith A. Francis of 81 Caroline St., 17; and Miss Gina R. Rucetta of 62 Wellington Ave. 20.

The girls will be accompanied by their mothers. Also at the dinner will be Vincent J. Hebert, John Marchesi and Miss Jean Loveland of the Park Department; Mrs. Eleanor E. Wilde, chairman of the contest; Mrs. William Drummond, button sales chairman; and Miss Barbara VanBramer and Miss Carol Allen, who will solicit gifts and arrange window displays.

Grid Arbiters Make Plans For Season

Aug 28

Supper, Clinic Are Scheduled Aug. 28, Sept. 8

Plans for the first two events of the season were announced today by the Verkshire County Football Officials' Association.

The first supper meeting will be held Monday night, Aug. 28, at 6:30 at the Cooper Pin. The third annual clinic and demonstration of rules have been scheduled for Friday evening, Sept. 8, at 7:30 at Wahconah Park.

Reservations for the supper should be made with President Joe Amerio or Secretary-Treasurer Ed Grady.

The public is invited to attend the clinic and demonstration. All high school players also will be welcome. Drury High of North Adams varsity players will be used in the demonstration. The St. Joseph's High of Pittsfield and Pittsfield High squads handled that assignment in 1959 and 1960, respectively.

Five Girls Seek Entry Blanks in Queen Contest

Five girls have applied so far for carnival - queen - contestant blanks, Mrs. George Yannone, chairman of the queen's contest announced today.

The names of the candidates and of their sponsoring organizations probably will be announced sometime next week by the winter sports committee.

The contest is open to all single girls between the ages of 17 and 25, who live, work or attend school in Pittsfield. Application blanks should be picked up at the Springside House, 874 North St., as soon as possible.

Sanford Bookless, chairman of the annual carnival ball announced two appointments to handle ball activities. They are John R. Pannozzo, music and publicity chairman, and Mrs. Rita C. Douillet, chairman of the invitation committee.

Mrs. George Maynard, chairman of the winter sports equipment sale, urges donors of sale items to pick up their unsold articles or their checks at the Springside House. The office there is open from 9 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The winter sports committee meets Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the Springside House.

Winter Carnival Queen Contestants

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The six queen contestants for this year's Winter Carnival lined up last night at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel where the kickoff dinner was held for the button sale to help finance the carnival. Left to right are the Misses Judith Ann Francis, Mary C. Gloria, Mary A. Haddad, Joanne Hoctor, Carol Barzowskas and Carol Sue Marby.

Six Winter Carnival queen contestants opened their campaigns for selling buttons last night at a kickoff dinner at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel. The button-selling phase of the contest will end Jan. 24, and the Winter Carnival ball when the final judging and crowning will take is Feb. 2, also at the hotel.

The estimated budget for the Winter Carnival, Vincent J. Hebert of the Park Department announced last night, is $5,300, of which it is hoped that $4,500 will be raised by the sale of buttons. With 18,000 buttons to be sold this means that each queen contestant must average 3,000 buttons sold. This year the design is a winged skate.

Queen Contestants

The six queen contestants are: Miss Carol A. Barzowskas, age 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barzowskas of 34 Forest Place, a 1961 graduate of Pittsfield High School and now employed by IUE, Local 255; Miss Judith A. Francis, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Francis of 81 Caroline St., a senior at Pittsfield High; Miss Mary C. Gloria, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gloria of 22 Ashley St., a 1960 graduate of Pittsfield High and a graduate of LeBarron Hairdressing Academies, Inc., now a hairdresser at Wendell Beauty Salon; Miss Mary A. Haddad, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Haddad of 843 West St., a senior at St. Joseph's High School and employed by Professional Drug Store; Miss Joanne M. Hoctor, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bondi J. Comalli of 119 Danforth Ave., a graduate of Pittsfield High and now employed in the traffic department of New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.; and Miss Carol Sue Marby, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marby Jr. of 12 Baker Ave., a senior at Pittsfield High School.

The Winter Carnival is run by the winter sports committee, a group of volunteers interested in promoting winter sports, which has been in operation 17 years. In the past, Carl E. Peaslee, committee chairman, said that the group has contributed funds to send outstanding skaters and skiers to training camps. Two of the skiers sent were Verne Goodwin and Paul Bousquet both of whom have chosen permanent positions in ski-related fields. The committee gave cross-country skis to the Pittsfield High School ski team and contributed for the 1960 PHS team to go to the New England ski meet in Maine.

Halfway through the sales period a report meeting will be held, and a contest within a contest will be conducted when one week will be selected with a prize of a bond for the contestants selling the most buttons in that week.

Events Planned

Events in the Winter Sports Carnival are: the winter sports equipment sale which was held Nov. 30, Dec. 1 and 2 under the chairmanship of Mrs. George F. Maynard; the queen contest from Dec. 27 to Jan. 25 with Mrs. William Drummond as button sale chairman; a sports car gymkhana by the Berkshire Motor Sports Car Club at Onota Lake on Jan. 14; Eastern Seaboard speed skating championship on the common with Sumner M. Gamwell as chairman, Jan 20 and 21; teen-age dance at the Armory Jan. 20; competitors' dinner at Pittsfield High School catered by the American Legion, also on Jan. 20; a square dance, also Jan. 20; the city speed skating meet on the Common with James Farry as chairman, Jan. 24; city ski meet at Pittsfield State Forest Jan. 27; ice fishing derby at Pontoosuc Lake, Jan. 28; Berkshire interscholastic ski meet at Pittsfield State Forest, Mark Selkowitz, chairman, Feb. 2 and 3; and the winter carnival ball Feb. 2.

A winter carnival booklet is being printed, and a snow sculpture contest and a snow sculpture in the park are planned.

Mrs. Eleanore E. Wilde is chairman of the winter carnival; and Mrs. William P. Drummond is chairman of button sales.

Miss Kathleen Nicholas, Winter Carnival queen for last year's carnival, spoke briefly giving the queen contestants pointers on where to sell buttons.

Applications Are Available For Winter Sports Area Jobs

Applications are available for personnel desiring work in the winter sports areas of the Department of Parks and Recreation, according to an announcement today by Supt. Vincent J. Hebert.

Mr. Hebert said that supervisors and laborers for ice-making are needed. Veterans will be given first preference for the jobs. About 25 supervisors will be hired at an hourly rate of $1. Area directors will receive $1.25 per hour. Duties include supervision of the public in the areas.

Laborers will be paid $1.58 per hour, and will flood and care for the rinks on a round-the-clock basis. Working hours can be arranged on a part or full-time basis.

Weather permitting, the skating, sliding and skiing areas will be open weekdays from 3:30 to 5 p.m. and from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Hours on Sunday will be from 1 to 5 p.m. and 6:30 to 9 p.m.

Skating will be at Springside, Common, Clapp, Osceola, Deming and West Memorial. Skiing will be at Springside, Common, Clapp, Osceola and Springside playgrounds.

Application blanks for jobs are available at the Park Department office, 874 North St., and interviews will be arranged at a later date.

OSCEOLA PLAYGROUND. One-quarter mile west of Pittsfield center, off Route 20 on Osceola Street. One downhill run for children and adult beginners. Free rope tow runs weekdays 6:30 to 9 under lights, Saturdays and holidays 10 to 12, 1 to 5 and 6:30 to 9, and Sundays 1 to 5 and 6:30 to 9.

CLAPP PARK. Fifty-yard slope for children only. Free rope tow operates weekdays 3:30 to 5; Saturdays, holidays 10 to 12 and 1 to 5, Sundays 1 to 5.

Ski Classes To Start Dec. 23

The Pittsfield Parks and Recreation ski lessons for children from 8 to 16 years old will start Saturday morning, Dec. 23 at 8:45 at the Bousquet Ski Area it was announced today.

Registration will be taken Friday at the winter sports equipment sale, 78 West St., beginning at 10 a.m. A 50-cent registration fee will be required. The first of the series is for beginners only and is limited to 100 children.

No Skating Now At Springside

12-22-61

There will be no skating at Springside Park during the next few days because of slushy conditions, the Department of Parks and Recreation said today.

Youngsters Line Up For Ski Lessons

12-7-61

Business was booming at the winter sports sale this morning in more than the sales department. A line of youngsters was waiting at the door at 10 to sign up for the Park Department ski lessons at Bousquet's. The 100 youngsters to be accepted in the first classes for beginners had signed up within half an hour.

A total of $250 was taken in this morning, bringing sales to date to $4,300. A number of items were taken in this morning. Others will be accepted through today, Mrs. George Maynard, chairman, said. Ski poles and good skis, snowshoes and toboggans are needed, Mrs. Maynard said.

The sale is at 78 West St.

Belanger Gets Winter Concession At Springside Park

Herman F. Belanger of 55 Stearns Ave. with a bid of $37 was awarded the contract Monday night for winter concession at Springside Park.

Mrs. George Figler and her son, Donald Brodeur of 68 Bradford St., entered a joint bid of $26 and received a similar contract for the Common.

Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation, was authorized by the Park Commission to award both contracts. The commission meeting scheduled for last night was canceled.

Park Department Starts Flooding Of Skating Rinks

12/15/61

The preparation of city skating rinks has been started by the city's Parks and Recreation Department, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent, announced today.

First areas to be given attention, he said, are Springside Park, the Common, and Pittsfield High hockey rink.

"Once again," Mr. Hebert said, "we have been set back in our work at Springside by irresponsible boys who have broken the first ice surface. However, we hope to have the surface ready by Sunday.

The Common and Pittsfield High rinks should be ready by the middle of next week, in time for the school vacation, Mr. Hebert said.

Skating, No, Skiing, Yes

There is no skating at city rinks, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation, said today.

Although Park Department crews worked on the Common and Springside Park rinks all day Saturday, the snow storm early Sunday canceled hopes for skating. As soon as the temperature drops Mr. Hebert said, the ice-making process will begin again.

Ski tows at Osceola Playground are open daily from 1 to 5 p.m. There also will be supervised sliding and skiing at Springside Park during the week.

Ski Lessons For Adults Set Jan. 3, 5

The Department of Parks and Recreation adult ski lessons at Bousquet's are scheduled to begin Jan. 3 and 5, it was announced today. The sessions will be at 7:30 each evening. The instruction period will run for an hour, and the classes will have use of the area facilities until closing time.

Registrations are being accepted at the Park Department office from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The lessons will run for eight consecutive weeks, weather permitting. Cost of the series is $16, which must be paid at the first lesson.

Court McDermott will direct the program. Bousquet's ski school staff will instruct. No more than 10 adults will be assigned to each instructor, McDermott said.

The lesson days are not interchangeable. Those who register for Friday must attend Friday classes and Wednesday registrants, Wednesday.

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Ski Tows Run As City Opens Winter Season

The winter season of the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department opens today with the operation of ski tows at Clapp and Osceola parks.

Tows will run 10 to 12 in the morning, and 1 to 5 in the afternoon. Osceola also will be open from 6:30 to 9 in the evening.

The Department's children's ski instruction program will start today at the Bousquet Ski Area. Only the children who registered will be accepted and they are asked to be at the area at 8:45 for the lessons.

The sliding areas at Clapp and Springside will be supervised by the department staff from 1 to 5 today, tomorrow and Monday.

McDermott Promoted At Bousquet's

School Director Named Assistant Operations Manager

Court McDermott, director of Bousquet's Ski School, has been named assistant manager of operations at the area, Donald L. Sovi-

Court McDermott

ero, president-manager, announced today. McDermott also will continue to direct the school.

McDermott will be in charge particularly of snow reporting, announcements, and general area maintenance.

The 30-year-old former resident of Egremont first made his mark in the ski world in Canada. For six years, he was an instructor in the Mont Tremblant Ski School, the last three years as assistant to director Ernie McCulloch.

For two years before going to Tremblant, McDermott taught skiing at Jug End Barn in South Egremont. He went to Tremblant as a guest in the spring of 1952. He was so impressed with McCulloch, who he says is the greatest skimeister of all time, that he wrote for an appointment to talk to McCulloch and went to work in the Tremblant Ski School that winter.

The only American to hold the senior pin, the highest rating in the Canadian Ski Instructors Alliance, he had the highest marks in the 1954 and 1956 courses given for instructors by the CSIA. In 1956 he was voted outstanding ski instructor of the year at Mont Tremblant.

He is now on the board of examiners of the CSIA, teaching other instructors at the annual course given by the association.

Graduate of Searles

Born in Great Barrington, McDermott lived in South Egremont for 18 years and is a graduate of Searles High School. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. McDermott, live in Stockbridge.

McDermott is married to the former Suzanne Stevens of Montreal, Canada. She also taught skiing at Mont Tremblant. She is now director of the Hollister Junior School. The McDermotts have one son and live at 11 Taylor St.

Osceola Ski Tow Opens Season

12/31/59

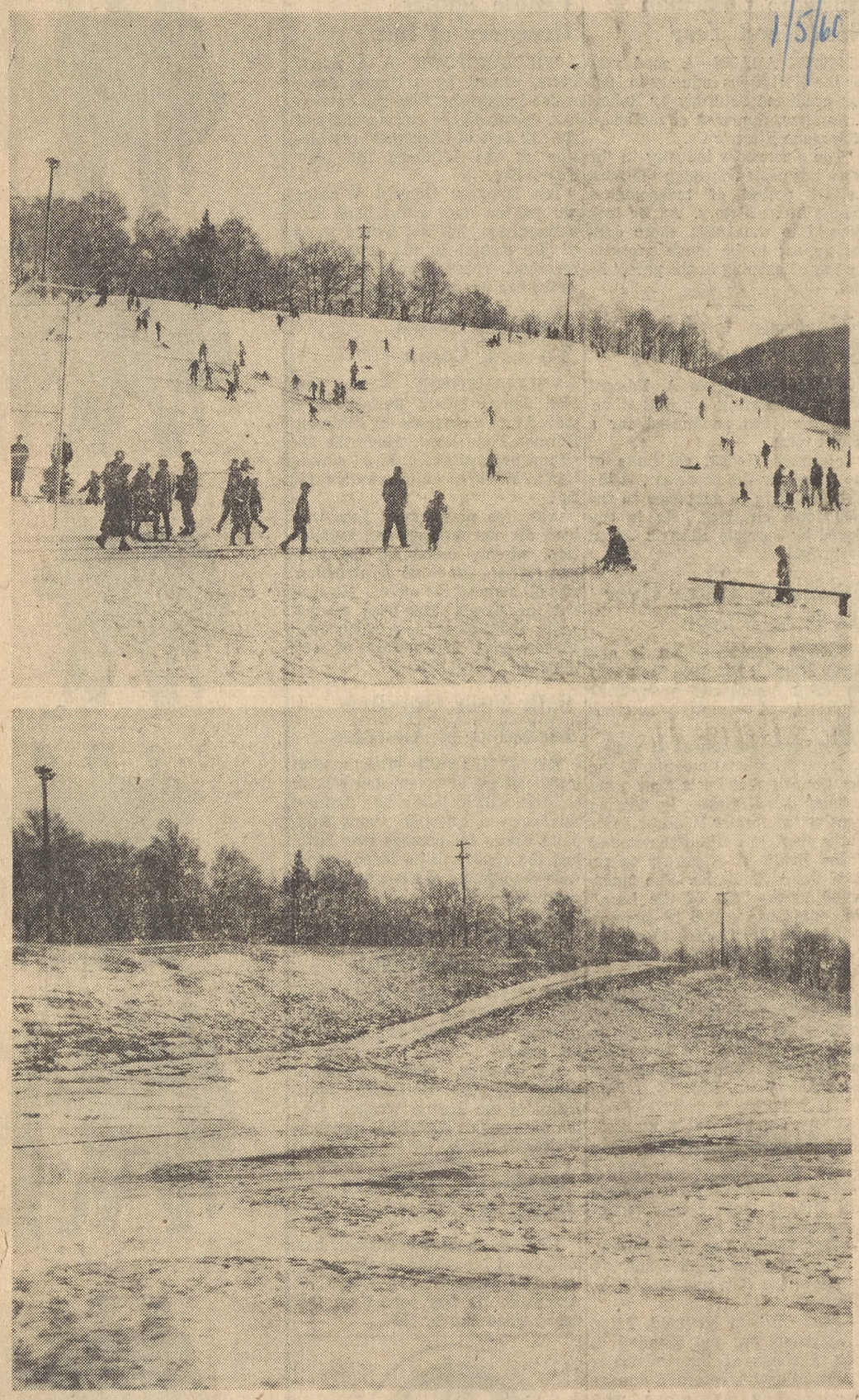
The Osceola playground ski tow opened at 1 p.m. today under supervision of the Department of Parks and Recreation.

John C. Marchesi, recreation supervisor, said the tow would remain open today as long as the snow held up, but he was not sure the cover would last until the customary 9 p.m. closing time.

All city skating rinks remained closed today. Two inches of watery snow at Springside Park is still interfering with work on that rink, and others are not ready.

'If You Don't Like Our Weather . . .'

1/5/60



That old saw, "If you don't like our weather, wait a minute," was illustrated dramatically over the weekend in the Berkshires. These views are of Clapp Park. The top one was taken by Eagle photographer Joel Librizzi at about 1 p.m. Saturday; the other at 1 Sunday.

1/9/60 Children's Ski Instructor

SKI STUDENT bears evidence of having flunked one test at least. Patient teacher is Court McDermott, head of the ski school at Bousquet's.

Five Skiers Helping Coach

12/30/59

Court McDermott Names Assistants On Park Program

Five skiers are assisting Court McDermott in his instruction of children's ski classes organized by the Department of Parks and Recreation at Bousquet's Ski Area.

The assistants are David Dansereau, group one; Thomas Hamilton, group two; Robert Gurek, group three; Jo-Dabut, group four; and Suzanne McDermott, McDermott's wife, group five. Children are grouped according to their ages.

After the first session last Saturday morning, Mr. McDermott said he was impressed with the behavior of the large group of youngsters. About 100 attended.

The classes begin at 9:30 a.m., and participants are asked to be at the area at 9:15. Last week the first group was taught the stem christy, groups two and three worked on the straight snow p[low] and the two younger groups w[ere] instructed in beginners' skills.

Groups two and three are expected to start snow-plow turns this week, with the younger children working on the straight snow plow.

Ski Classes Open Friday for Adults

1/9/60

Registrations for adult ski classes will be accepted this morning and next week at the Department of Parks and Recreation.

The lessons, under the leadership of Court McDermott, are scheduled to start at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Bousquet's Ski Area. A team of Bousquet's instructors will assist Mr. McDermott.

Five lessons for adults will be given on successive Fridays, weather permitting. The Park Department program costs $10 per skier and includes an hour of instruction and two hours of free use of the tows each week.

The registration fee will be collected at the area Friday. Room in the classes is unlimited, and Mr. McDermott has indicated that not more than 10 skiers will be assigned to each instructor.

The Park Department will be open until noon today and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. next week. Registrations will also be accepted at the area Friday night.

New Class Scheduled for Adult Skiers

1/18/60

A new class will be formed on Wednesday nights for adult skiers who missed the first session of Department of Parks and Recreation classes at Bousquet's Ski Area.

Court McDermott, head of Bousquet's Ski School, announced this morning that he would organize a class at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday to avoid interruption of the skiers who started their instruction Friday.

About 60 adults were on hand for the first session last week. The course includes five one-hour lessons and five two-hour sessions on the tows, all for $10.

Adults who registered for Friday classes and were unable to be there are asked to go on Wednesday.

Adult Classes In Skiing Are Canceled

2/10/60

The adult ski classes scheduled at Bousquet's Ski Area tonight have been postponed, it was announced at noon by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

The slopes are suitable for advanced skiers, but it was decided that conditions were not good for learners.

The Park Department also reported there will be no skating on city rinks today.

Ski Classes Today

2/13/60

The Park Department has announced that children's ski classes scheduled for 9:30 this morning at Bosquet's will be held as usual.

Ski Classes Tonight Are Postponed

2/12/60

The Department of Parks and Recreation adult ski class scheduled for this evening at Bousquet's ski area has been postponed.

The classes will be extended another Friday to complete the course of instruction this season.

City's Ski Tows Operating Today

2/22/60

The Department of Parks and Recreation opened the ski tows at Osceola playground and Clapp Park from 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. today.

Near-capacity crowds of youngsters used both tows during operating hours yesterday.

2/20/60

MEMBERSHIP has tripled, and the efficiency grown in even greater proportions in the Park Department-sponsored adult ski classes at Bousquet's.

When the classes were started three years ago, enrollment was 41 and dropped to 14 before the lessons were completed. Last year it was 27.

More than 100 have signed up this year, and classes have to be held on two evenings.

The answer of course is Court McDermott and his very efficient ski school. He is sharing the knowledge he gained under Ernie McCulloch with the members of his staff, and supervises each phase of the teaching program. The whole ski school program has grown by at least 40 per cent, Louise Soviero tells me.

Court addresses the whole group which is then divided into two sections: Those who have skied and those who haven't.

The beginners are assigned to an instructor, and Court watches the others demonstrate their ability, one by one, before assigning them to a class.

Beginners are introduced to skiing in easy stages. First, they learn how to carry their skis and poles. Then they march to the bottom of the beginners' slope. They are taught to walk on level ground before gradually trying a slight incline.

The Park Department children's classes are full, and Court is concerned because parents call Bousquet's requesting that their child be admitted to a class. He is trying to work out a plan to take care of these kids without too much expense to their parents.

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Park Ski Tows To Run on Weekend

2/26/60

Ski tows at Clapp Park and Osceola playground will be operated tomorrow and Sunday under the supervision of the Department of Parks and Recreation, weather permitting.

The tows will run from 1 to 5 p.m. both days. At the same hours, the Park Department will supervise sliding on the slopes at Clapp and Springside parks.

If the weather holds, the Thomas Island Cove area at Onota Lake will be in good condition for skating this weekend, the department reported this morning.

City Ski Tows Running on Weekend

3/11/60

Children's ski tows at Osceola Playground and Clapp Park will be in operation this weekend, the Department of Parks and Recreation announced today.

Supervisors will be at the ski areas from 1 to 5 Saturday and Sunday.

Weekend Skiing Scheduled at Parks

3/18/60

The Park Department announced today that there will be skiing at both Clapp and Osceola parks from 1 to 5 p.m. tomorrow and Sunday.

Park Dept. Closes Winter Season For Second Time

3/21/60

The Department of Parks and Recreation has again closed its winter season, and this time the decision is final.

The tow lines and other equipment have been taken down at Osceola playground and Clapp Park and put into storage.

Winter ended for the Park Department on March 1, but snowstorms after that date resulted in the reopening of the two ski tows. About 100 youngsters used the slopes this past weekend.

500 Ski at Osceola

12/20/60

Some 500 people used the ski facilities at Osceola Park over the weekend, it was reported today by the city Department of Parks and Recreation.

Another 500 used the supervised sliding areas at Clapp and Springside Parks. The department said the children's ski tow at Clapp broke down over the weekend, but it is now being repaired.

The department added that there will be no skating today on city rinks because of snow conditions.

Ski Races Are Slated

3/1/60

Children's Event Set for March 11 At Bousquet's

Races for the children who took the lessons sponsored by the Pittsfield Department of Parks and Recreation at Bousquet's Ski School have been planned for the first time. The competition has been scheduled for Friday, March 11 at 3:30 p.m.

The event is being sponsored by Bousquet's and the Park Department. Twenty-five awards will be given.

Competitors will be divided into five classes. Trophies will be given to the winners in each class, and ribbons will go to those in the next four places in each group.

A downhill race is scheduled for all but the more advanced skiers. A slalom will be set up for the latter group.

Only members of this year's classes will be eligible to compete. No advance registration will be necessary. The master list of those who were in the classes will be used for checking entries on the day of competition.

Competitors are requested to report directly to their own instructor.

Registration Is Scheduled For Ski Classes

12/17/60

Registration for the annual adult ski classes sponsored at Bousquet's by the Department of Parks and Recreation, will open Monday, and continue through Dec. 30, John C. Marchesi, recreation supervisor, has announced.

The hours will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the department's office, 874 North St.

Court McDermott, director of Bousquet's ski school, will be in charge of the classes on Wednesday and Friday evening, at 7, starting Jan. 4. A series of eight lessons will be given. The program includes an hour of instruction and two hours' use of the tows upon completion of the instruction.

The regular qualified instructors of the ski school will teach the classes. Not more than 10 skiers will be assigned to each instructor.

Tree in Park To Be Lighted Sunday Night

12-8-61

Christmas lights on the 35-foot spruce tree erected at Park Square will be turned on Sunday night at 7:30. Carols will be sung after the tree-lighting ceremony.

Mrs. Howard Fohrhaltz will direct a chorus composed of members of the Methodist Junior and Senior High Fellowships and the Methodist Bell Ringers. Children from the Catholic Youth Center will be directed by Mrs. John Reagan.

The Christmas tree was donated by Richard B. Rock of 34 Gordon St.

More Than 350 Attend Lighting Of Park Tree

More than 350 attended the Christmas tree lighting in Park Square last night, according to the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Carols were sung by the Junior and Senior High School Fellowships of the First Methodist Church, under the direction of Mrs. Howard Fohrhaltz. The Bellringers, led by Mrs. Fohrhalz, played several carols.

The Catholic Youth Center choir, wearing scarlet robes with white hoods, closed the program with several carols. They were under the direction of Mrs. John Regan Jr.

The tree, a 35-foot spruce, was donated by Richard B. Rock of 24 Gordon St.

tsfield, Massachusetts, Wednesday, December 20, 1961.

Librizzi

CHRISTMAS SCENE in Park Square provided by the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department was greatly enhanced by last night's five-inch blanket of soft, sticky snow.

10-18-61

Speed Skating Club To Hold Teen-Age Hop

The Speed Skating Club will sponsor a teen-age hop at the YMCA Saturday from 8 to 11 p.m. John LaPlante will spin the records and will play request selections from time to time during the evening. Refreshments will be available. Door prizes will be given.

10-24-61

About 100 Attend Speed Skaters' Dance

Door prizes were won by Carrie Ziemak and Denise Wendell at the Parks and Recreation Speed Skaters teen-age dance attended by almost 100 at the YMCA Saturday night. The group danced to the music spun by John LaPlante from 8 to 11 p.m.

The planning committee for the dance consisted of Mrs. Mary Lambert, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Orman Merrill, Mrs. C. H. Rohlfs, Mrs. James Farry, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peaslee and Miss Patty Madden.

11-9-61

Speed Skaters To Practice In Springfield

The Pittsfield Parks Speed Skaters will hold a workout and practice session at the Springfield Coliseum Monday, it was announced today by James Farry, president of the speed skaters club.

Any club member interested in going to Springfield should contact Mr. Farry of the Department of Parks and Recreatio.

The group will leave Springside House, 874 North St., promptly at 5:30 p.m. Monday.

At a club meeting last night, the dates for the first two indoor skating meets also were discussed.

The meet at Worcester will be Nov. 25 and entries close Nov. 18. Entries for the Westport, Conn., meet on Nov. 26 must be in by Nov. 22. Open skating hours at Worcester on Sunday are from 12:30 to 2:15 p.m.

A club member must be registered with the Northern New York Skating Association to be eligible for these meets, Mr. Farry said.

Plans for a food sale Dec. 9 and the possibility of holding a teen-age dance during the Christmas school vacations also were discussed. Mrs. Orman Merrill is chairman of the food sale.

Speed Skaters To Plan Two-Day Cake Sale

Plans for a cake sale this weekend will be discussed tonight at a meeting of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club.

The meeting will be held at the Springside House, 874 North St., starting at 7. Members may pick up their fruit cakes at the meeting.

The sale will be held at the First National Store on North Street Friday from noon to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The winter sports committee will meet at 8 tonight at the Springside House.

Skating Club Has 2 Meets This Weekend

Pittsfield Group To Be at Worcester, Westport, Conn.

The Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club will compete in two weekend meets as it opens its season. Six members are entered in the New England indoor championships tomorrow night at 6 at the Greens Farm Club in Westport, Conn.

Entrants will be Patti Smith and Mary Ann Placido, intermediates. Sally Farry, midget, and James Lambert, James Marauszwski and Billy Farry, special midgets.

Pat Madden, an intermediate racer, had planned to compete at Worcester, but underwent surgery Saturday night at St. Luke's Hospital for an appendectomy. She had been impressive in pre-season practice.

The skaters will leave each day at 1 p.m., from the Springside House. Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation, will be in charge of the group.

Williams Rink To Be Managed By McCormick

Surface To Be For Public Skating On Weekends

WILLIAMSTOWN — William E. (Bill) McCormick, assistant professor of physical education at Williams College, has been appointed manager of the college's new indoor ice rink. This will be in addition to his duties as hockey coach and direcgor of intramural sports. He has directed the hockey team since 1953.

Ice-making equipment was turned on yesterday. The rink should be ready for public skating by the weekend. A tentative schedule calls for open periods Friday and Saturday afternoons from 2 to 4 and 7 to 11 and on Sunday night from 7 to 9. A season schedule will be released next week. The next public skatink period has been set for the weekend of Dec. 1.

Any private group wishing to use the rink should communicate with McCormick at the college ticket office in the gymnasium, or at the ice hockey rink ticket booth.

The college reserves the right to cancel any and all public skating sessions without prior notice, and to bar anyone for improper conduct. The only notice of a public skating cancellation will be a "no skating" sign posted at the rink. Single-admission tickets will be sold at the rink, as will books of 10 admissions to be offered at a reduced rate.

Patti Smith Is 2nd Casualty Among Local Speed Skaters

Patti Smith became the second casualty in a week of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club, as she fell and twisted her knee while competing in the New England indoor speed skating championship meet Saturday in Worcester. She will be on crutches for about a week. Pat Madden, one of the local group's other big point-winners, underwent surgery for an emergency appendectomy a week ago.

Miss Smith had taken a third-place medal in the intermediate girls' 660-yard race Saturday, and was on her way to a win in the 880 when the accident happened.

Other point winners in the Worcester event were peewee girls Joanne Farry, who was second in the 110 and second in the 220, and Patty Beach, who was third in the 110 and fourth in the 220. Third-place finishers are awarded medals. Special midget boys Ricky Beach and Jimmy Marauszwski made the finals in both the 220 and 330.

In the Southern New England Indoor championship, sponsored by the Green Farms Skating Club of Westport, Conn., yesterday, Joanne Farry was second in the peewee girls' 110 and 220 races. Sally Farry was fourth in the midget girls' 220 and fifth in the 330 yard races. Points were given for the first four places.

Speed Skaters Net $75 From Food Sale

The Parks Speed Skating Club's food sale netted $75.78, it was announced last night at a meeting of the skaters held at the Springside House.

The club members are selling corsages and icicle-decorations for Christmas. The club will hold its next meeting Dec. 27 .

Also discussed last night were the Middle Atlantic Outdoor Speed Skating Championship and the Joseph F. Donoghue Memorial Race to be held at Newburgh, N.Y., Jan. 6 and 7. Entry blanks are available at the Department of Parks and Recreation, 874 North St.

Speed Skaters To Meet Tomorrow

The Speed Skaters Club of the Park Department will meet tomorrow at 7 at Springside House to discuss plans for a meet this weekend.

Soccer Assn. Slates Meeting For Tonight

The Berkshire County Soccer Officials' Association meets tonight at 7:30 at Springside House. The association was organized this year. Its members were formerly in the association in the Connecticut Valley.

A subject to be discussed tonight will be ways of obtaining more members as there is a shortage of soccer officials in this area. Persons interested in becoming an official may contact Ralph Gionet of Appleton Avenue or Charles Kochenour of Kalarama Orchards, Williamstown.

Committee membership is as follows: assignments, Henry Makuc, Jesse Wade and John Marchesi; grievances, Rudy Benedetti, Ray Gunn and Tom Bosworth; rules, interpretation and testing; Gionet and Kochenour.

Officers are, president, Wade; vice president, Gionet; secretary and treasurer, Stephen Cozzaglio.

Joanne Farry Wins Peewee Girls' Trophy

Pittsfield Skater Takes First Place Medals in 110, 220

Joanne Farry of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club won the trophy for the peewee girls' division in the Tri-State speed skating championships yesterday at Liberty, N.Y. She finished first in the 110 and 220 yard events and received a medal for each victory.

Patty Beach came in third in the Peewee Girls' 110 and second in the 220. She also received medals.

Ten Pittsfield skaters took part and all qualified in their heats and made the finals. Others were intermediate boy, Paul Burchard; intermediate girl, Mary Ann Placido; midget girls, Sally Farry and Donna Beach; special midget boys, Jamy Lambert, Jimmy Marauzowski and Ricky Beach.

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Gallipeaus Married 50 Years

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Gallipeau of 46 Glenwood Ave. at a party in their honor Saturday at Green Acres, Cheshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Gallipeau of 46 Glenwood Ave. were given a party Saturday evening at Green Acres Restaurant in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. About 50 attended and presented the couple with a purse.

The Gallipeaus were married Sept. 25, 1911, at St. Joseph's Church by the late Rev. Patrick W. Morrissey. Mrs. Gallipeau is the former Cecelia L. Silk.

Mr. Gallipeau, who was employed by the Parks and Recreation Department until last April, is a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Church and of the Eagles.

Mrs. Gallipeau belongs to the Rosary Sodality of St. Mary's Church.

Golden Age News

174 Attend Special Program For Members' Day

One hundred seventy-four attended members' day of the Golden Age Club Tuesday at the YMCA.

Humorous stories were told by Mrs. Catherine Gerard, William Murphy, Earl Horton, and John Ross. Verses were given by Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Elissa Francouer and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle. Robert H. Ayers read a poem from Frank Halligan, written by Henry J. Champagne. A novelty song was sung by Mrs. Mary Myers, Mrs. Jane Rennie and Mr. Wuinee, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre. Community singing was led by a group of members, accompanied by Mrs. Bohre and Clarence D. Shepherd.

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin. Mrs. Emmie Snow read the secretary's report, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Florence Sharon gave the vice president's report and welcomed back Mrs. Carmella Genzabella, Mrs. Julia Yovis, George Gottsche and Mrs. Helen McBurney. A thank-you for sympathy was received from the family of Mrs. George Gottsche. Guests were Mrs. Olive Ferry and Cornelius Donlon.

A new member was John Zahalskis. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Caroline Devinez. Mrs. Isabelle Cummings and Mrs. Ida Bould are on the sick list. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Durwin, Mrs. Flynn and Mrs. Viola M. Houser. Mrs. Sarah Eddy spoke.

A note of appreciation was received from Mrs. Gertrude Whalen for the Golden Age News. Mrs. Durwin reported on a visit to the Springside Nursing Home to see members. Mr. Ayers received the birthday cake from Joanne Bakers. Mrs. Elizabeth Riepert, 29 Dodge Ave., was 93 years old yesterday. Mrs. Mabel Rose was named sewing group chairman. Alfred Paradisi gave flowers.

Those going on the Florida trip are asked to call Mrs. Albert H. Parker. Members wishing to bowl may sign up at next Tuesday's meeting. A post card was received from George Oschman.

All members are invited to the special interest meeting to see travel slides Oct. 4 at 1:30 p.m. at the YMCA. A public card party will be held Monday, Oct. 2, at 2 p.m. at the Y, with door and table prizes. Tickets will be available at the door.

Francis Plaza Supper Is Thursday

A covered-dish supper will be held at the Francis Plaza recreation building Thursday at 6 p.m. All residents are invited, and those with inquiries about food may call Mrs. Frieda Prater. Plans for the Halloween party and for the next card party will be discussed.

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RECREATION CLUB for residents of Wahconah Heights housing project was discussed at a meeting yesterday afternoon. Among those participating were, from right, Arthur C. McGill, executive secretary of the Pittsfield Housing Authority; Earl A. Horton, elected temporary president of the club; Mrs. Francis G. Nichols and Mrs. George E. Dion, representing the Emblem Club, which will assist with programs for the new club.

Golden Age News

Elizabeth Mihovan Sings Program For 201 Members

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Mrs. Elizabeth Mihovan sang a selection of semi-classics at yesterday's meeting of the Golden Age Club at 2 p.m. at the YMCA.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin and a group of members led the club in the community singing. A total of 201 attended. Mrs. Florence Cote played the piano preceding the business meeting, and Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre and Clarence Shepherd accompanied the singing.

The sewing group will meet Friday afternoon at the Berkshire Museum at 1:30. Everyone is invited to take part in this service to the community where sewing and knitting is done for the needy. Mrs. Mabel Rose is chairman. Those wishing information on the Nassau cruise in November may call Mrs. Albert H. Parker.

Mrs. Durwin paid tribute to John Cone and dedicated the state flag given by George Beckham in honor of Mr. Cone. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Groch were thanked for their help in donating an American flag.

Larry Curtis announced that the foliage ride will be Monday starting at 10 a.m. from the YMCA. Members may board the buses at the Y. A dinner will be held after the ride.

Reports Read

Mrs. Emmie Snow gave the minutes of the last meeting, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle read the treasurer's report, and building and furnishings fund report. Mrs. Elizabeth Clark acted as secretary for the day. Mrs. Florence Sharon gave the vice president's report. Mrs. Eva Boyd was welcomed as a new member. Guests were Mrs. Madeline Stetson, Concetta DePhillipo, and Mrs. Stella Steteles. Welcomed back were Mrs. Anna Bagdonas, Mrs. Mae Mattoon, Mrs. Rose Cote, Mrs. Lillian Austin, Mrs. Ida Bould. On the sick list are Mrs. Mary Reseaux, Mrs. Philomena Chiodo, Mrs. Mary Brazill. Mrs. Elizabeth Robbins received the birthday cake. It was announced that tomorrow is Michael Dowd's birthday. Bowlers will meet at 1 tomorrow at the Y to go by bus to the bowling alleys.

Golden Age Club Plans Card Party

The Golden Age Club will hold a public card party Monday at 2 p.m. at the YMCA. Players are to bring cards. Door and table prizes will be awarded. Tickets will be available at the door.

Golden Age Group Announces Speaker

Mrs. John W. Albright, chairman of the College Club aides to the Golden Age Club, will give an illustrated talk on New York State Letchworth Park at a meeting of the Golden Age special interest group Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. at the YMCA. Arthur Pierce is chairman of the group, and Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom secretary.

Golden Agers Take Foliage Trip

Members of the Golden Age Club had their annual fall foliage ride yesterday. Buses transported members on a tour of the county, through Lee, Worthington, Cummington and Cheshire. The group dined at the Breezy Knoll Inn and spent the afternoon singing, dancing and playing cards and chess.

Accompanying the group were Mrs. A. Verne Flint and Mrs. David W. Morrison, College Club; Mrs. Margaret Claffie, nurse, and Mrs. Albert H. Parker, Park Department. Larry Curtis was bus trip chairman, and pilots were Mr Curtis, Robert H. Ayers, Jesse Beebe and John Maloney.

Prizes Given at Francis Plaza Party

Three costume prizes were given at the Francis Plaza Halloween party Thursday night at the recreation building. Mrs. Evelyn Frenier was judged the prettiest, E. J. Apple, funniest; and Mrs. Sam Pariselli, most original. Games were played, and prizes awarded to Mrs. Doris Clarke, Mrs. Florence Yost, Mr. Apple and Mrs. Maud Hover. Assisting with the party arrangements were Mr. Apple, Mrs. Frenier, Mrs. Hover, Mrs. Frieda Prater, Mrs. Anna Flynn, Mrs. Clarke and Mrs. Albert H. Parker of the Park Department.

15 Golden Agers Tour Amish Country

Fifteen Pittsfield Golden Agers made a tour to the Amish country in the Pennsylvania Dutch region recently. The group joined other Golden Agers from the state and saw the homes and farms of the Amish people, the pretzel factory, where the first pretzel was made; President Buchanan's home, and the famous Amish-Mennonite markets.

Coming trips will be to Florida Oct. 19 and a Nassau cruise Nov. 18. Those interested in joining the tours may call Mrs. Albert H. Parker, 333 Onota St.

On the trip to Pennsylvania were Mr. and Mrs. John Arigoni, Mrs. Eva Boyd, Miss Susan DeMask, Miss Katherine Fassel, Mr. and Mrs. C. LePrevost, Mrs. Helen Meinhart, John Maloney, Mrs. Amelia Reilly, Mrs. Mary Stoddard, Mr. and Mrs. Aimee Soucy and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thouborron.

Francis Plaza Party Is Thursday

The Francis Plaza recreation club will hold a Halloween party Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the recreation building on the project. Residents will wear costumes and masks, and prizes will be given. Games will be played and refreshments served.

Golden Age Group To Hear Mr. Campbell

Walter Campbell, manager o employe relations in the GE powe transformer department, wil speak at the Golden Age specia interest group meeting at 1:30 to morrow afternoon at the YMCA His topic will be "What Price Politics."

Arthur Pierce is group chairman and Mrs. Jessie Soderstrom, secretary. College Club aides are Mrs. John W. Albright and Mrs. Alden P. Landall.

Golden Age News

Musical Program Is Presented By John Culpo

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

At Tuesday's meeting of the Golden Age Club, at the YMCA, John Culpo played accordion selections for the entertainment of the group. The business meeting was led by Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president.

A report was made on the Monday bus trip. The banquet will be Nov. 15 at the Masonic Temple. Steering committee suggestions were discussed and voted on.

Carl Cozzio announced that a play by Golden Agers will be given at next week's meeting. Mr. Cozzio will direct the play.

The bowling members will meet Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Y to board the bus. Golden Agers interested in helping with the sewing group are to meet Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the Berkshire Museum to make articles for the needy.

Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Emil Wuinee and Mrs. Viola Houser gave thoughts for the day, and John Ross and Larry Curtis told humorous stories. Mrs. Florence Wagner is on the sick list. Mrs. Anna LaPointe received the birthday cake, given weekly by Joanne Bakers. The silent prayer was for Mrs. Ethel Decker. Welcomed back were Mrs. Janet Dakin and Mrs. Violet Pickard. Reports were read by Mrs. Emmie Snow and Mrs. Carlisle. Mrs. Robert J. Nesbit and Mrs. George B. Tompkins were College Club aides.

Wahconah Party Set for Dec. 18

At a recent meeting of the Wahconah Heights recreation club, members planned a Christmas party for Monday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the project recreation room. Mrs. Walter Hill is in charge of refreshments, and Mrs. Earl Horton, of entertainment and decorations. Those who wish to help may call Mrs. Horton. Mrs. Edith Bishop and Mrs. Etta Nilson are in charge of the kitchen and will recruit help for this department.

A grab bag, tree decorating, a visit from Santa Claus and carol singing with the recently acquired piano, are planned. Further arrangements will be made at a business meeting Monday at 2 p.m. for all residents of the project.

Officers will be elected in January, according to an announcement at the last meeting.

Golden Age News

Members Take Part In One-Act Play Attended by 215

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Golden Agers staged a play for Tuesday's meeting of the club at the YMCA. Carl Cozzio directed the one-act comedy in which Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Mary Myers, Mrs. Anna Flynn and Mr. Cozzio took part. Mrs. George B. Tompkins assisted with staging. Two hundred fifteen attended.

The business meeting was opened by Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president, with group singing. Mrs. Emmie Snow, secretary, gave her report and a report on the foliage ride. Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the financial report. Mrs. Robert H. Ayers substituted for Mrs. Marie Wilkinson as hostess. Mrs. Florence Sharon welcomed six guests in her vice president's report: Alexander Belisle, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Oudin, Mrs. Louis Francouer, the Rev. A. L. Simmons of Southfield and Mrs. Bernice Yovis.

On the sick list are four members, Howard Karner and Mrs. Lillian MacMichael, at home, and Mrs. Lillian Williams and Mrs. Edith Lyons, Pittsfield General Hospital.

Joseph Paoli gave flowers for the stage yesterday. Mrs. Etta Nilson received the birthday cake given by Joanne Bakers. Vincent DeFazio sent a card from Italy. Mrs. Sharon read verses, Mr. Wuinee gave a thought for the day, and Larry Curtis told a humorous story. Anyone interested in the Nassau, Bahamas, trip may call Mrs. A. H. Parker.

Members Bowl Thursdays

Those wishing to bowl will meet today at 1 p.m. at the Y and the bus will take them to the alleys. Anyone who can help with sewing may join the group on Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the Berkshire Museum.

Mrs. Lauretta St. Peter, refreshment chairman, spoke on the banquet planned for Nov. 15. Mr. Ayers and others distributed tickets. Those wishing tickets may also receive them at next Tuesday's meeting, when the Halloween party is held. Gifts and refreshments will be part of the program. Members are asked to wear costumes. Prizes will be awarded for the prettiest, funniest and most original.

Mrs. Alexander Politis and Mrs. George D. Robertson were College Club aides.

Wahconah Heights Residents Form Recreation Club

Mayor Raymond L. Haughey addressed a meeting of the residents of the Wahconah Heights housing project for the elderly, held yesterday at the project recreation building. The mayor congratulated the group on its initiation of a recreation program and expressed the wish that the members maintain an active participation.

Arthur C. McGill, executive secretary of the Pittsfield Housing Authority, explained that the recreation building is for the use and enjoyment of the residents, and introduced Mrs. Albert H. Parker, Parks and Recreation Department representative, who outlined recreation plans and held a discussion of activity suggestions made by the group.

Earl A. Horton was elected temporary president of the recreation club, until elections are held at a later date. Other officers are Mrs. Edith Allen, vice president; Mrs. Arden Miller, secretary, and Mrs. Emma Williams, treasurer. Mrs. Francis G. Nichols and Mrs. George E. Dion represented the Emblem Club, which will give assistance with the activities. Fifty-five persons were in attendance.

Plans include regular meetings, socials, card parties, rides, sales, entertainment, sewing. The meeting concluded with the serving of refreshments.

The next meeting will be at the recreation building Oct. 9 at 2 p.m. Residents are invited to use the games, cards, and facilities at the recreation building at any time.

Golden Age News

11-1-61

Halloween Party Attended by 276 Members

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

A grand march of costumed Golden Agers was held at yesterday's meeting at the YMCA. The GE Pensioners orchestra played for entertainment and dancing. Prizes for ladies' costumes went to Mrs. Yvonne Mickle, Mrs. Martha Waterman and Mrs. Helen Meinhart. Prizes for men's costumes were awarded to James Sheehan, John S. Ross and Roland Bentley. Mrs. Mary Myers was in charge of entertainment. Refreshments were served by a committee headed by Mrs. Lauretta St. Peter and Mrs. Marie Tompkins. Birthday gifts for October were distributed. Two hundred seventy-six attended the Halloween party.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, led the business meeting. Mrs. Emmie Snow read the secretary's notes and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Florence Sharon gave the vice president's report. Welcomed back were Mrs. Edna Pressello, Mrs. Fred Boyer, Mrs. Elizabeth Connors, and Adrien Blain. Alexander H. Belisle was introduced as a new member. Guests were Frank Ranti, Samuel Scevola, Fillipinna Valle, and Mrs. Fanny Witt. The birthday cake was given to Mrs. Florence Collins and Mrs. Edith Spurr.

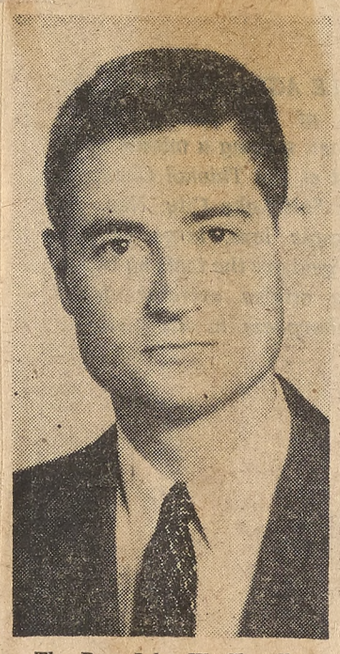
Members who can help with making pads for the Visiting Nurse Association are to meet at 1:30 p.m. at the Berkshire Museum Friday. Bowlers will meet on Thursdays at 1 p.m. at the Y to take the bus to the Imperial Lanes. Banquet tickets will be given out at next Tuesday's meeting. The special interest meeting will be tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. at the Y. Members are invited to a lecture by Prof. John Wesley Chandler tomorrow night at 8 at the Girls Club auditorium.

The public is invited to a card party Monday at 2 p.m. at the Y. Door and table prizes will be given. Tickets will be available at the door.

Anyone wishing information on the November cruise to Nassau may call Mrs. Albert H. Parker.

College Club aides at yesterday's meeting were Mrs. Robert J. Nesbit and Mrs. William Simpson.

Public Invited By College Club to Lecture Wednesday



The Rev. John W. Chandler

"Some Problems and Prospects of an Affluent Society" will be the Rev. John Wesley Chandler's subject at a community program presented under the auspices of the Pittsfield College Club Wednesday evening at 8 in the Girls Club auditorium.

Prof. Chandler is chairman of the department of religion and associate professor of religion at Williams College.

Special invitations have been issued by the club to the Berkshire Community College, Golden Age Club and the League of Women Voters. All those interested are invited.

Refreshments will be served after the program with Mrs. Frank W. Thoubboron and Mrs. Frederic S. Larson as hostesses.

Golden Age News

175 at Meeting; Trombonist, Pianist Play

By MRS. MAX W. SCHULZ

One hundred seventy attended a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday at the YMCA.

John Callaghan, trombonist, and Miss Florence Coty, pianist, played before the meeting. Mrs. Betty Bohre played the piano for group singing led by Mrs. Bertha Carlisle. Mrs. Anna Tompkins, Mrs. Helen Meinhart, Mrs. Florence Snow, Mrs. Anna Flynn, Gunnar Lovgren, Adam Grohe, William Schaeffer, Mrs. Catherine Stoessel, Mrs. Florence Sharon and Mrs. Dorothy Gerard. The meeting was led by Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president.

Messages were read from Michael E. Dowd and John Ross.

It was announced that the sewing group which meets Friday afternoons at the Berkshire Museum is in need of helpers.

Choir Meeting Tuesday

Mrs. Mary Myers announced a meeting of the choir for Tuesday at 1.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Emmy Snow. The treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Carlisle.

On the sick list are Miss Alice W. Merchant at Pittsfield General Hospital and Mrs. Albert H. Parker at Hillcrest Hospital.

Fred Cote was a guest. New members presented were Arnold Hayes and Mrs. Congolina Centofani. The birthday cake was awarded to Mrs. Gilda deFazio.

Vincent J. Hebert spoke briefly. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Shirley Frenkel, John Curtis, Arthur Pierce, Mr. Schaeffer, Mrs. Flynn, Mrs. Grohe, Mr. Hebert, Robert Ayers, Mrs. Bertha Wuinee, Mr. Lovgren, Mrs. Carlisle, Dennis Murphy, Alfred Clark and Mrs. Gerard.

Presents were given to members who had birthdays in November.

Mrs. Max W. Schulz and Mrs. Alexander D. Politis represented the College Club.

Golden Age News

11-8-61

Asa Ali Invites Members to Banquet Nov. 19 at NJH

Asa Ali issued an invitation to all the Golden Agers for a banquet Sunday, Nov. 19, at 1 p.m. at North Junior High School. The invitation to the dinner in honor of the host's father's 106th birthday was extended at a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday at the YMCA.

Laurence Curtis announced that buses will leave the bus terminal at noon to pick up members. Those attending are to wear their club badges. Anyone needing a ticket is to call Robert Ayres.

Mrs. Edward H. Wichman of Lenox spoke on dolls from 1760 to 1920 and showed examples of them from her own collection. She was assisted in her presentation by Mrs. Harry Stanley of the College Club.

Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president, led the meeting and introduced the speaker. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre played the piano, and Clarence Shepherd, the harmonica for singing. The club's chorus led the singing.

Party Planned Dec. 13

The banquet which was planned for Nov. 15 will be postponed and combined with the Christmas party Dec. 13 at 1 p.m. Members are to keep the tickets that they have been given for this.

Alfred Paradisi donated a basket of chrysanthemums for the stage. This was taken to a hospital after the meeting.

Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Katherine Gerard, William Murphy and John Ross. The secretary's report was read by Mrs. Arthur Snow, the treasurer's report, by Mrs. Bertha Carlisle; and the vice president's, by Mrs. Florence Sharon.

New Members Named

Two new members were introduced: Mrs. Concetta Di Fillippo and John J. Callaghan. Howard Karner was welcomed back. Herman Stolzenburg was a guest.

On the sick list are Mrs. Albert H. Parker, at home; Earl Horton, Albany (N.Y.) Veterans Hospital; and Mrs. Sophie Beals, St. Luke's Hospital. Ralph Peaslee received the birthday cake.

One hundred fifty-one attended the meeting.

Golden Age News

11-5-61

More Than 200 Entertained by Mrs. Robert Violet

Mrs. Robert Violet sang several selections at the Golden Age Club meeting, attended by 206, yesterday at the YMCA. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. E. Whitney Manning.

Members planning to attend the dinner given by Asa Ali on Sunday at North Junior High School are to wear their badges and carry their membership cards. Buses will take members to the school and will leave nine points at approximately noon: Dalton Avenue police barracks; Country Club of Pittsfield, Lichtman Tanning Corp., Pittsfield Fire Department on Peck's Road, Dodge Avenue and Elm Street corner, bus barn on East Street, Springside Nursing Home, Francis Plaza and Wahconah Street housing projects. The buses will pick up passengers along the routes at corners. Larry Curtis is in charge of transportation.

Members who would like to help fill Thanksgiving baskets for the needy may bring canned goods and groceries to next Tuesday's meeting. A Thanksgiving program will be given.

Party Is Planned

The club dinner and Christmas party will be Dec. 13 at the Masonic Temple. Members are to hold their tickets for this date.

Sewers will meet Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the Berkshire Museum.

The date for the next Golden Age card party is Dec. 4 at 2 p.m. at the Y. The public is invited. Tickets are available from members or at the door. John Ross received the birthday cake and donated it to Springside Nursing Home. Greetings were received from Mrs. Ina Burt and Mrs. Margaret Hutchinson.

Guests were Mrs. Clark Knight, Mrs. Chester Mosher, Joseph Natola, Mrs. Canzalina Cantofanti, Mr. and Mrs. William Scace. On the sick list is Mrs. George Cummings at Pittsfield General Hospital.

New members are Herman Stolenburg and Phillipena Valle. Welcomed back were Mrs. Lillian MacMichael, George Oschman and Mrs. Albert H. Parker. Mrs. Parker thanked the club for cards received while ill. Thoughts for the day were given by Emil Wuinee, Mrs. Florence Cote, and Mrs. Jane Rennie. Acknowledgements were received from the family of Henry Robarge and Mr. and Mrs. George Dlugos.

Golden Age News

Mrs. Hamilton's Pupils Entertain 163 Members

My MRS. NORMAN HOCH

John Callaghan on the trombone, ...isted by Mrs. Anna Flynn on the ...no, played Christmas carols be... a meeting of the Golden Age ... yesterday at the YMCA. One ...dred sixty-one attended.

Mrs. Lawrence G. Hamilton's preschool music class, assisted by some of her piano pupils, entertained with songs and dances. The class consisted of Kathy Dyer, Lori O'Neil, Darlene Telladira and Susan Hoffman. Susan Hohl was soloist. Assisting piano students were Janet Hoffman, Carol and Christine Vandergrift and Abbie Ann Meledeo. Piano soloist was Irene Baver. Mrs. Hamilton was assisted by Mrs. Charles Baver.

Mrs. Jennie Durwin called the meeting to order with one minute of silent prayer for Mrs. Isabelle Cummings. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, and the national anthem sung. The club's chorus, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre on the piano, led community singing.

Whist Is Held

Mrs. Durwin announed that 14 tables were in play at a whist party yesterday. She conveyed Mrs. Albert H. Parker's thanks to the club for cards and gifts she received while she was in the hospital. She also read a card from Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beebe from Florida.

The club's banquet and Christmas party will be next Wednesday, at 1 p.m. Those attending are to bring small gifts for a grab bag. Robert Ayers will have banquet tickets at next Tuesday's meeting.

Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Durwin, Lawrence Curtis, John Ross and John Callaghan.

Arthur W. Pierce announced that Mrs. Blanche Mullen of England Brothers would speak at a special interest group meeting today at 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. Mary Myers announced that the chorus will not rehearse on Monday. Chorus members are to bring their bells for next week's meeting.

Arthur Snow issued an invitation to bowl at the Imperial Lanes tomorrow at 1 p.m.

The secretary's report was read by Mrs. Emmie Snow, the treasurer's report by Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, and the vice president's by Mrs. Florence Sharon.

Mrs. Sharon announced that there will be no Christmas party Friday at Mrs. Martha Waterman's home.

Guests Present

Two guests, Mrs. Rose Skeivis and Mrs. Ann Sheridan, attended. On the sick list are Herman Stolenburg at Hillcrest Hospital and Mrs. Parker at her home. One member, Mrs. Isabelle Cummings, has died.

The birthday cake was given to John Kirk.

Miss Jean Loveland of the Park Department announced that the sewing group will meet Friday at 1:15 p.m. at the Berkshire Mu...um to make bandages for the ...iting Nurse Association and that ...square dance class started this ...ng at 10:30 a.m. at the Y.

Golden Age News

184 Attend Special Program For Thanksgiving

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

A Thanksgiving program was held at yesterday's Golden Age Club meeting, attended by 184, at the YMCA. Members filled baskets for the Christian Center needy. Mrs. Mary Myers led the choir in a holiday program of music. Robert H. Ayers, Mrs. Elizabeth Bohre, and Mrs. Mary Myers sang a trio, and Mrs. Bohre and Mrs. Myers sang a duet. John Callaghan played trombone solos. Mrs. Anne Flynn read an original Thanksgiving poem. Accompanists for the choir were Mrs. Bohre, Mrs. Florence Cote and Mrs. Flynn.

Turkey winners were Mrs. Catherine Gerard and Mrs. Viola Houser.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president, led the business meeting, opening with the silent prayer for Warren Mears. Mrs. Emmie Snow read the minutes of last week's meeting, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the financial report. Vice president Florence M. Sharon and hostess Mrs. Marie Wilkinson introduced new members, Mrs. Clark Knight, Mrs. Chester Mosher and Samuel Scevola. Arnold Hayes was a guest. Mrs. Hannah Lissok and Mrs. Edith Lyons are on the sick list. Mrs. Lyons is at Springside Nursing Home, West Branch. Mrs. Emma Menard received the birthday cake.

Larry Curtis told a humorous story. Emil Wuinee read a modern day version of "To Grandmother's House We Go." Welcomed back were Miss Mabel Corcoran and Mrs. Sophie Beals. Mrs. Mary Reseaux sent a thank-you for cards. The club voted to send a special birthday card to Isa Ali's father on his 106th birthday. Alfred Paradisi provided flowers for the stage.

Card Party, Benefit Set

Tickets are available from members for the Dec. 4 card party at the YMCA. Mrs. Myers announced that the choir will meet Tuesdays at 1 p.m. at the YMCA. There will be no bowling this week because of Thanksgiving. Mrs. Walter Ciaschini and Mrs. George B. Tompkins were College Club aides. Mr. Ayers spoke about tickets for the Dec. 13 banquet. Members' day will be held at next week's meeting.

Golden Age News

Five Hundred Attend Dinner Given by Isa Ali at NJH

By MRS. ALBERT H. PARKER

Isa Ali entertained a gathering of Golden Agers for the second consecutive year with a Thanksgiving dinner at North Junior High School yesterday. The dinner was in honor of the 106th birthday of Mr. Ali's father, who lives in Palestine. About 500 attended.

Assisting Mr. and Mrs. Ali in the preparation and serving of the dinner were the host's brother, Musa, of Fitchburg, members of the Pittsfield Rotary Club, members of the Greek Orthodox Church, the Louis Thomas family, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. David Sookey, Miss Lillian Sookey, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lantz, Mrs. Celia Zieminski, Mrs. Monica O'Boyski, Mrs. Margaret and Mrs. Jack McBurney, the Mississes Lillian and Tillie Haddad, Miss Tillie Ferris, and Mrs. Alice Massery.

Guests Attend

Mayor Raymond L. Haughey headed a list of guests who joined in expressing appreciation to the Ali family for an Old-World gesture of goodwill and kindness in a modern-day world of oftentimes overmuch self-thought. Speakers included the Rev. Camillo L. Santini, Mount Carmel Church; the Rev. Stanley B. Thomson, Morningside Baptist Church; Vincent J. Hebert, Park Department superintendent; and Mrs. Albert H. Parker, Park Department.

Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin, president of the Golden Age Club, introduced Councilmen Donald G. Butler and Raymond E. Crow, and visiting dignitaries from nearby towns. Other guests included Mrs. Ali's parents, several nurses and members of the College Club, who cosponsor and work with the Golden Agers. Past vice presidents and presidents of the organization were introduced.

Varied Entertainment

Entertainment included barbershop singers, a trumpet solo by Mr. and Mrs. Ali's son, Faisal; instrumental selections by John Armstrong, Jonas Zieminski and Peter Jasantis and the Dennis Najoom trio. Rotarian Edward J. Dery introduced Dr. Richard M. Ziter, concert pianist, who played for the group. Norman Najimy read a poem in honor of Mr. Ali's father and the Golden Agers. Oriental dances were performed by Jo[illegible] Thomas and Margaret, the Isa Ali daughter. Miss Thomas led the gathering in singing happy birthday to the senior Mr. Ali.

The Golden Age chorus was directed by Mrs. Mary Myers and accompanied by Mrs. Florence Cote, Mrs. Anna Flynn and Mrs. Emmie Snow. Soloists were Henry Poppe, John J. Callaghan, Mrs. Myers and Thomas Meade. The GE pensioners band played.

Past President Robert H. Ayers of the Golden Age Club presented Mr. and Mrs. Isa Ali with honorary membership cards for the club.

Golden Age News

Hartigan Pupils Present Program Of Entertainment

By MRS. HARRY C. STANLEY

Fifteen pupils of Mrs. James E. Hartigan's dance classes presented a program, "Theme of Christmas," at a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday at the YMCA. One hundred fifty-three attended.

Participants in the program of songs, dances, baton twirling, pantomime and instrumental numbers were Carolyn and Joanne Kincaid, Bonnie Mikna, Royal Hartigan, Connie and Rosemary Pelletier, Donna Skowronski, Susan Lambert, Keith Palmer, Pamela Symanski and Mary Ann Neprava of Pittsfield. Also, Marlene Simmons, Mary Carvalho and Joseph and Kathleen Olds of Lee.

Group singing was led by the choir, and Mrs. Jennie M. Durwin presided. Mrs. Emmie Snow read the minutes of last week's meeting, and Mrs. Bertha Carlisle gave the treasurer's report.

New Members Named

Mrs. Florence Sharon introduced three new members, Joseph Natola, Mrs. Rose Skeivis and Mrs. Ann M. Sheridan. Louis Anson was a guest. On the sick list are Mrs. Barbara Leno, Pittsfield General Hospital; Mrs. Edith B. Lyons, St. Luke's; Mrs. Helen B. Bradley, Renzi Nursing Home; and John Ross and Mrs. Albert H. Parker at their homes.

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce have offered to take Golden Agers to see the Christmas decorations Dec. 20 at 7 p.m. Lawrence Curtis took the names of those wishing to go. Details will be given next week.

The Senior Citizens have invited the Golden Agers to their open house tomorrow from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. observing the first anniversary of the center's opening.

A letter was read from the family of the late Miss Isabelle L. Cummings thanking the members for their expressions of sympathy.

The birthday cake from Joanne Bakers went to Mrs. Sharon.

Members' day will be observed Dec. 26. Mrs. Loretta St. Peter asked for volunteers to bring refreshments.

Banquet Is Tonight

The club's banquet and Christmas party will be tonight at the Masonic Temple. Robert Ayers checked to see that all members have tickets.

Mrs. Mary Myers announced that the next choir rehearsal will be Tuesday at 1 p.m. Mrs. Anna Flynn told a humorous story.

Arthur Snow announced that for those wishing to bowl, a bus will leave the Y tomorrow at 1 p.m. for the Imperial Lanes.

Golden Age News

175 at Meeting; Trombonist, Pianist Play

By MRS. MAX W. SCHULZ

One hundred seventy attended a meeting of the Golden Age Club yesterday at the YMCA.

John Callaghan, trombonist, and Miss Florence Coty, pianist, played before the meeting. Mrs. Betty Bohre played the piano for group singing led by Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Mrs. Anna Tompkins, Mrs. Helen Meinhart, Mrs. Florence Snow, Mrs. Anna Flynn, Gunnar Lovgren, Adam Grohe, William Schaeffer, Mrs. Catherine Stoessel, Mrs. Florence Sharon and Mrs. Dorothy Gerard. The meeting was led by Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president.

Messages were read from Michael E. Dowd and John Ross.

It was announced that the sewing group which meets Friday afternoons at the Berkshire Museum is in need of helpers.

Choir Meeting Tuesday

Mrs. Mary Myers announced a meeting of the choir for Tuesday at [illegible].

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Emmy Snow. The treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Carlisle.

On the sick list are Miss Alice V. Merchant at Pittsfield General Hospital and Mrs. Albert H. Parker at Hillcrest Hospital.

Fred Cote was a guest. New members presented were Arnold Hayes and Mrs. Congolina Centofani. The birthday cake was awarded to Mrs. Gilda deFazio.

Vincent J. Hebert spoke briefly. Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Shirley Frenkel, John Curtis, Arthur Pierce, Mr. Schaeffer, Mrs. Flynn, Mrs. Grohe, Mr. Hebert, Robert Ayers, Mrs. Bertha Wuinee, Mr. Lovgren, Mrs. Carlisle, Dennis Murphy, Alfred Clark and Mrs. Gerard.

Presents were given to members who had birthdays in November.

Mrs. Max W. Schulz and Mrs. Alexander D. Politis represented the College Club.

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Mrs. Sarah Eddy Is Honored At Party on 80th Birthday

Mrs. Sarah Plumb Eddy of 13 Lincoln St., who observed her 80th birthday Friday, was honored at a party given by her daughter, Mrs. Robert F. Hunt, at the Senior Citizens Center. About 40 attended and presented Mrs. Eddy with gifts.

Mrs. Eddy was born in a gable-roofed house in Stockbridge, which belonged to her father's first cousin, the late Stephen Dudley Field, inventor of the first electric engine that went on the elevated railroad in New York. Her father, the late Charles Stuart Plumb, was Mr. Field's assistant in his workshop.

Four of Mrs. Eddy's family have December birthdays. Besides Mrs. Eddy, her grandson, Alan Stuart Hunt, who is serving with the Army in Korea, was Dec. 9; and Mr. Hunt's son, Brian Paul Hunt, who was born Dec. 13, and another son, Alan Joseph Hunt, will be two years old tomorrow. Another great-granddaughter, Dawn Teresa Hunt, will be four on Jan. 1. Mrs. Eddy has another grandson, Stephen Cabot Hunt.

Active Entertainer

Mrs. Eddy was in charge of all inside entertainment at the Golden Age Club, directed the choir and played in the orchestra for 12 [illegible]ears. She now is active at the [illegible]enior Citizens Center. She inherited her talent for comedy from [illegible]er mother, the late Esther Webster [illegible]lumb, who took leading parts in [illegible]he high school plays in Stockbridge before her marriage.

Mrs. Eddy is a charter member [illegible]f Morningside Baptist Church.

"I can still make people laugh [illegible]though I'm 80 years old, and [illegible]hen I stop making them laugh I [illegible]ill stop acting foolish," said Mrs. [illegible]ddy. She did one of her comedy [illegible]cts Friday, and sang "I Love My[illegible]lf, I'm Wild About Me."

Party Soloists

At Friday night's party, soloists [illegible]ere Mrs. Jean May Bousquet, Mrs. [illegible]Hunt, Miss Carol L. Stitt, William [illegible]lack of Dalton and Roland Bent[illegible]ey. Miss Ann Thomson was piano [illegible]ccompanist.

Golden Age News

Salvation Army Needs Volunteers To Fill Baskets

By MRS. GEORGE B. TOMPKINS

The Salvation Army has asked for volunteers to help fill Christmas baskets, it was announced at a meeting of the Golden Age Club, attended by 153, yesterday afternoon at the YMCA. Members who need transportation may call the Salvation Army.

Members will be taken to see Christmas decorations tonight by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Badges are to be worn.

Buses will leave the Y at 1 p.m. Thursday for the Imperial Lanes, where members will bowl.

Mrs. Daniel J. Miraglia sang Christmas songs yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Helen Purdy. Vincent DeFazio sang a solo. A community sing was led by members of the choir.

Louis Anson was welcomed as a new member. A card was read from Joseph Paoli, who is in Italy, and Christmas greetings were sent to the club by Mrs. Betty Plumb.

Speakers Named

Thoughts for the day were given by Magnus Lovgren, Mrs. Florence Sharon, Mrs. Anna Flynn, Mrs. Viola Houser, Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, Mrs. Mary Myers, Larry Curtis and Mrs. Catherine Gerard. The secretary's report was read by Mrs. Bessie Ayers in the absence of Mrs. Emmie Snow, and the treasurer's report by Mrs. Bertha Carlisle. Mrs. Mary Fezzie received the birthday cake.

Clarence Shepherd is at Crestwood Nursing Home in Lenox. A moment of silent prayer was observed for Mrs. Barbara Leno and for Isa Ali's father.

The next choir rehearsal will be at 1 p.m. Jan. 9 at the Y.

Last Wednesday a Christmas banquet was held at the Masonic Temple for members and guests.

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C. Wesley Adams, Radio News Director, Entertains Club

By MRS. G. D. ROBERTSON

C. Wesley Adams, WBEC news director, entertained the Golden Age Club with a series of comedy routines at a meeting of the group yesterday at the YMCA. One hundred forty-nine attended.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Jennie Durwin, president, with a moment of silent prayer followed by the pledge of allegiance and "The Star-Spangled Banner." The songs that followed were led by John Curtis, Mrs. Elisa Francoeur, Mrs. Helen Meinhart, Vincent DeFazio, Joe Rissler, Miss Elizabeth Connors, Mrs. Florence Snow, Magnus Lovgren, Robert L. Ayers, Herman Groch, Charles Holden, Mrs. Florence Sharon, Mrs. Anna Flynn, Mrs. Bertha Carlisle, and Mrs. Elizabeth Clark. Mrs. Elizabeth Bohr played for the singing. Mrs. Flynn played before the meeting.

Thoughts for the day were given by Mrs. Geneva Smith, Mrs. Meinhart, Mrs. Viola Houser, Miss Mary Francoeur, Mrs. Edith Spurr, Magnus Lovgren, Miss Ethel Batista, and Mrs. Florence Cote.

Arthur Snow announced there would be bowling as usual Thursday. The special interest group will meet Wednesday, Jan. 3, at the Y, with Josiah Jackson speaking on "Iceland, Enchanted Island." The Senior Citizens will hold their Christmas party Friday afternoon.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. Emma Snow. Mrs. Carlisle, treasurer, gave her report.

Antoinetto DePietor was a guest. It was announced Mrs. Eva Adams in St. Luke's and Mrs. Anne Northrup at Crestwood, Lenox, are on the sick list and that Mrs. John Ronotta died this week. The birthday cake was given to Mrs. Elizabeth Mooney.

Refreshments were served and gift candles given to those having birthdays in December.

Advisory Group On the Aging Meets With Volpe

Four Berkshire County residents, members of Gov. John A. Volpe's advisory committee on aging, met with the governor Friday in Boston's University Club to discuss the planned activity of the 100-member group.

Attending the luncheon meeting were Dr. Harold Stein, head of Pittsfield's Department of Public Health; Mrs. Dorothy Diamond, director of the Pittsfield Senior Citizen Center; Miles Hapgood, treasurer and general manager of the Berkshire Supply Co., and Harold P. Winchester of Gould Farm in Monterey, chairman of the Southern Berkshire County Council for the Aging.

Outlines Objectives

The governor outlined objectives for the advisory committee which showed that its purpose exceeded the limits implied by its name. He said he wanted the committee to be fact finding, to evaluate existent state services for the aging, to recommend new approaches and methods of helping the aging, to interpret aging problems to the community, to recommend and support legislation for the aging, and try to overcome public apathy toward these problems through greater publicity at the local level.

Other speakers were the Rev. Joseph Alves, chairman of the Massachusetts Council for the Aging, Donald Kent from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare in Washington, D.C.; and Francis W. Looney, executive secretary of the Massachusetts Council for the Aging.

In an afternoon session the advisory committee was divided into sub-committees for organization and for more intensive discussion of specific problems such as free-time activities, housing, employment security and retirement, research, health and social services and community organization. Mrs. Diamond and Mr. Hapgood were on the housing subcommittee, of which Mr. Winchester was appointed chairman pro tempore. Dr. Stein was in the health and social services section. These subcommittees are to meet from time to time at the call of the chairman for further study and recommendations. The housing committee has most of its members from Western Massachusetts and will meet in Springfield or Pittsfield.

Recommendations made by these subcommittees are to be channeled to the governor from the committee chairmen through the Massachusetts Council for the Aging.

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WAHCONAH HEIGHTS CLUB was entertained at a Christmas party last night by the Orpheus Chorus and the Pittsfield Chapter, SPEBSQSA. Special guests at the well-attended event were Mayor Raymond L. Haughey, Arthur C. McGill, executive director of the Housing Authority, and Ralph J. Froio, authority chairman. Mrs. Earl Horton was in charge of entertainment and decorations, and Mrs. Edwin Hill was refreshment chairman. Grab-bag gifts were distributed.

'The Awful Thing'

FAIR OR FC

By Roger O'Gara

WOMEN TAKE their softball seriously over in Morningside.

This one was excited, but still polite. She telephoned to say that she was surprised that we hadn't commented on "the awful thing" that happened in the Morningside Softball League. You had to like her because she introduced herself as a "regular reader."

"The awful thing" was the championship playoff game between the Rainbow Restaurant and the Mastercraft Tile Company.

You may have missed it, but the story ran under a two-column head. Briefly, it said that the Rainbows won the championship 5-3 in a game abbreviated by darkness. Yet when the contest formally was halted, the score was 9-8 with the bases full and two out in the bottom of the sixth inning.

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IT WAS an application of the old reverted score rule.

The official count was 5-3, because that was the way it stood at the end of the last completed inning. In the top of the sixth, the Rainbows scored four runs. The Mastercrafts came back with five. The tying run was on third base, the go-ahead one on second.

That's when base umpire Pat Bruni came in to talk with plate umpire Nino Coppolino. The upshot of their conference was the decision by Coppolino to call the contest because of darkness.

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THE IRATE WOMAN undoubtedly was a Mastercraft rooter. Otherwise, she wouldn't have have called. Supporters of winning teams never call to complain about how a result was achieved. They take the broader view. They can't be bothered with petty little details like darkness and a reverted score.

Nonetheless, it seems a shame that an entire season of play should hang on shades of eventide.

There is no questioning the judgment of the umpires in a situation like this. They undoubtedly felt that it was too dark to continue. They probably were worried lest someone be injured, the batter by a pitch he couldn't follow or a fielder by a drive he couldn't see.

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WHY SHOULD a long summer of interesting and close competition become a grab bag affair?

Why don't all amateur leagues, baseball and softball, put in rules that have common sense provissions? Why couldn't there be a regulation to the effect that a game of this importance must be played through seven full innings? That is the prescribed route in softball.

Art Gwinnell, a veteran softball man, advises that they do it the sensible way in Adams. They have an extended playoff series in their well-run league up there, and it's not at all unusual for them to take three nights at this time of year to establish one result.

The rule is that play must be resumed the next night at the point where darkness was declared. This is fair for both sides.

$250,000 a Year

Kennedy Awards To Spur Teaching for Retarded

BOSTON (AP) — A program of annual awards—ranging from $5,000 to $25,000 for individuals—for achievement in the field of mental retardation has been announced by the Joseph P. Kennedy Jr. Memorial Foundation.

The foundation was established by President Kennedy's father, former Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, in memory of his oldest son, a Naval aviator who was killed Aug. 12, 1944, on a volunteer mission in Europe.

Ted in Charge

Edward M. Kennedy, the President's younger brother, who heads the foundation, said it is proposed to spend up to $250,000 annually to stimulate young scientists to enter the field, recognize accomplishments of senior scientists already at work on mental retardation, and interest others in the subject.

Kennedy said in a weekend announcement the foundation will make grants up to $50,000 each for support of the winners' projects. First awards will be made early in 1963 for work done in 1962. The awards will be continued as long as they are justified by accomplishments.

Nominations for awards and grants will be sought of institutions, organizations and individuals working in the field. Administrators, public officials and others whose programs for the mentally retarded are deemed outstanding also will be considered.

Prizes Given At Dinner Of SPS League

Prizes were presented at the season-end banquet of the Slow Pitch Softball League last night at the Rainbow Restaurant. Forty attended.

Members of the championship Water Department and the runner-up Berkshire Mutual Insurance Com each received small trophies. A large trophy for the winning team in the postseason tournament was given to Berkshire Mutual.

Individual awards were as follows: Batting, Bob Steiner, Berkshire Mutual, .619; runs batted in, Bill Delphia, Bernie's Sporting Goods, 22; home runs, Don King, Bernie's, 5.

John Marchesi, director of athletics for the Parks and Recreation Department, was toastmaster. Speakers were Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Parks and Recreation Department, and William Mahan and Roger O'Gara, both of The Eagle.

Swimming Program For Retarded Children Planned Again

A swimming program for retarded children will be conducted again by the Red Cross during the 1961-62 season.

Plans for this and other programs were made Tuesday evenning at a meeting of Berkshire County Red Cross water safety instructors. Mrs. Albert A. Papirio and Atty. Rudolph A. Sacco will be chairmen of the program for retarded children. Time and place for the classes will be announced later.

Mrs. Robert J. Fallon was named in charge of life-saving classes in Pittsfield, and Leo J. Fiorini Jr. was named to head similar classes in Dalton.

Red Cross officials today urged all accredited water safety instructors who are willing to help in these and other programs to register at the Red Cross chapter house, 63 Wendell Ave.

Retarded Children Fund Appeal Letter Mailed

A letter of appeal on behalf of the 1961 "Appeal for Understanding" being conducted by the Berkshire County Association for Retarded Children is being mailed by the committee in charge of the drive, Judge Frank W. Cimini, honorary chairman, has announced. A pamphlet also will be enclosed explaining the work and needs of the association.

The letter points out that this year's funds will be used mainly for the establishment of special programs, including vocational training urgently needed for teenage and young adult retarded in the area.

There are 50 children from 3 to 15 years old in Berkshire County now participating in the programs offered by the local association. There are many teen-agers and adults for whom there is no program.

Aid for Retarded Expected To Top Campaign Goal

Donald C. Durant, chairman of Sunday's house-to-house canvass for the Berkshire County Association for Retarded Children, today said he expects receipts in the current drive to exceed the association's $10,000 goal.

Mr. Durant said $5,400 raised in the canvass has been counted so far, with 25 per cent of the receipts yet to be counted. Answers to an appeal letter sent out last week brought in more than $1,000 he said. Counting of canister donations has not begun, he said.

Last year the association raised a record $6,500. Mr. Durant observed that gifts this year undoubtedly already exceed that amount.

Bowling Loop For Boys Set At Imperial

A bowling league for boys 13 through 15 years of age is being formed by the Parks and Recreation Department and Imperial Lanes. Registration will take place Saturday morning at 10 at Imperial Lanes. The league will be called the Babe Ruth Bowling League.

Registration will not be confined to members of the Babe Ruth Baseball League, but will be open to all boys in the city of eligible age. Bowling will be every Saturday morning at 10.

Bowling shirts will be furnished by Imperial Lanes. Awards will be presented to high individual bowlers and winning teams.

PITTSFIELD BABE RUTH LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Tigers	20	0	White Sox	11	9
Red Sox	12	8	Dodgers	8	12
Reds	12	8	Cardinals	3	17
Yankees	11	9	Indians	3	17

Results: Yankees 4, White Sox 0; Red Sox 4, Indians 0; Tigers 4, Cardinals 0; Reds 4, Dodgers 0.

High bowlers: Single string, Louis Sibbio Jr. 127. Three strings, Louis Sibbio Jr. 316, Sam Russo 313, Paul Charon 311, John Kinnas 310, Mike Hart 290, Mat Giardina 286, Ed Gerwaski 281, Joe Bressett 277.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Police (1)	24	4	Police (2)	13	15
Traffic	19	9	Rice	9	19
Park	19	9	Hiway	9	19
Garage	17	11	U.C.	1	15

Results: Police No. 1 4, Rice 0; Parks 3, Police No. 2 1; Garage 4, U.C.T. 0; Traffic 3, Highway 1.

High bowlers: Single string, Goerlach 131. Three strings, Goerlach 378, Polidoro 334, Potter 326, Norton 321, Perrone 314, Burr 297, Hodlin 296, Higgins 294, Mason 293, Marquis 292.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Police (1)	35	9	Traffic	25	19
Garage	32	12	Police (2)	15	29
Parks	31	13	Hiway	15	29

Results: Parks 3, Traffic 1; Garage 4, Hiway 0; Police No. 1 4, Police No. 2 0.

High bowlers: Single string, Goerlach 134. Three strings, Perrone 356, Albano 329, Goerlach 327, Hodlin 321, Marchesi 320, Walsh 310, Rheaume 307, Fife 299, Hugabone 296, Taylor 293.

PITTSFIELD BABE RUTH LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Reds	4	0	Red Sox	1	3
Tigers	4	0	Giants	1	3
Senators	3	1	Yankees	1	3
Dodgers	3	1	Indians	0	4
White Sox	1	3	Cardinals	0	4

Results: Red's 4, Indians 0; Tigers 4, Cardinals 0; White Sox 3, Giants 1; Senators 3, Red Sox 1; Dodgers 3, Yankees 1.

High bowlers: Single string, Jim Wood 126. Three strings, Fred Dallava 315, Mike Hart 309, Dave White 295, Jim Wood 292, Lou Orazio 292, Mat Giardina 281, Don Ricchi 275, Bill Kellogg 273, Jim Bordeau 272.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Police (1)	39	9	Traffic	25	23
Garage	36	12	Police (2)	16	32
Parks	34	14	Highway	15	33

Results: Garage 4, Traffic 0; Police No. 1 4, Highway 0; Parks 3, Police No. 2 1.

High bowlers: Single string, Norton 142. Three strings, Goerlach 350, Norton 346, Yovis 335, Danford 333, Clark 331, Polidoro 317, Rheaume 316, Perrone 315, Marchesi 315, Higgins 313.

PITTSFIELD BABE RUTH LEAGUE

	Won	Lost		Won	Lost
Tigers	8	0	Dodgers	4	4
White Sox	6	2	Indians	3	5
Reds	5	3	Cardinals	3	5
Red Sox	4	4	Giants	2	6
Senators	4	4	Yankees	1	7

Results: Tigers 4, Yankees 0; Cardinals 3, Senators 1; Red Sox 3, Giants 1; White Sox 3, Reds 1; Indians 3, Dodgers 1.

High bowlers: Single string, Fred Sangiovanni 131. Three strings, Paul Charow 318, Sam Russo 318, Fred Sangiovanni 321, Mike Hart 303, Noel Coddings 302, Mat Giardina 301, Fred Dallava 297, Fred Royal 292, Norm Wilker 291.

Senior Citizens Will Plan Bazaar

Plans for a fall bazaar will be discussed at a general meeting at 2 Friday afternoon at the Senior Citizens' Center. A trip to the Schenectady Senior Citizens' Center also will be planned.

A pinochle group meets at 1:30 Friday afternoons at the center. Anyone who wishes to join the group may do so, and instruction will be given if desired.

The monthly public card party will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, at the center. Refreshments will be served, and a prize for each table awarded.

Senior Citizens Visit Schenectady

A large group of Senior Citizens, accompanied by Mrs. Bartlett Kimball of the Parks and Recreation Department, were recent guests at the Senior Citizens Center of Schenectady, N.Y.

The members now are preparing for their first annual bazaar, Thursday, Nov. 9, at the center, 349 North St. Donations for the bazaar may be brought to the center.

The sewing group meets daily at the center to work on articles that will be sold. Interested members are invited to participate. A sewing machine is needed. Anyone with a machine to donate may call the center.

A Halloween party will be held Monday at 2 p.m. Prizes will be awarded for costumes.

SeniorCitizensCenter Lists Recent Events

A committee from the Springfield Golden Age Club visited the local Senior Citizens Center recently to get information for starting a center in Springfield. A staff adviser for the Springfield Parks and Recreation Department accompanied the group.

Donations are to be brought to the center for the bazaar Nov. 9 at the center. Women of the center are sewing for this event every day. The William's Sewing Machine and Fabric Center has lent the group a sewing machine until after the bazaar. Mrs. Clara E. Richmond has donated a portable sewing machine with attachments to the center. One more machine is needed on a permanent basis.

Halloween Party

Mrs. Sarah I. Eddy was in charge of entertainment for a Halloween party Thursday night at the center. Mrs. Eliza Francoeur was in charge of games and Mrs. Sophie Beals of refreshments. Mrs. Anna LaPointe won a gift certificate donated by Carm's Beauty Salon. Howard Harris won the prize for the most original costume, Mrs. Francoeur, prettiest; and Mrs. Eddy, funniest. Judges were Mrs. Maude Green, Mrs. Mabel Corcoran and Henry Champagne. Mrs. Eddy put on a skit entitled "They Always Pick on Me!"

Prizes were won by Mrs. William Murphy and Mrs. Catherine Weatherby, Mrs. Margaret Reynolds, Mrs. Mary McHugh, Mrs. Claudia Myers and James Sheehan. Mrs. Martha Waterman played the piano. Refreshments were served.

A meeting for the general membership will be held Friday at the center, 349 North St. Final plans for the bazaar will be made. The monthly card party will not be held this month because of the bazaar.

Several Activities Are Announced for Senior Citizens

Several activities have been planned for Senior Citizens. A Christmas decorations demonstration will be given at 8 Tuesday evening at the Museum, and on Wednesday from 2 to 4 p.m., there will be a public card party at the Senior Citizens' Center, 349 North St. José Naranjo will give an accordion concert after the party.

The monthly business meeting is scheduled for Friday, Dec. 1, when plans will be made for an anniversary open house Dec. 14 at the center. Plans also will be made for a Christmas and New Year's party Dec. 29 at the center.

On Wednesday, at 10:30 a.m., the first in a series of square dance lessons for members of the center will be held at the YMCA. Mrs. Sal Minneci will be caller. Those interested may register at the center.

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Senior Citizens Plan Open House

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Hostesses will be Mrs. Georgette Mouhat and Mrs. Loretta St. Peter.

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New Council To Be Briefed On SC Club

Operation of the Senior Citizens Club will be the main topic at a 5 p.m. meeting today between the 1962-1963 City Council and three city officials.

Mayor Haughey, Vincent J. Hebert, Parks and Recreation Department superintendent; and Dr. Harold Stein, Health Department commissioner, will orient the new Council on the club's activities. According to Mayor Haughey, the main purpose of the meeting is to explain what the club has done and will do, and what it will cost.

The club's 1962 budget, expected to run between $7,000 and $8,000, may be discussed. Tonight's meeting will be on an informal basis and will be held at the club on North Street.

Senior Citizens' Bazaar Tomorrow

Miss Mabel Corcoran has been named general chairman of the Senior Citizens' first annual bazaar which will be tomorrow from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the center.

Aprons, stoles, mittens, dolls, doll clothes, knickknacks, Christmas decorations ,and food will be sold, as well as white elephants. Many of the articles have been made by members of the center.

A drawing for prizes will be held at the end of the day.

Officials' Classes Set for Thursday And Monday Nights

The next two classes for prospective members of the Berkshire County Approved Basketball Officials' Association will be held at the Catholic Youth Center Thursday night at 7:30 and Monday evening at 8:15, Joe Harrison, secretary-treasurer of the association, announced today.

Seven persons comprise the group that has been taking instruction. Harrison said the association is desirous of enrolling from three to five more men. He said it is particularly interested in securing affiliates in North and South Berkshire, areas where there has been a shortage of officials.

Senior Citizens To Dance Tomorrow

Senior Citizens' square dance class will meet at 10:30 a.m. tomorrow for the second period of instruction. Mrs. Sal Minneci is instructor. The class is open to all persons 60 years of age or older.

Francis Plaza Club Holds Yule Party

The Francis Plaza Club held its first Christmas party last night at the plaza community house with 45 attending.

The GE Pensioners Orchestra played carols, and the group joined in singing. The orchestra also played for dancing. Thomas Meade and Mrs. Mary Myers were soloists, with Mrs. Anna Flynn at the piano.

Edward Apple played Santa Claus and distributed gifts. Mrs. Freda Prater was in charge of decorations. Refreshments were served.

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OUTDOOR BASKETBALL in Pittsfield was off to a flying start this week with the installation of baskets and backboards by personnel of the Park Department on the asphalt court on the Common. A group of high school boys are shown giving the new surface a workout while Dr. Robert Kirvin, park chairman, and Vincent Hebert, park superintendent (at near end of court) check the latest facility. Park director of athletics John Marchesi is the referee. The Park Department hopes to put in similar courts at Springside, Clapp and Deming Parks. Lights for night play will be installed on the Common in near future, and bleachers will be set up along one side. Summer and fall leagues will be organized next summer.

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A BABY GHOST appeared last night at a meeting of the planning group of the Halloween celebration committee. Committee members standing from left are Fuad Nassif, Charles Thompson, Miss Jean Loveland of the Parks and Recreation Department, and Louis Russo. Seated are Mrs. Wayne Vandergrift and William Eulian, chairman.

Halloween Parade Plans Taking Shape

Special Chairmen For Annual Event Are Announced

Special chairmen for the 1961 Halloween parade sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and The Eagle were announced today.

James E. Eulian is general chairman of the Holloween committee and assistant general chairman is Fuad F. Nassif. The planning group met last night at Springside House.

Louis J. Russo will be in charge of parade marshals; Mrs. Wayne Vandergrift, floats; Mrs. George Clark, judges; Charles Thompson, bands and drum and bugle corps, and Tony M. Saccheti attendance and tickets.

At last night's session, last year's Holloween festivities were discussed and plans for this year's event formulated.

The first general meeting of the Halloween committee will be held tomorrow from 7 to 8 p.m. at Springside House. All persons or groups interested in participating in the parade this year are asked to attend.

Halloween Parade To Be Discussed At Meeting

10-13-61

The first meeting of the 1961 Halloween committee will be Wednesday night at 8 at the Springside House, 874 North St.

Plans for the 17th annual Halloween parade, scheduled for Tuesday night, Oct. 31, and cosponsored by the Park Department and The Eagle, will be discussed, according to James E. Eulian, committee chairman.

Representatives of agencies and organizations as well as individuals interested in assisting or participating in the parade are asked to attend. Those who cannot be present at the meeting should call the Park Department.

Mr. Eulian noted that there is a need for parade marshals and volunteers to assist with the costume judging.

Prizes will be awarded for the best costume, float and musical organization in the parade.

Pumpkin Contest Oct. 21

Halloween Events Planned By Parks, Recreation Dept.

Pumpkin carvers are promised fun and possibly prizes when they cart their works of art to the YMCA Oct. 21.

Sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation, the annual pumpkin contest will be held between 2 and 3:30 p.m. Children from 5 through 10 years of age may enter.

The competition is one of the many annual events preceding the citywide Hallowe'en celebration planned for Oct. 31. The Hallowe'en parade with its usual array of spectres already is on the planning boards.

Parade Meetings Planned

Park Supt. Vincent J. Hebert said meetings of the parade committee will probably start next week. Whether the usual crowd-scarer, a General Electric Co. float, will be entered this year, still is uncertain.

In the jack-o'-lantern contest, prizes will be awarded for the largest, funniest, most original, best in show, smallest, saddest, spookiest and ugliest hand-carved pumpkins. During the judging, a party for the children will be held in the Y auditorium.

The Park Department has offered a few surgical hints to children intending to try for a prize. They are:

Use some poster paints on your jack-o'-lantern; light it with a battery-powered light; cut small sections first rather than slashing large holes; decorate it with pieces of fabric, buttons, etc., and use the natural features of the pumpkin to make it more interesting.

Pumpkin Carver Prizes To Be Awarded Saturday

10-18-61

A pair of roller skates will be presented to the best pumpkin carver at the annual Halloween contest Saturday from 3 to 3:30 p.m. at the YMCA.

Sponsoring organizations are the Jay-C-Ettes, the Pittsfield Art League, the Pittsfield High School Girls' Athletic Association and the Parks Department.

Games and entertainment will be provided. Children from 5 through 10 years of age may enter their jack-o'-lanterns in the contest.

Besides the roller skates, prizes will be awarded in six other categories. The shoe skates donated by Broyles roller skating arena on Dalton Avenue now are on display in Martin Brothers store window, 324 North St.

Children wishing to enter the pumpkin contest should clip this entry blank and bring it with them Saturday to the Y.

PUMPKIN CONTEST

Please enter me in the Pumpkin Contest Saturday, Oct. 21 at 2 p.m. at the YMCA.

Name: _____ Age: ____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Category; (check only one)

___ Largest ___ Smallest

___ Funniest ___ Saddest

___ Ugliest ___ Spookiest

Sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation.

11 Musical Units Sign for Parade On Halloween

10-19-61

Eleven musical units already have indicated they will march in the annual Halloween parade this year, according to James E. Eulian, general chairman of the 17th annual celebration.

The celebration committee held its first organizational meeting last night at the Springside House.

Individuals or organizations wishing to enter floats in the North Street spook parade should notify Mrs. Wayne Vandergrift or the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Float Rules

The Halloween committee advises that material used in the floats should not be highly flammable. Use wooden supports, oil cloth, etc. rather than corn stalks and hay.

Skirts down the sides of float trucks should be made to clear the wheels, and at least one adult should be on the float or walking beside it.

No float should be higher than seven feet from the bed of the truck; overhanging wires cause a safety hazard. (Local regulations require an 18-inch clearance between vehicle and wires.)

Riders should stand or sit away from the side of the float and no child should be on a float while it is being transported to the parade route. All vehicles must have good brakes.

10-23-61

65 Compete In Pumpkin Carving Event

Vladislov Bogomolow Is Top Winner Of Annual Event

Sixty-five pumpkins were entered in the annual Halloween carving contest Saturday at the YMCA. About 100 youngsters attended.

Grand prize winner was Vladislov Bogomolow of 107 Howard St. He took home a pair of roller shoe skates for entering the best jack-o'-lantern in the show.

The contest was the first in a series of citywide Halloween events. Climax will be the Oct. 31 Halloween parade.

Other winners in the contest and the order in which they placed are:

Largest pumpkin: Ellen Furey, Buster Beaulieu and Bonnie Bresnahan; smallest: Pamela Coe, Paul Seluke and Mark Kupiec; funniest: Robert Connelly, Stephen Senger and Paul Morgan; saddest: Ben Pisani, Anton Seluke and Sam Wright.

Also, spookiest: David Winslow, Tommy Maloney and John Bresnahan; ugliest: John Mathes, Maureen Pires and John LaDoucer. Nancy Coe entered the most original pumpkin in the show.

Sponsoring organizations for the contest were the Jay-C-Ettes, the Pittsfield Art League, the Department of Parks and Recreation and the Pittsfield High School Girls' Athletic Association.

Halloween Chairmen To Meet Tonight

10-23-61

Committee chairmen for the Halloween celebration will meet at Springside House tonight at 7:30. A meeting for all persons assisting with the parade will be held Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the Springside House.

Volunteers still are needed for the parade, Oct. 31. Anyone wishing to serve as marshal in the parade should call Louis Russo or the Park Department. Mrs. Wayne E. Vandergrift said that floats may still be entered in the parade through Wednesday afternoon.

Marshals For Halloween Parade Needed

10-24-61

75-100 Persons Sought as Aides For Event Oct. 31

From 75 to 100 additional parade marshals are needed for the Halloween parade Tuesday, Oct. 31, the Department of Parks and Recreation said today.

So far, about 25 persons have been recruited as marshals to help coordinate bands, floats and marching children in the parade.

Volunteers for the jobs are asked to get in touch with Louis Russo or the Park Department.

A meeting for the judges of parade floats, bands, and costumes will be held Thursday at 7:30 in the Springside House. Mrs. Alfred Clark is in charge of this division.

Eight floats and 11 musical units already have indicated they intend to march in the annual spook event. Prizes for floats will be $25, $15 and $10, and for bands, $15, $10 and $5.

Musical groups include the Interstatesmen, University of Massachusetts, Eagles, New Lebanon High School and the Turnverein bands.

Among the float entries are those from Crane, Redfield, Hibbard, Briggs and Morewood schools, the Girls Club, the Berkshire Drag Masters and the Williams PTA. More floats are needed, and entries will be accepted up to parade time.

An announcement will be made soon concerning the possible entry of a float from the General Electric Co.

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Two Dances Will Follow Parade Tonight

Two halloween dances will be held tonight following the annual parade sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and The Eagle. Parade time is 7.

A teen-age dance will be held at the State Armory on Summer Street from 8:30 to 11 p.m. At the Girls Club from 7:45 to 9:30 p.m., there will be a junior high school dance.

Records will provide music at both places.

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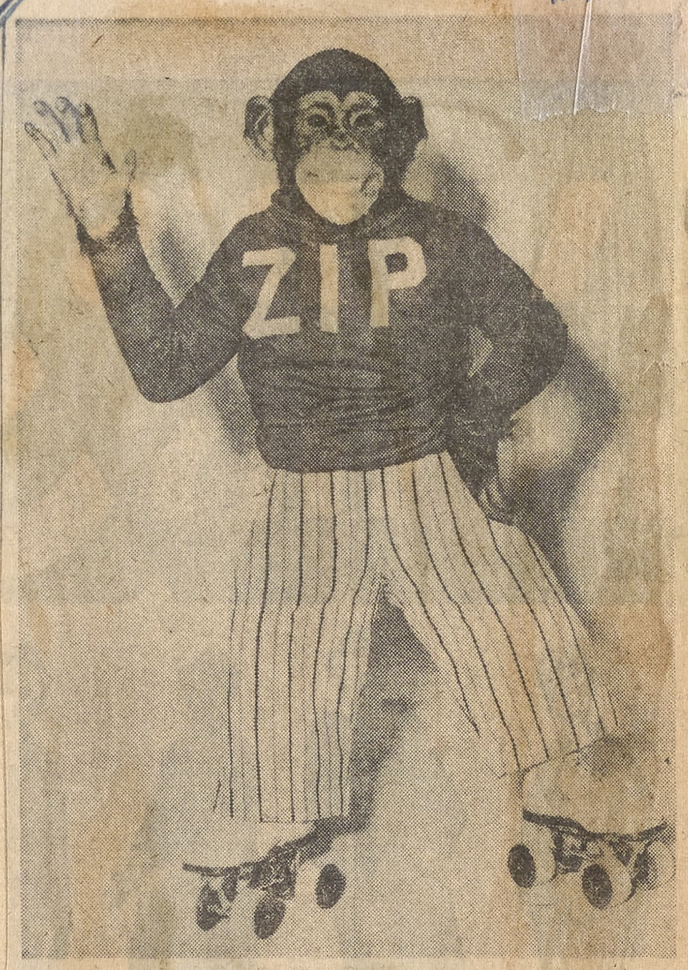

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Parade Line-Up Completed For Halloween Tomorrow

A performing chimp, bouncing trampoline artists and hordes of ghostly apparitions are scheduled to invade North Street tomorrow night.

They're all a part of the 17th annual Halloween parade sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and The Eagle.

Led by Sheriff J. Bruce McIntyre, the parade will start up East Street at 7 p.m., march around Park Square and proceed up North and Wahconah streets to Wahconah Park.

Zippy To Perform

Thousands of persons are expected to see Zippy, the world-famous chimpanzee, perform his tricks, and the General Electric Co. float carrying the "Two Tuckers," a high flying trampoline act.

Thirteen bands, 11 floats and hundreds of costumed children also are ready to make their usual Halloween appearance.

Prizes will be awarded to the three best bands and floats and to two costumed children in each marching unit.

Parade Line-Up

The parade line-up is:

Section 1, Captain, Gus Pilblad

1. Police Car
2. Park Department Car
3. Red Cross Car
4. Fire Truck
4. Zippy
6. Grand Marshal
7. Halloween Committee
8. Mayor and City Officials
9. Park Commission
10. VFW Majorettes
11. Turnverein Band
12. Abby Locke School
13. Allendale School
14. Berkshire Dragmasters Float
15. Mount Carmel School
16. Monarchs Drum and Bugle Corps
17. Bartlett School
18. Briggs School
19. Briggs School Float
19a. Drury High School Band
20. Dawes School
21. St. Joseph's School

Section 2, Captain Joseph Harrison

22. Francis Majorettes
23. Eagles Band
24. Broyles Arena Float
25. Egremont School
25a. Girl Scout Tin Pan Band
26. Crane School
27. Crane School Float
28. St. Charles' School
29. Skyhawks Drum and Bugle Corps
30. Highland School
31. Hibbard School
32. Hibbard School float
33. Notre Dame School
34. North Junior High School
35. New Lebanon Band
36. Plunkett School
37. Girls Club Marchers
38. Girls Club Float
39. Pomeroy School

Section 3, Captain, William Sable

40. Pittsfield High School Band
41. Pittsfield High School Cadettes
42. Mercer School
43. Morewood School
44. Morewood School Float
44a. North Junior High School Band
45. Pontoosuc School
46. St. Mary's School
47. Imperial Drum and Bugle Corps
48. Rice School
49. Redfield School
50. Redfield School Float
51. South Junior High School Band
52. South Junior High School

Section 4, Captain, Francis J. Zofrea

53. Russell School
54. University of Massachusetts Redmen Band
55. Stearns School
56. CYC Marchers
57. Williams School
58. Williams School Float
59. Cavaliers Drum and Bugle Corps
59a. Cavaliers Float
60. Boys' Club Marchers
61. South Junior High School
62. Tucker School
63. YMCA Marchers
64. GE Trampoline Float
65. Interstatesmen Drum and Bugle Corps

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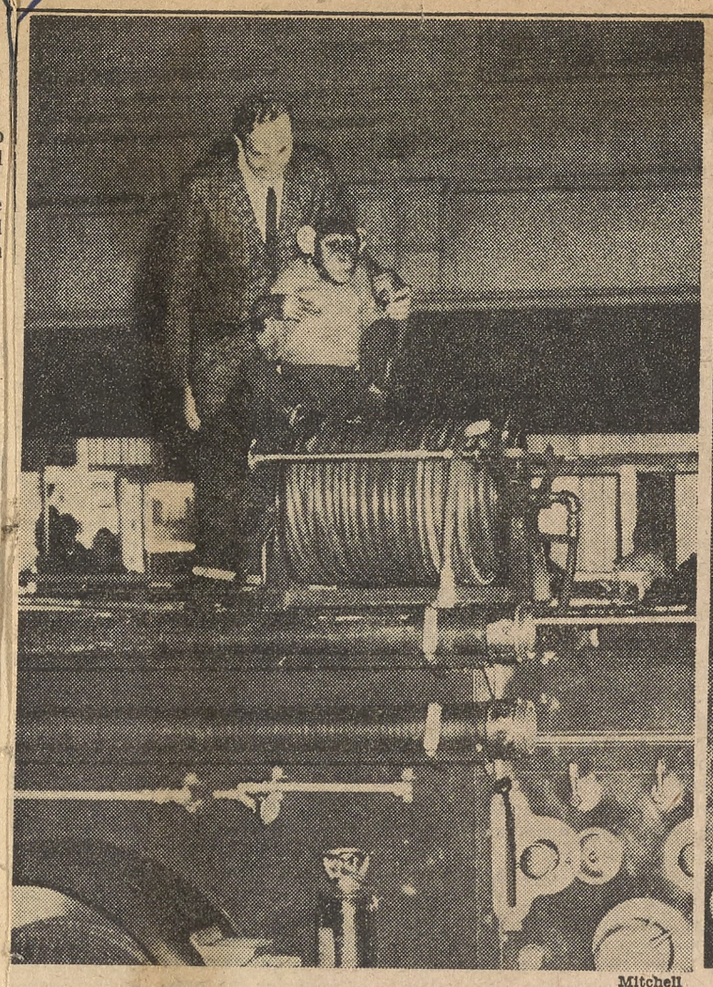

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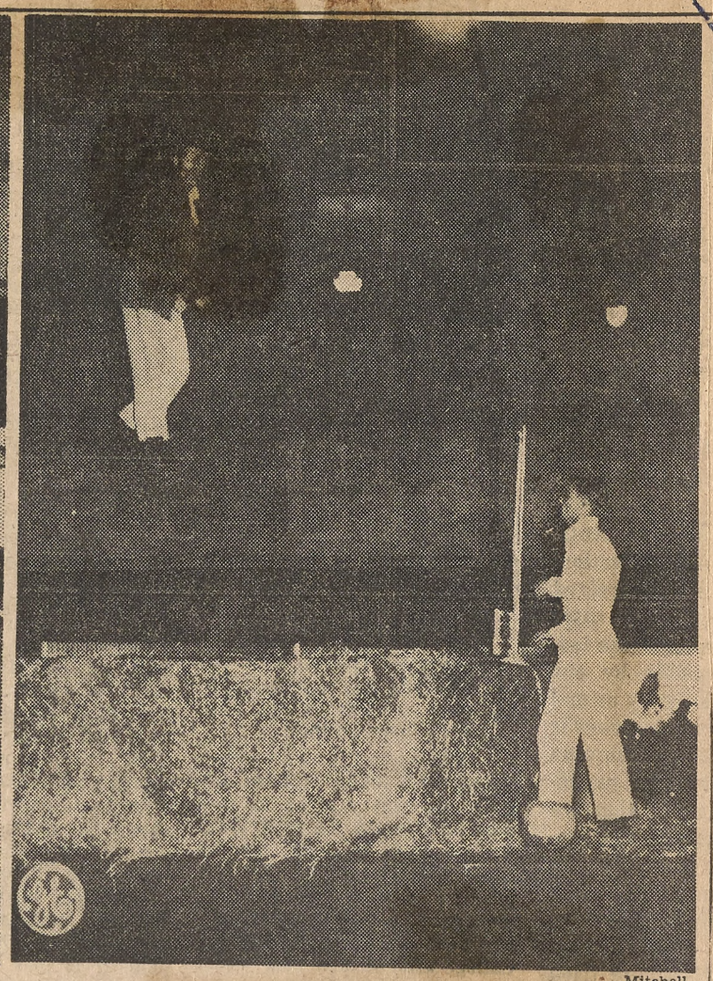

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Witches flocking to the broom "registry" for their 1961 stickers and posters reading "Have Sticker Will Travel" took second place and $15. It was entered by Redfield School.

Williams School float depicting an old children's tale with a new twist won $10 in third place. Snow Witch stirring her magic potion was surrounded by the seven dwarfed spooks.

New Lebanon Band Wins

One of the two bands from outside of Pittsfield entered in competition, the New Lebanon (N.Y.) High School band, captured first honors in that division, winning $15. Also marching was the Drury High School band from North Adams.

The fast-stepping Skyhawks Drum and Bugle Corps won second prize of $10; third place and $5 went to Pittsfield High School's snappy band.

Grand marshal, Sheriff J. Bruce McIntyre, dressed as a wild west sheriff, led the 65-unit parade, which included a total of 13 bands and drum and bugle corps, 11 floats and about a thousand costumed school children.

52 Youngsters Win Prizes

Marching youngsters disguised themselves as everything, including green-faced goblins, hoboes, red devils, walking tables and snowmen. They moved up the parade route in hot rods and baby carriages and on roller skates and bicycles-built-for-two. Fifty-two of them won $2 gift certificates for their outfits.

The parade, sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and The Eagle, started on time and proceeded without mishap to Wahconah Park where the prizes were awarded. A hint of rain near the end of the parade failed to mar a crisp autumn evening.

Thursday, Oct. 26, 1961

Halloween Party Planned Tomorrow At Girls Club 10-26-61

The Girls Club will sponsor a Halloween party tomorrow at the club during the public school recess for the teachers' convention. Morning activities will feature plunges in the club pool, from 10:15 to 11 and 11:15 to noon, followed by a box lunch.

In the afternoon there will be games in the gym and game room until 3:30. There will be no regular scheduled classes except the swimming classes which will meet at their scheduled times.

At 3:30 p.m. in the club gymnasium a Halloween costume party is planned. Miss June Bowman, assistant director, will be in charge. The party will include special games and refreshments. Prizes will be awarded for costumes. A first prize will be awarded to the best group costume for those girls who decide to come in a group of two or three.

Members who are participating in all of the day's activities may bring their costumes with them and change in the club before the costume party.

In the evening the junior high dance will take place from 7 to 9:15.

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Girls Club Will Sponsor Dance Tomorrow 10-30-61

The Girls Club will sponsor a "hobo dance" tomorrow night at the club following the Halloween parade. The dance for junior high students will be from 7:45 to 9:30. Dress for the dance will be optional, and the usual admission fee will be charged.

In the parade will be a float by the float and bazaar class at the club. The class, new this year, is under the direction of Miss June Bowman, assistant director. Also appearing in the parade will be the Girls Club drill team.

More than 500 members attended the recent Halloween party. Those who won prizes for their costumes in the various divisions were: prettiest, Jeanne Belfield, first, Mary Monsell, second, and Joyce Crossley, third; funniest, Sandra Graham, first, and Martha Mlynarczyk, second; best Halloween theme, Sharon Fitzgerald, first, Colleen Mahar, second, and Carol Alberts, third; most original, Kathy Reilly, first, Jody Sacchetti, second, Dorothy Hendrick, third, and Sandra Barry, fourth; group prize, Paula, Kathleen, and Barbara Zelasko.

Judges for the contest were Mrs. John Burbank, Miss Sophie Fishback, and Miss Martha May Newsom, club director.

Zippy To Visit Local Hospitals

Zippy the chimp, scheduled to ride a fire engine in tonight's Halloween parade, also will appear in local hospitals to perform for the children.

According to the Department of Parks and Recreation, the Chimpanzee, which has performed on numerous nationwide television shows, will entertain the hospitalized children and pass out Halloween favors this afternoon.

After his hospital tour, Zippy wil rest and then join the parade line up. The parade starts at 7. Weather permitting, Zippy will ride atop a city fire engine.

The Parks Department also announced that the Eagles and Turnverein bands are appearing in the parade through a grant of the Music Performance Trust Fund of Recording and Television Industries.

Tickets on Sale For Bleachers At Parade

About 300 bleacher seat tickets for Tuesday night's Halloween parade are on sale today. The bleachers will be erected in Park Square. Parade time is 7 p.m.

Tickets are available at Sammy Vincent's music store and Besse-Clarke on North Street and at the Springside House.

Money prizes will be awarded to the best of the 12 bands and 11 floats entered in the parade. The General Electric float does not compete for a prize.

Gift certificates of $2 will be awarded to children wearing the best costumes. Two winners will be selected from each marching unit.

About 25 additional marshals are needed to help coordinate the bands, floats and marching children. Interested persons should call the Springside House.

Parade Parking Rules Issued by Chief

There will be no parking on the north side of East Street from St. Luke's Hospital to the Girls Club during tomorrow night's Halloween parade, Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan said today.

The parade, scheduled to start promptly at 7, will form on East Street and march up North and Wahconah streets.

Chief Calnan also said that a detail of 50 policemen have been assigned to the parade. Capt. John J. Killeen is in charge of the men.

Halloween Parade To Be Led by Sheriff McIntyre

Berkshire County Sheriff J. Bruce McIntyre will lead the annual Halloween parade Tuesday night. The parade is scheduled to start at 7.

Ten bands, 11 floats and a line of costumed children will march up East Street to the south of Park Square and proceed up North and Wahconah streets to Wahconah Park.

Section captains for the parade will be William Sable, Gus Pilblad, Fran Zofrea and Joe Harrison.

A meeting for the parade judges will be held tonight at 7:30 in the Springside House. Mrs. Alfred Clark will give some instructions on judging techniques.

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LETTER regarding the recent Halloween parade in Pittsfield from James E. Eulian, and it isn't ghost-written either. Mr. Eulian was general chairman of the Halloween committee, and he says, "Community projects such as the Halloween parade require cooperation of hundreds of volunteers and many civic organizations. My sincere thanks and appreciation to all who participated."

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Mayor Proclaims 'Trick or Treat' Night Monday 10-25-61

Mayor Haughey yesterday proclaimed the designated Monday as "trick or treat night" at the request of "ghosts and goblins who gambol about for tricks or treats on this gay occasion."

The mayor urged that the people of the city participate in its observance since throughout the years "our boys and girls have enjoyed themselves royally on Halloween," and since "parents and all other people of Pittsfield wish to encourage and perpetuate wholesome, acceptable and safe enjoyment for the youngsters."

Public Events

Tonight

7:00—Halloween parade starting from East Street around Park Square and up North Street to Wahconah Park.

7:45 to 9:30—Junior High School dance. Girls Club.

8:30 to 11:00—Teen-age dance. State Armory.

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Winter Sports Committee Meets Tonight

The winter sports committee of the Department of Parks and Recreation will hold its first meeting of the season at Springside House tonight at 8.

Carl Peaslee, committee chairman, said anyone interested in winter sports and the Winter Carnival events can join the committee.

Some of last year's events staged by the winter sports committee were the queen's contest, the winter equipment sale, sports car ice trials and the city ski meet.

Max Sauter is vice chairman of the committee; Ernest Manns is secretary and Mrs. Ida Fosty, treasurer.

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Winter Carnival Events Scheduled

Plans for the 18th annual Winter Sports Carnival were made at the first meeting of the winter sports committee of the Parks and Recreation Department last night at Springside House.

Mrs. John Unwin was named chairman of the winter sports equipment sale Nov. 29, 30 and Dec. 1.

First spectator event will be sports care time trials on ice Jan. 13. Fred Garner of the Berkshire Motor Sports Club will be chairman.

The city ski meet is scheduled for Jan. 19; ice fishing derby and city sled races, Jan. 20; and city speed skating meet, Jan. 23. The speed skating meet will be directed by James Farry.

Sumner Gamwell will be in charge of the Berkshire Hills Speed Skating championships on Jan. 26 and 27. The championships annually attract more than 200 skaters from the Eastern states. The carnival ball will be held that same weekend, with Miss Kathleen Nicholas as chairman.

The carnival will conclude with the Berkshire interscholastic ski meet on Feb. 1 and 2. Mark Selkowitz will be in charge.

BLIGHT!

A disease which infects sections of Pittsfield is being fought by city health officials and urban renewal authorities.

By Daniel C. Fales

BLIGHT! This is what the urban renewal program will eliminate from 59 acres near the heart of the city. This is what will be removed from parts of Deering Street, Mill Street, Satinet Street, South Church Street, Church Street and New West Street. This is what will be torn down and replaced with new residential or commercial operations.

This will be the target of teams of city and federal agents now studying the area in what is now known as "Jubilee Project" to find the best possible use of the land.

Health Department figures show that five buildings within Jubilee Project have been condemned, five have been demolished, five need repairs or will be condemned, and more are under investigation. This is what urban renewal will correct—all of this.

But urban renewal is not a panacea—it is hard work.

These pictures show blight, as defined by the federal government. All of these structures are in the Jubilee Project area, and probably all will be eliminated during, if not before, renewal activities.

The Health Department is not waiting for urban renewal. It is acting now.

Actual demolition in the renewal project will not take place for at least 18 months and probably longer. Hearings, studies, approvals and plans must all be undertaken before bulldozers can come in.

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BUT THE PROJECT is under way. The federal government has allocated $186,000 for planning work and has earmarked $1.9 million as its share of the project cost. If this is considered as two-thirds of net cost, then the city will have to pay about $500,000. The state also may chip in $500,000.

Blight is defined as a building condition which includes inadequate plumbing, heating or electrical facilities; unsound construction, or extensive minor defects which cause deterioration of surrounding areas. There is also environmental blight which accompanies building decay. This affects people.

The Health Department is doing what it can to eliminate the worst offenders, but those buildings which just squeak by with minimum repairs remain, as the department is powerless in these cases. Renewal, though, will clear this blight.

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A QUESTION AND ANSWER sheet, given project residents, offers just about the best explanation of what is happening, what will happen and how it will affect the people in the area. The form was prepared by the Housing Authority.

What is happening? The city of Pittsfield and the Pittsfield Housing Authority are conducting a program to improve housing conditions in the city and to make your city a better place to live. This will mean better housing, plus new streets, stores and industries. This program of improvement is called urban renewal.

What area is now under study? A project is now being studied to determine the best type of improvements to be undertaken. The area, bounded by the rear lot lines of South Onota Street; West Street; the B.&A. Railroad; McKay Street; the rear lot lines of Edwin Street; Church Street; Center Street; South Church Street; Hurlbut Street; New West Street; and the B.&A. Railroad is called the "Jubilee Project."

Why was this area selected? This area was chosen because it contains homes and other buildings which are in poor condition. By improving this area, the city would be able to create better neighborhoods and obtain additional new investment and increased tax revenue.

What does the urban renewal program mean to me? The first step is a house-to-house survey of the urban renewal area. The Housing Authority has engaged the firm of Candeub, Fleissig & Associates to advise and assist them. Representatives of this firm will ask you questions such as: number of persons in your family; income; rent; condition of heating system; type of bathroom facilities; number of rooms; etc.

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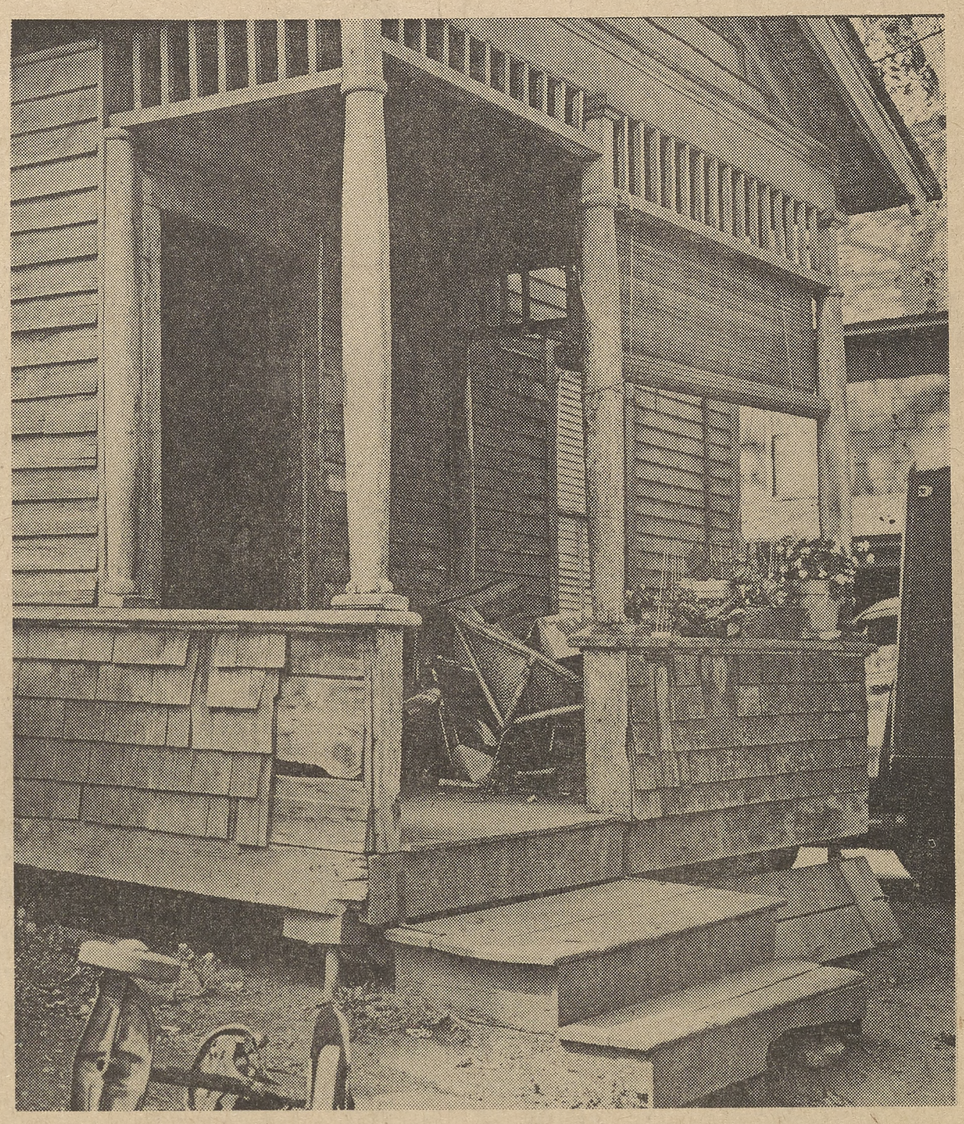
THE SECOND STEP will be the development of a plan for the project. Part of the plan will be based on the number and type of families now living in the area and their desires and needs for housing (also, the kinds of businesses which may require relocation). The shopping needs of everyone in Pittsfield will be taken into account. When the plan is completed is must be approved by the Housing Authority, Planning Board, City Council, state Housing Board and federal Urban Renewal Administration.

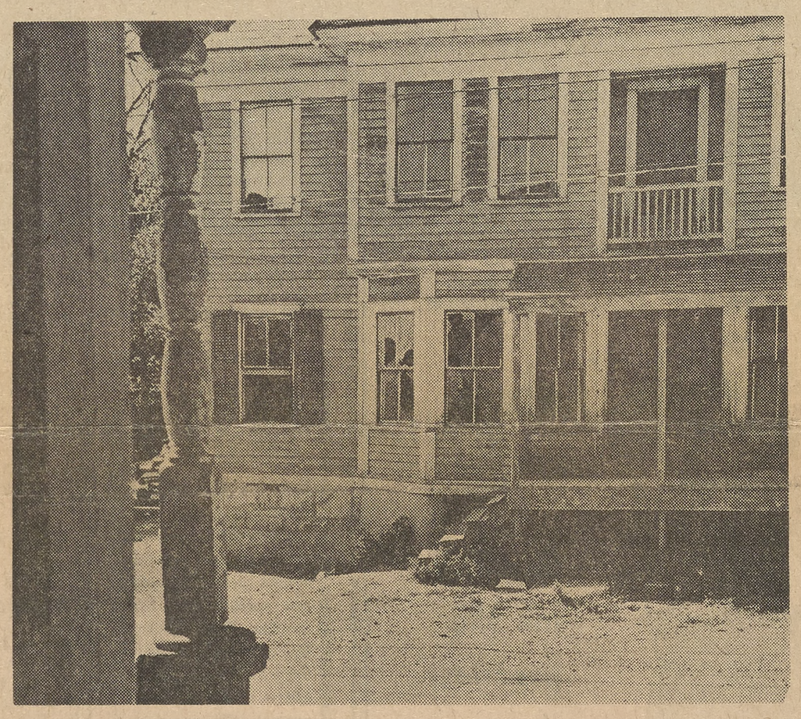
Those living or doing business in the urban renewal areas will have a chance to voice their own ideas and recommendations at a public hearing.

Is it definite that my house or property will be bought by the project? No. Some of the homes in the area will not be acquired. Until such time as definite plans are developed, no one can say whether your house will or will not be purchased.

What if my home is to be cleared? If your home or business is in a building to be cleared, you will be notified well ahead of time that you have to move. Families and businesses, which are required to move from the area, will receive compensation for moving expenses. All costs of relocation payments are financed fully by the federal government.

If you own a building which is to be cleared, you will be paid a fair market price for it, based on two independent appraisals.





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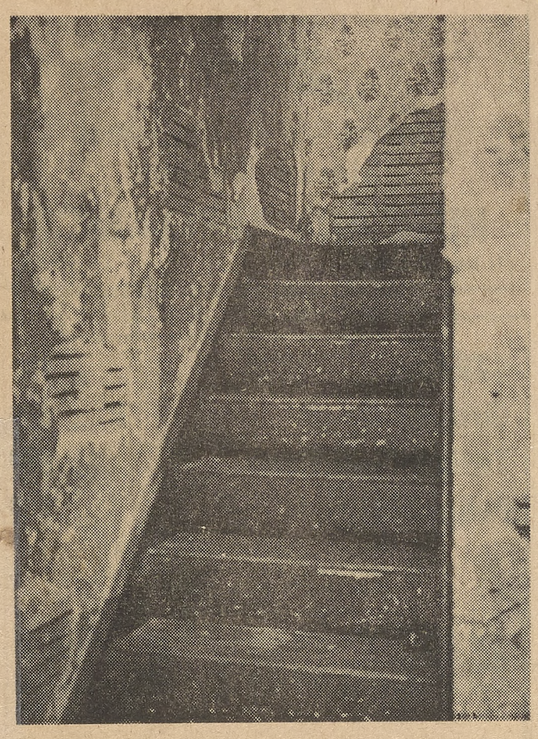

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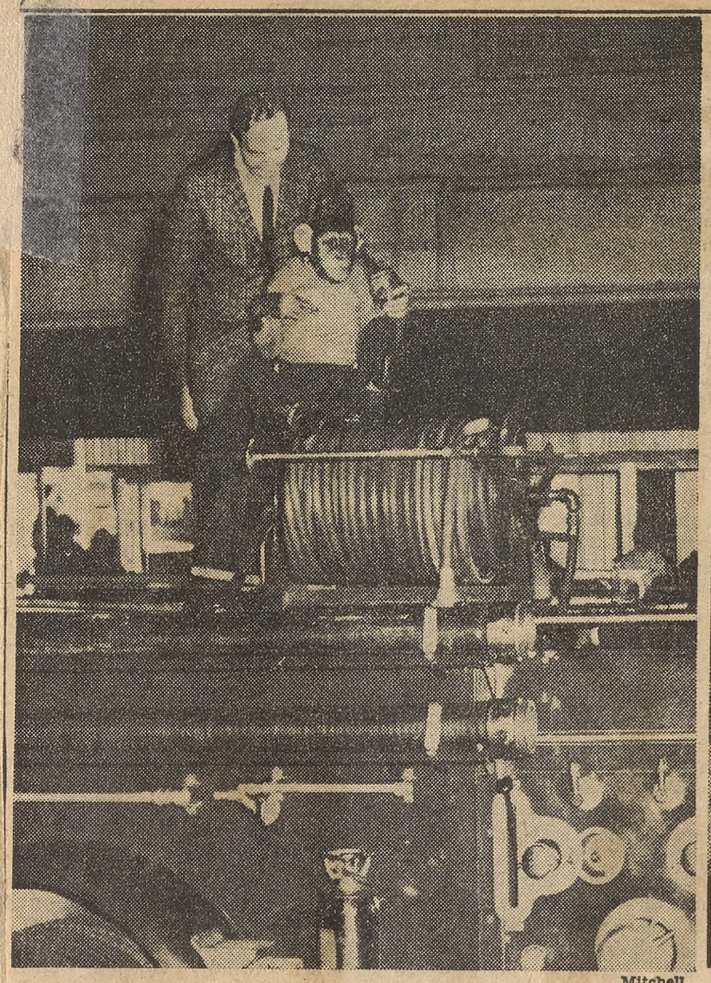

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The guest of honor, Zippy the chimpanzee, dressed in a warm red sweatshirt, rode on top of a Pittsfield Fire Department engine and bared his teeth at the crowd in a monkey-type smile. He entertained at local hospitals and at the Catholic Youth Center yesterday afternoon and performed for the crippled children in a pre-parade show at the Wendell-Sherwood Hotel.

A Congo tribe celebrating Halloween in its African Village won first prize in the float division and $25 for Morewood School.

Witches flocking to the broom "registry" for their 1961 stickers and posters reading "Have Sticker Will Travel" took second place and $15. It was entered by Redfield School.

Williams School float depicting an old children's tale with a new twist won $10 in third place. Snow Witch stirring her magic potion was surrounded by the seven dwarfed spooks.

New Lebanon Band Wins

One of the two bands from outside of Pittsfield entered in competition, the New Lebanon (N.Y.) High School band, captured first honors in that division, winning $15. Also marching was the Drury High School band from North Adams.

The fast-stepping Skyhawks Drum and Bugle Corps won second prize of $10; third place and $5 went to Pittsfield High School's snappy band.

Grand marshal, Sheriff J. Bruce McIntyre, dressed as a wild west sheriff, led the 65-unit parade which included a total of 13 band and drum and bugle corps, 1 floats and about a thousand costumed school children.

52 Youngsters Win Prizes

Marching youngsters disguised themselves as everything, including green-faced goblins, hoboes red devils, walking tables and snowmen. They moved up the parade route in hot rods and baby carriages and on roller skates and bicycles-built-for-two. Fifty-two of them won $2 gift certificates for their outfits.

The parade, sponsored by the Department of Parks and Recreation and The Eagle, started on time and proceeded without mishap to Wahconah Park where the prizes were awarded. A hint of rain near the end of the parade failed to mar a crisp autumn evening.

Park Department Awards Contracts For Truck, Jeep

Brookshire Co. of 694 East St. and Birchard Buick of 163 South St. will supply the Department of Parks and Recreation Department with a truck and a jeep, the Park Commission decided last night.

Brookshire was the lowest of six bidders to supply the half-ton pick-up truck for $1,368.91. Birchard Buick submitted a bid of $1,895.10 on the jeep.

The Park Commission took under advisement a request from the Optimist Club to use Wahconah Park for a circus next June 6.

The commission discussed the 1962 budget request with Vincent J. Hebert, supervisor of the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Hutchinson Bid Low On Pontoosuc Job

Hutchinson Sand & Gravel Co. is low bidder on a contract for reconstruction of the Pontoosuc Lake parking area, with $2,992. The only other bidder was Conway Construction Co., with $4,750. Some $3,588 has been allocated in the Capital Outlay budget for the project.

Hutchinson Gets Contract for Pontoosuc Lot

Hutchinson Sand & Gravel Co. of Pittsfield has been awarded the contract to construct a new parking lot at Pontoosuc Lake, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Parks and Recreation Department announced today.

The company entered the low bid of $2,992.50. Conway Construction Inc., the only other bidder, submitted a figure of $4,750.

Construction contracts will be signed tomorrow, Mr. Hebert said and work on the parking lot will begin soon.

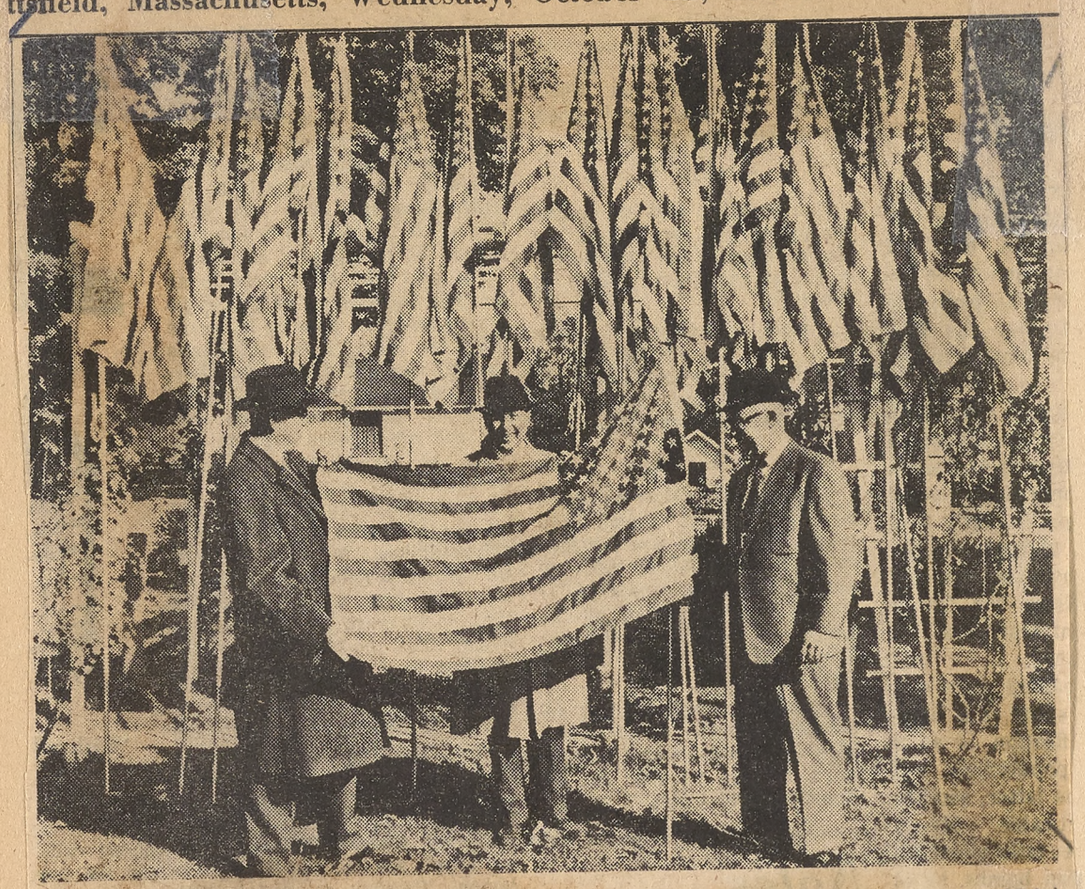
Fencing Contract For Common Awarded

The Guthrie Fence Co. of Springfield has been awarded the contract to erect fencing on the south side of the Common, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Parks and Recreation Department announced today.

The Springfield company was the lowest of a total of three bidders, with $1,295.

Contracts for the work will be signed this week, Mr. Hebert said, and work will begin on the Common soon.

Unsuccessful bidders for the project were Fitzgerald Fence Co. of Florence and Independent Fence & Iron Works of Agawam.



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STARS AND STRIPES form the background for the presentation of flags by Lions Club to Park Department supervisor Vincent J. Hebert, at right. Eli M. Simon, president of the local club, center, and John H. Fisher, chairman of flag committee, made presentation this week. The red, white and blue will be displayed at all of Pittsfield's playgrounds.

FAIR OR FOUL

By Roger O'Gara

NOTWITHSTANDING A seemingly dismal record of three wins and 11 losses, quiet, little Joey Costanzo feels he did reasonably well in his first season of professional baseball. The darling of Pittsfield fandom in 1960 when he pitched Pittsfield High and the Legion to great glory still isn't loquacious, but has made great conversational strides since he reported last spring to the Stockton team of the Class C California State League.

Back home at 107 Deming Street, dark-complexioned Joey conceded that he enjoyed success of sorts. He's happy, for instance, that his earned run average was a highly respectable 3.84. He also is proud that he was one of six players "who lasted the entire year" at Stockton. That's how heavy the turnover was at this farm club of the Baltimore Orioles.

What about next year? Joey doesn't know for sure, but he thinks "there's a good chance" for him to move up one notch in classification. That would be to Class B—either Appleton, Wis., of the Three-I League of Tri-Cities, Wash., in the Northwestern League. The three communities are Kennewick, Richland and Pasco, all in Washington.

JOEY SAID he probably will receive notification "by the end of October."

He has gone to work as a counterman at the Brass Rail Restaurant. This should be a doubly valuable experience for Joey. In addition to receiving his weekly wages, he'll be given excellent training in man-to-man talking, an art in which owner Pat Cioffi is highly proficient and prolific. Joey will have to say a few words if only in self-defense.

Joey is another in a long line of athletes whom Pat has employed.

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HOW DID HE like professional ball?

"Really great," he said. Then, like all pitchers from the beginning of time, he made so bold as to assert that his team was "kind of weak."

Stockton finished dead last in the six-team circuit's first half. It climbed to a respectable third in the second half, but still "didn't hit much." There were no playoffs.

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JOEY SAID, "I learned quite a bit."

He praised two men for helping him. One was former major league pitcher Rae Scarborough, who was the pitching instructor at Baltimore's minor league training base.

With more than 200 enrolled on opening day, Costanzo worried that he would be lost in the shuffle. After all, he probably was one of the smallest men in camp. Then, too, he had such an insignificant price tag on him, you would have needed strong binoculars to see it.

Scarborough took an interest in the little fellow. He liked his form, and presumably noted Joey's grim determination. Rae taught him to throw a slider. That did it. In a seven-inning camp game, Costanzo pitched Class C Stockton to a win over Victoria of the Double A Texas League. He allowed only one run and five hits. This was his ticket to the regular season.

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JOEY SAID he likes the slider.

What about his other pitches?

How about that big curve he used so effectively against high school and Legion batters?

"I don't use it nearly as much," he said with a smile. "You can't overdo on a pitch like that in pro ball."

Some pro scouts were dubious about his fast ball.

What of that?

"I think I've added some jump to it," he answered. "I do know that I can control it better."

You may recall that when Joey threw one curve after another around here, it usually was because he was wild early with the hard one.

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THE OTHER MAN who assisted Joey greatly was his manager, Harry Dunlop, who also was the first-string catcher for Stockton. Harry didn't play major league ball, Joey said, but went as high as Triple A. Joey felt that the combination of manager and catcher was a great help to a young pitcher.

Joey suspects that he was used in relief principally because that's the way the Baltimore farm officials wanted it.

Anyway, Stockton's pitching staff at the beginning of the season numbered five starters and three firemen. In the late stages, there were only seven. The distribution was five and two.

Joey received three starts. The first, fairly early in the season, was a disaster. He was pummeled for six runs in the first inning.

The other two were larger orders. In each instance, Joey was sent against Reno, Nev., one of the divorce capitals of the nation. Reno in the California State League also is famed for separation. It separates many aspiring pitchers from their teams. In short, Reno was the class of the league. It won both halves.

The first time Joey faced this potent outfit, he left after four innings because of control trouble.

The second experience came in the waning part of the season. Joey went the route, but lost 3-1. He forgets how many hits he allowed, but it couldn't have been heavy.

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WHAT ABOUT his health?

Joey beamed.

"I put on eight pounds, went all the way from 142 to 150," he said.

He liked the California climate. It was hot, often more than 100 degrees in the daytime, but "kind of cool at night."

Traveling offered no problem. The biggest hops from Stockton were Bakersfield, 200 miles, and Reno, 180. The team traveled in station wagons, and came home practically every night from a road game.

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HOW WERE the parks?

He liked his own. It had a pitcher's dimensions. In short, it was no place for a cheap home run. At the line in left, it was 320 feet from home plate. Center field stretched away to 420 feet, and right field was 350 feet.

Another thing that favored the pitchers here was the strong wind that often blew toward the hitter.

Most of the other parks were considerably smaller than Stockton's, Joey said.

At Reno, he revealed, the wind conditions were just the opposite from Stockton.

"It blew straight out toward the fences," he said. "The ball seemed to jump out after it was hit."

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LAST BUT not least in the life of conversation of a pitcher is hitting.

How did Joey do? Remember, he was a pretty fair sticker in high school and Legion ball. And back in 1955, he topped the South Little League in home runs with eight.

He blushed.

"I hit about .160," he said. "But I did have one long ball, a triple."

BRL Banquet Is Scheduled

Event To Be Held Sunday, Oct. 22, At Imperial Lanes

A breakfast banquet for the entire Babe Ruth Baseball League has been arranged for Sunday morning, Oct. 22, at 10 at the Imperial Lanes. The event will be held under the auspices of the league and the management of the bowling alleys.

Players, coaches, officials and members of the women's auxiliary will be invited. Awards will be presented.

This will be the first such event for the league since it expanded to 12 teams.

The committee consists of Louis Russo, Colin Keegan, John Marchesi, Mrs. Peter Downey and Mrs. James Garstang.

Red Sox Assign Ed Connolly Jr. To Winston-Salem

Pitcher Eddie Connolly Jr., of Pittsfield has been notified by the Boston Red Sox that his contract has been transferred from Olean, N.Y., of the Class D New York - Pennsylvania League to Winston-Salem, N.C. of the Class B Carolina State League.

The Sox presumably did this to protect their rights to Connolly.

In his first season of Professional baseball last summer, Connolly won four and lost five. The promising left-hander was heavy on strikeouts, but was plagued at times by control difficulty.

He has returned to the University of Massachusetts, where he is a second semester senior.

Archie Allen Will Speak At Ruth League Breakfast

Archie Allen, varsity baseball coach at Springfield College, will speak at a breakfast for the Babe Ruth Baseball League Sunday morning at 10 in the foyer of the Imperial Lanes. More than 200 are expected to attend. It will be the first breakfast assembly in the league's 10-year history.

Archie Allen
BRL Breakfast Speaker

A native of Pittsfield, Allen was a football and basketball star at Pittsfield High long before he took up baseball. He played with the Morningside All-Stars and the Mohawk Beverages in semipro circles, and starred at Springfield College as a left-handed hitting outfielder.

He entered professional baseball in 1937 with Norfolk, Va., a New York Yankee farm in the Class B Piedmont League. He led that league in hitting, and went on to play with Binghamton, N.Y., and Scranton, Pa., of the Eastern, Kansas City, Mo., of the American Association, and Tulsa, Okla., of the Texas before retiring to go into coaching.

Louis Russo, president of the league, is in charge of arrangements. He expects an attendance of more than 200. One hundred eighty players have been invited. Guests will include coaches, league officials and directors, sponsors, Mayor Raymond Haughey, members of the Park Commission, Coaches Joe Gleason and Jack Brennan of Pittsfield High and Bill Murray and George (Red) Pleau of St. Joseph's High, Roger O'Gara and Bill Mahan, both of The Eagle, representatives of radio stations WBEC and WBRK, and the Rev. John Foley, St. Charles' Church pastor, who will pronounce invocation.

All players are requested to bring their baseball uniforms, plus stockings, to the breakfast. League representatives will collect the suits.

LOUIS RUSSO, who has completed his fifth year as president of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League, has been affiliated with the organization since its inception in 1952. Prior to moving into the chief executive's chair, he coached in the league for five years.

Lou is enthused about the breakfast that will be given for the league players Sunday morning at 10 at the Imperial Lanes. This will be the first breakfast gathering for the league. There have been occasional dinners over the years. Lou feels the breakfast will draw a larger attendance than an evening meal.

He also advises that the league seriously is considering expansion. He says that it's likely four more clubs will be added for the 1962 season.

The "chairs," it seems, are for the superintendents of schools and members of the School Committees and City Councils of the two cities involved. These are placed right next to the benches on either side of the field.

"The city fathers root lustily for their teams," Nick said. "And after the game, each superintendent, school committeeman and city councilman walks out to the center of the field to meet his counterpart."

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WHEN NICK finished undefeated by whipping Durfee 36-6, a member of the School Committee grabbed him after the game, vigorously pumped his hand, and then advised that he take a week or so off as a reward for his excellent season.

Nick said, "The man told me that he knew I had been under pressure for three months, and he thought some time off would do me good."

Things are looking up for Nick. After one unbeaten football season, New Bedford appreciates him. After he had developed two undefeated teams at Pittsfield High, he couldn't muster more than one backer in the seven-member Pittsfield School Committee.

You'll recall that there wasn't a second last summer to Committeeman John Quinn's motion that the office of athletic director in the Pittsfield school system be created. Nick had been

Allen, Speaking at BRL Breakfast Here, Stresses Value of Competitive Sports

Two Hundred Twenty Attend Event at Imperial Lanes

Springfield College Coach Advises Boys To Get Education, Also Emphasizes Importance of Earning Good Marks

By ROGER O'GARA

"The athletic field is the laboratory of experience for life."

So said Pittsfield native Archie Allen, former professional baseball player and now head varsity coach of the sport at Springfield College, in addressing the first annual breakfast of the Pittsfield Babe Ruth Baseball League yesterday morning at the Imperial Lanes. Two hundred-twenty attended.

No Place for 'Goof-Off'

Allen stressed that competitive sports are valuable because they prepare a youth for the rigors and trials of adult life. He said that young men succeed in athletics only "if they give all they've got." There is no place on a team for a "goof-off or a slacker," he emphasized.

He advised boys who aspire to professional careers "to start preparing yourselves now" by diligent practice and application to duty.

"It's a dog-eat-dog proposition, so you should get an education first, so you have something to fall back on if you don't make it," he said "There are 140 of you ball players here today, and you're not all going to make it, you know."

Allen also counseled that the boys study hard so that they can gain admisssion to a good college.

"You've just got to have good marks," he said. "Straight Cs no longer are enough."

He listed speed, an arm and hitting, in that order, as requisites for baseball success.

"You've got to be able to run and throw or they won't even look at your hitting," he submitted. "Work on your speed and your arm, and we'll take care of your hitting."

Allen described his three-month experience in Honduras as a representative of the State Department. He said he recommended at the conclusion of his stay that the department send athletic teachers and equipment to all impoverished sectors of the globe.

He thanked John T. Carmody, retired Pittsfield High coach who was present, for "teaching me the lesson of humbleness." Carmody coached him when he was playing in the City League for the Mohawk Beverages in the middle 1930s.

Allen also congratulated the Pittsfield Parks and Recreation Department for the key part it plays in assisting competitive sports.

"Pittsfield doesn't have to take a back seat to any place in the country in public recreation," he asserted.

Louis Russo, for the past five years president of the Ruth League, was toastmaster. Rev. John Foley, St. Charles' Church pastor, who was introduced by Russo as "a man who saw more league games than three-quarters of the parents," pronounced the invocation.

Mayor Raymond L. Haughey; Dr. Robert Kirvin, chairman of the Park Commission; Al Bianchi, co-owner of the Imperial Lanes; Jack Brennan, Pittsfield High baseball coach, and Billy Murray, coach of the three major sports at St. Joseph's High also spoke. Roger O'Gara, sports editor of The Eagle and a Morningside All-Star teammate of Allen in 1931 and 1931, introduced the principal speaker.

Jackets and trophies were presented to members of the championship teams in each of the Ruth Leagues and to the boys chosen for the all-star squads.

John Marchesi, director of athletics for the Parks and Recreation Department, and Russo were in charge of arrangements. The Imperial Lanes and the Parks and Recreation Department were sponsors.

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BABE RUTH BASEBALL LEAGUE AWARDS are displayed by Carl Boteze Sr., and Jr., second and third left, respectively, following first annual breakfast of league personnel yesterday morning at the Imperial Lanes. Father and son were on both the championship and all-star teams. Archie Allen, Springfield College's head baseball coach, who was the principal speaker, inspects the jacket held by the younger Boteze. Others shown are Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of parks and recreation, left; Louis Russo, president of the league and toastmaster for the after-breakfast speaking program, second from right, and Al Bianchi, co-owner of the Imperial Lanes, cosponsor of the breakfast, right.

Sports-Conscious City

FAIR OR FOUL

By Roger O'Gara

HERE ON A flying visit a few days ago, former Pittsfield High coach Nick Morris spoke enthusiastically about New Bedford, his new base of operations. Nick lauded not only his unbeaten New Bedford High football team, but the hundreds of adults who make the one-time whaling capital of the world such a sports-conscious community.

"You know a crowd actually can win a game," Nick said in an hour-long chat with us.

"It happened in the Brockton game. The score was tied at 14-all, and we were on the move in the fourth period. That crowd was roaring continually, 'Go, go, go.' With everyone hollering like that, our kids just couldn't be stopped. They went all right, not only for one touchdown, but for two."

Nick recalled the first touchdown of the Brockton contest. "On punt formation, our center puts the ball way over the punter's head, and Brockton has a touchdown," he said. "You could hear the people in the stands moaning, 'Not again.' New Bedford hadn't beaten Brockton since 1919. So when we came back, they just went crazy."

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NICK SAID that a prominent city official tore the seat right out of his pants as he tried to scramble over a fence at the end of a game. He was attempting to clear the barrier to run onto the field to congratulate the New Bedford players.

Doesn't sound much like Pittsfield, does it?

Nor does this story.

Nick said that he was asked a few days before the Thanksgiving Day contest with traditional rival Durfee High of Fall River whether he had taken care of "the chairs." He told the questioner he didn't understand proposed for the post by a citizens' committee.

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NICK SAID that enthusiasm for New Bedford High football is so strong, a Fathers' Club is active. It's composed of the dads of squad members.

"It was in existence before I got there," he said. "Boy, I was a little scared of it. It sounded like it could be trouble. Yet it worked out perfectly."

Nick said that he meets with the fathers every Friday night.

"I have a blackboard there, and I explain to as many of them as I can what we are expecting their boys to do the following afternoon," he continued. "I might say to the father of a tackle: 'Here's what we're hoping your son will do on offense tomorrow. This is the man he must handle to make that play go.'"

Nick was amazed at the way the fathers progressed in football knowledge.

"As the season went along, these men became smarter and smarter," he said. "And the number of dumb questions dropped off. It's really quite an organization."

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NICK SAID the fathers are an ambitious bunch of promoters. They handle the football programs, and by so doing raise money for two scholarships. They give these to able football boys who have done well in their studies and are in need of help for their college educations.

A mammoth victory banquet is planned for Sunday night, Nick said.

The great Joe Bellino will be the guest speaker. The United States Naval Academy occasionally lets its best known former athlete go away for an event like this.

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THE ONE SOUR NOTE on Nick's season was that he didn't win the Eastern Massachusetts Class B championship. That's right. With a record of seven wins and one tie, he was third.

Here's how Don Harrington, sports writer for the New Bedford Standard-Times, explains it: "Archbishop Williams of Braintree won the crown yesterday as a result of its 49-14 rout of Roxbury's Catholic Memorial. Final "B" standings are Williams 8.22, Wellesley 8.00 on a 24-0 win over Needham and New Bedford 7.75.

"Nine days before the season started, New Bedford found its Providence Central game here Sept. 23 actually was not scheduled that day, but for Sept. 30, the day of the Rindge Tech game in Cambridge.

"The unfortunate situation (no opener, but two games the next date) came as a result of a faulty schedule arranged by Tom Eck, former athletic director and NBH coach, now of Chelmsford High.

"Coach Morris' crew managed to pick up a quick game with Rogers of Newport, R.I. They battled to a 6-6 tie, and the Whalers received four points in the state ratings.

"A fourth straight opening day triumph at the expense of Central here (and there's no reason to believe it wouldn't have gone that way) would have been good for 10 points.

"The extra six points would have given NBHS a 8.50 rating today to 8.22 for Williams, and the title would have been ours."

The difference was that Rogers was rated class B in Rhode Island, Providence Central Class A. Yet Rogers was the stronger team.

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NICK SAYS that co-operation in his system goes right from the junior high up to the School Committee.

Each of the junior high teams in New Bedford played 10 regular football games the past fall.

New Bedford High also has a sophomore team. Most of its varsity players are juniors and seniors.

Nick will attend the annual convention of the NCAA football coaches at Chicago Jan. 11-13. He'll fly out. While there, he'll be staying at the Conrad-Hilton Hotel. They do things on a big scale in New Bedford.

Good Government Assn. Endorses Sottile, Pats Vincent on the Back, Boots Haughey

The Good Government Association gave its blessing last night to Anthony W. Sottile in his race for mayor.

In a statement issued by Bernard J. Murphy for the association's board of directors, the organization also gave candidate Sammy Vincent a pat on the back and directed a seven-point "bill of complaint" at Mayor Raymond L. Haughey's administration.

Mayor Haughey is running for a third two-year term. One of the three candidates will be eliminated in the primary election Oct. 17. The final election will be Nov. 7.

The Good Government Association was formed six months ago to promote greater citizen participation in local government. It has 88 members. Chairman Murphy is a former member of the Pittsfield City Council.

44 at Meeting

Unnder GGA's bylaws, its 12-man board of directors is authorized to issue endorsements. An association spokesman said that the board endorsed Sottile after a poll that covered 81 members. The results of the poll were, according to the spokesman, "overwhelmingly in favor of Sottile," but Haughey and Vincent did receive some votes. The exact results of the poll were not disclosed. Forty-four association members were present at the GEAA last night when the endorsement was announced. The three candidates presented their platforms recently individual appearances before the association.

The GGA said it selected Sottile as its tiger because "of the three candidates, he has demosntrated the best understanding of the problems of Pittsfield and its potential growth." Sottile's 16 years as city auditor were cited as "invaluable experience upon which to base his realistic approach to city government," and the association statement indicated this experience weighted the scales against Vincent.

'Very Encouraging'

"Mr. Vincent's candidacy can be regarded as a very encouraging sign that we can expect greater citizen participation in the political process," the association said. "The fact that a successful businessman and community leader is willing to engage in a political campaign is worthy of considerable praise."

Murphy said the endorsement of Sottile commits the association to work for his election.

"Our future as an effective force in this community will be determined to a very large degree by how well we perform in this campaign," said Murphy.

The GGA's indictment of Haughey was prefaced with the following comment: "Although he has had ample opportunity to determine the needs and problems of this city, Mayor Haughey has failed to provide the city of Pittsfield with the nonpartisan leadership which is needed. In our opinion, instead of following a well-defined course of action, he has conducted an indecisive administration whose main objective has seemed to be the perpetuation of his stay in office. Through inaction, he appears to have lulled too many citizens into a dangerous sense of false security concerning the city's current status."

The seven-point indictment of Haughey follows:

1. Failure to appoint the most competent people available and naming groups with built-in pro-Haughey majorities.
2. Lack of city planning:
3. Establishing an unrealistic tax rate (down $1.50) in an attempt to win votes.
4. Hampering the City Council through last-minute additions to the agenda and by calling meetings at inconvenient times.
5. Taking credit for city projects for which the groundwork was laid before he took office.
6. Ducking the need for a new city hall.
7. Encouraging factionalism in city government.

On the seventh point, the association maintains that Haughey attends School Committee meetings only when a close vote appears likely on a controversial issue.

"We feel that Mayor Haughey, as chairman of this School Committee, should either attend all meetings or stay away entirely, and let the members resolve their own differences without his interference," the GGA directors said.

On the tax issue, they maintained that the Pittsfield tax rate "will increase sharply next year because of deliberately postponed expenses during an election year."

The association lauded Sottile's 11-point platform and expressed the opinion that "Pittsfield will be a better city under the administration of Mr. Sottile."

Mayoral Choice

To the Editor of THE EAGLE:—

Anyone who read the political ad in Friday's *Eagle* [Sept. 22] realizes that Pittsfield now has the choice of dynamic Sammy Vincent, "Sleepy Hollow," or me-too Sottile.

GEORGE J. NEUF.
95 Maple Grove Drive,
Pittsfield.

Council Sets 24 Hearings For Tuesday

Tuesday's scheduled City Council meeting starting at 7:30 p.m. in the District Courthouse will be loaded with 24 public hearings. Some 17 hearings are on revocation of inflammable fluid and, or explosive storage licenses not renewed. The routine hearings will be combined.

Also on the Council's 44-item agenda is consideration of the mayor's $28,000 Chapter 90 request. The Public Works Committee has recommended the appropriation be made. Projects include a new Holmes Road bridge and work on Crane Avenue, plus reconstruction of Churchill Street.

A venire for 14 jurors will be drawn. Those selected are to report to the Superior Court House on Nov. 6 at 10 a.m. They will serve during the fall sitting of Superior Court.

Fuel Permits Asked

Other public hearings are on applications from the South Congregational Church at 110 South Street and the Atlantic Refining Co. with a station at 339 Tyler St. for storage of 8,000 and 13,550 gallons of inflammable fuel, respectively.

Hearings will be held on Western Massachusetts Electric Co. and New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. petitions for underground wire locations on Williams Street and pole locations on West Street.

Council action will be taken on a request from the Berkshire Street Railway Co. to extend service on Merrill Road from Plastics to Dalton avenues, and on Holmes Road from Chapman Road to the Lenox town line.

Council Unit Looks Into School Costs

Seeks Opinion Of Solicitor on Acting on Expenses

The City Council's Accounts Committee wants to know today whether it can act on expenses incurred by the School Department and the School Committee. It has asked the city solicitor to give an opinion.

The question arose last night when the committee met to continue studies of possible savings in city government. A bill of about $51 from Ward 1 School Committeewoman Mary A. Kirkpatrick for a three-day trip to the School Committee Association meeting last May raised the question.

According to Councilman-at-Large Donald G. Butler, committee chairman, the bill had been charged to School Department office expenses. He said that money for trips in every other city department either comes from travel expenses approved in the annual budget or by a specific appropriation requested by the mayor and okayed by the Council.

Butler Comments

Butler noted that the School Department budget, over which the Council has no control this year, was responsible for an added $2 on the tax rate over last year. He said the mayoral and Council cuts in the rest of the 1961 budget amount to a $3.50 decrease in the rate—resulting in the $1.50 net decrease realized this year.

"The School Department's purchases are sizeable," said Butler, "and we want to know if the Accounts Committee can act on them." The committee has been consolidating purchases so that one particular item can be bought on a large scale and distributed to the various city departments that use such material. The usual system is for each department to purchase its own supplies. This has cost more, according to the committee.

"We saved $1,200 so far," said Butler, "by contracting paint needs and advertising for bids in one large quantity, instead of individual department purchases." He added that there appears to be no discount given by merchants on city purchases.

In other business, the committee is looking into a $1,200 pension application from city employe John Casey.

The committee is also gathering information on glass needs for the city, and plans to advertise for bids on bulk purchases of the item.

Richmany Renews His Attack On Quadrozzi

James M. Richmany, candidate for the Ward 5 Council seat, today continued his attack on Councilman Samuel J. Quadrozzi of that ward.

"Quadrozzi's failure to answer my charges concerning his inaction in the past two years is understandable," said Richmany. "It is certainly difficult for him to find something substantial to claim as a definite, beneficial gain for Ward 5."

Richmany has challenged Quadrozzi to a debate on ward problems. The Ward 5 incumbent has not yet answered his opposition.

'His failure to answer," said Richmany, "after he promised a statement last week is typical of his two years in office. Apparently a promise by him is only a means of an indefinte postponement of a duty. If he thinks he has helped Ward 5, then it is his duty to tell the people where and how. It should not be kept a secret.

"I think the taxpayers of Ward 5 should be represented by someone who is not hesitant in speaking up about conditions, or who is not shy about participating vocally and physically in all activities concerning the ward and the city."

Licensing Board Member Attacks GGA For Indictment of Mayors' Appointees

A screaming attack was fired at the Pittsifeld Good Government Association today—not for its endorsement of Anthony W. Sottile for mayor, but for its indictment of Mayor Haughey's appointees.

Francis N. Callahan, a Haughey appointee to the Licensing Board, said he "deeply resents the Good Government political club's remarks concerning Mayor Haughey's appointments."

The GGA's board of directors, in dorsing Sottile Friday night, filed a seven-point indictment of Mayor Haughey. The first charge was: "failure to appoint the most competent people available and naming groups with built-in, pro-Haughey majorities."

Francis N. Callahan

Fordham Graduate

Charging the organization with using "cheap, political expediency," Callahan said he would "gladly match his educational and moral qualifications with any member of the organization's board of directors." Callahan is a graduate of Fordham University in New York.

"I firmly believe," said the Licensing Board appointee, "that anyone in public office can and should be criticized for a specific action. But for any group to imply that all appointees of the administration are incompetent without naming the specific reason, is a grievous affront, not only to all the appointees, but to all fair-minded citizens of the community.

"A man's character and reputation are his most important possessions, and for anyone to try and destroy these possessions for cheap political expediency is contrary to all this country stands for. I hope this irresponsible attitude of the Good Government political club is not indicative of all the members, but, rather, represents the actions of a few who have an ax to grind.

"I call on all the thousands of fair-minded citizens of Pittsfield to repudiate this type of campaigning so we may all continue to live, as we have in the past, as friends and neighbors."

Endorsed After Poll

The GGA directors endorsed Sottile after a poll of its 88 members. They said the campaign of Sammy Vincent—the third mayoral candidate—was encouraging because a "successful businessman and community leader" is interested in politics.

The 12 GGA board members are: Bernard J. Murphy, president and former councilman; Samuel Sass, George E. Sauer, Mrs. Wendell S. Fielding, William F. Dripps, Walter Duda, Edmund J. Flynn, Edmund W. Noetzel, Wayne R. Weatherhead, Samuel E. Bloomberg, Stanley E. Hood, and Donald K. Niver.

There was no comment from the mayor's office today on the GGA action.

Vincent Tells Taxpayers He Will Keep Them Informed

Mayoral candidate Sammy Vincent said this morning he would take steps to keep the people of Pittsfield better informed about the goings on in City Hall, if elected mayor.

"City Hall is too much of a closed corporation," Mr. Vincent said. "If the local radio stations were willing, I would ask for time each month to discuss current issues over the air."

Mr. Vincent also announced that he would be at the Adams-Zayre's parking lot on Dalton Avenue from 8 to 9 tonight to meet voters. He said similar appearances were planned for North Street and the Allendale Shopping Center at later dates.

"A mayor is elected by the people and paid with their tax money," Mr. Vincent said, returning to the monthly broadcast idea. "It seems only right that the people should be told regularly what he is doing."

$11 Million a Year Business

"In addition, the city is spending about $11 million a year, and the taxpayers ought to know what's going on in City Hall in return for their big expenditure. If I am elected, they will be told.

"When I receive a petition from a group of residents, I will take the time to answer it, even if the reply is only a refusal.

"Under our present weak leadership, some residents feel they have received the brush-off from City Hall. Others feel city government is some mysterious operation that they aren't supposed to know anything about. It's time we abandoned both these ideas and put a good leader in the mayor's office.

"I would put it this simply: a leader tells you where you are going; an auditor tells you where you have been; our present mayor tells you nothing."

Sottile Continues Neighborhood Talks

The 12th in a series of neighborhood gatherings was held by Anthony W. Sottile, mayoral candidate, last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wise, 65 Maple Grove Drive. Mr. Sottile spoke informally on his platform proposals and answered questions regarding the tax rate, schools, police and fire protection, city airport, and urban renewal program.

Thirteen more morning and evening neighborhood meetings have been scheduled by the Sottile organization, Robert B. Dillon, campaign manager, said.

Mrs. Tucker Heads Women's Unit Of Sottile Club

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Mrs. Worthington Tucker

Anthony W. Sottile, mayoralty candidate, announced today that Mrs. Worthington Tucker of 7 Boylston St. has been named chairman of the women's division of the Sottile for Mayor Club.

Mrs. Tucker was born in Willimantic, Conn., and educated in the schools there. Both she and her husband are employed by the General Electric Co. in the ordnance department.

The couple have three children: Bruce, a senior at the University of Massachusetts; Gary, a senior at Pittsfield High School; and Shawn who attends South Junior High School.

Mrs. Tucker was active in the last two mayoralty campaigns in the city. She is a communicant of St. Teresa's Church.

Representatives of all seven wards attended a meeting Sunday of the women's organization. Seventy-three attended. The meeting was held at the Sottiles' home, 41 Bartlett Ave.

All Candidates File Papers for City Election

All 37 candidates for election to 15 city offices have filed completed nomination papers with the city clerk's office. This makes them official candidates.

Today at 5 p.m. is the deadline for filing the papers. The last nomination form was left with the clerk late this morning—about five hours before the cut-off time.

Candidates are running for the mayor's office, the 11 City Council seats, and the Ward 5, 6 and 7 School Committee spots. City primary election is set for Oct. 17, with the final election on Nov 7.

Five Primary Contests

There will be only five primary races in the Oct. 17 city primary election. Offices involved are mayor, councilman at large, Ward 4 and 7 City Council seats, and Ward 5 School Committee spot. All other offices have only two candidates except for Ward 3 where Councilman Remo DelGallo is running unopposed.

Those successful in the primaries will be candidates in the Nov. 7 city election along with the hopefuls for the other 10 offices. The primary will narrow the mayoral race to two candidates. The Ward 4 and 7 City Council fights, and the Ward 5 School Committee battle also will be cut to two candidates each.

The primaries will also trim the councilman at large contest to eight for the final city election.

Hebert Seeks Re-election as State Union Head

Alfred A. Hebert of this city, president of the Massachusetts Federation of State, City and Town Employes, will be a candidate for re-election at the annual convention Saturday and Sunday in Brighton.

Mr. Hebert, who is also president of Pittsfield Local 65 of the federation, will attend the convention with four other delegates from the local. They are Joseph F. Hodlin, Lewis R. Sweener, Robert L. Tucker and George E. Gallagher.

Mayor Haughey will attend the convention banquet Saturday night.

No 'Blanket Indictment' GGA Replies to Callahan

The Pittsfield Good Government Association was quick to reply today to a stinging attack launched against the organization yesterday by Francis N. Callahan.

Callahan, a Haughey appointment to the Licensing Board, had blasted the association for blanket indictment of Mayor Haughey's appointees. He called on the GGA to be specific when criticizing these selections. The organization on Friday night had charged the mayor with failure to appoint the most competent people available.

In a letter to Callahan, Bernard J. Murphy, association president, wrote that his group's intent was not to single out any one individual, nor to give a blanket indictment to all appointments. He said there are mayoral appointments open to criticism which he would discuss with Callahan privately. He also invited the Licensing Board member to join the GGA.

Murphy's Letter

Murphy's complete letter follows:

It is regrettable that you took the Pittsfield Good Government Association's criticism of some of the mayor's appointments as a personal attack on yourself. It was not the association's intention to single out any one individual, nor was it intended as a blanket indictment of all of the mayor's appointments since he has been in office.

As a matter of fact, the original statement of the association, which was not printed in its entirety in The Eagle, endorses Mr. Sottile's promise, if elected, not to remove indiscriminately people now in office, since some are certainly doing a good job.

In the Good Government Association statement, which seems to disturb you so much, the directors deliberately refrained from naming any individuals, because they do not believe in the kind of personal attack of which you accuse them. There are, however, appointments of Mayor Haughey which are very much open to criticism, and I would be glad to discuss these with you in private. I also invite you to become a member of the Good Government Association, so that you can see for yourself that it consists of a group of people of divergent political points of view, whose sole purpose in banding together is to do what they can to promote good government for the city of Pittsfield. The only membership requirement is that they must either reside or be employed in Pittsfield.

Flynn, Aaronson Ask GGA To Apologize To All of Mayor Haughey's Appointees

Three other mayoral appointees attacked the Good Government Association today, while the organization announced through President Bernard J. Murphy that it has said all that it is going to say for the present concerning its criticism "of certain of" Mayor Haughey's appointments.

City Solicitors William R. Flynn, Jacob S. Aaronson, plus Harold W. Ruel, Licensing Board member, took a swipe at the GGA for a statement made about appointees' incompetence. The solicitors called for an apology from the association, while Ruel criticized the group for "making political hay by attacking the good names" of the administrations appointments.

President Murphy said that attempts by several appointees "to confuse the public on this issue and draw attention from other issues reflects . . . their cynical belief that the majority of Pittsfield citizens are ignorant of what goes on in city politics." He also repeated the full GGA statement on mayoral appointees made last Friday.

Flynn, Aaronson Statement

Flynn and Aaronson said in a joint statement: The Good Government Association should issue an apology to all of Mayor Haughey's appointees for inferences that can be drawn from the association's remarks concerning their competency.

This would-be political machine should bear in mind that such unmitigated, unwarranted attacks can seriously damage the reputation and professional standing of a great many people. The members of most of these commissions and boards generously donate their time and ability for the betterment of Pittsfield.

The only possible purpose the so-called Good Government Association can serve by these attacks is to deter and discourage competent people from performing the civic duty of serving on these various boards and commissions.

Ruel's Statement

Ruel took issue with the GGA indictment by saying: For this group to organize for the purpose of endorsing and backing a candidate is one thing, but for them to set themselves up as judges of a man's character and competency in an appointed office is overstepping the bounds of decency and fair play. I therefore indict this group for trying to make political hay by attacking the good names of this administration's appointments.

On the other hand, I can not believe that all the people in this group are of the same opinion as the 12 directors, who issued this indictment. I know the people of this community will see through this political smoke screen and reject it as such.

Murphy said: The Pittsfield Good Government Association has said all it's going to say for the present concerning its criticism of certain of Mr. Haughey's appointments except for this one thing. The association stands on its original statement made to the members on Friday when it announced its endorsement of Anthony W. Sottile for mayor.

This statement was exactly as follows: "We feel he has failed to staff municipal positions with the most competent people available. Instead of seeking out the best qualified individual for a specific job, his appointments give strong indication that they have been made primarily on the basis of political or personal associations.

The apparent attempt by Francis N. Callahan and Dr. Robert J. Kirvin and others to confuse the public on this issue and draw attention away from other issues, reflects what we feel to be their cynical belief that the majority of Pittsfield citizens are ignorant of what goes on in city politics. It is the purpose of the GGA to do what it can to keep the voters informed, and it does not intend to be sidetracked by a political game of tag from its main object of bringing good government to Pittsfield, plus its immediate objective of helping to elect Mr. Sottile as mayor.

Swimmers Open Schedule December 16

Boys' Club Varsity, Westfield YMCA Meet in Westfield

The Boys' Club varsity swimming team, which has been drilling hard for the past month, will open an extensive schedule of meets Saturday, Dec. 16, against the Westfield YMCA at Westfield. Coach Dick Nadeau has been working with a squad of about 30 boys in three age groups and last night expressed himself as pleased with the showing of the veteran members of the team and excited about the prospects of the new comers.

Returning for the freestyle dash events will be John McNulty, Dave Smith and Wayne West, all consistent point winners on last year's team. Smith and McNulty will swim the shorter distances, while West will be entered in the events of 100 yards or better. First year freestyle boys, who have been showing considerablep romise are Danny Keegan, Bob Knight, Bernie Flood, Joe Wildman, Dick Mole and Terry Hall. Peter Quirk, a two-year veteran, also will take part in some of the dashes and will be entered in breaststroke events as well. He was a valuable member of the squad last season.

Veteran Breaststrokers

Other veterans breaststroke men are Chris Barrett, Dick Meredith and George Giftos who had fine seasons a year ago. Much will be expected of another two-year man, Eddie Rushbrook, who is a fine backstroker and this year will also swim the butterfly event. Charley Lewis has shown up well in early season drills and is expected to win his share of points in the b stroke events along with R brook.

Among the juniors, freesty Jim Caffrey and Fred Salom have impressed Coach Nadeau. E Roark looks good in backstrok competition. Midgets Rusty Har den and Don Marchetto seem cer tain to become stars in the breast stroke events in the future and Mark West, Billy Volin, Gary Choinere and RonSalomone are expected to perform heavy point-winning in the freestyle dashes.

The varsity schedule tentatively will include, after Westfield, home-and-home meets with the West Springfield Boys' Club, Williston Academy, Deerfield Academy, Hotchkiss School, the Leoeminster Recreation Center, the Ludlow Boys' Club and a possible meet with the Waltham Boys' Club.

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GGA Readies Campaign For Sottile

Members To Cover City by Wards, Chairman Says

Wayne R. Weatherhead, chairman of the Pittsfield Good Government Association's campaign planning committee, said today that the GGA will conduct an extensive campaign in behalf of Anthony W. Sottile, its endorsed candidate for mayor.

According to Weatherhead, the association members will cover each of the city's seven wards in an attempt "to inform voters on the basic issues of this election and the GGA's reasons for backing Mr. Sottile." The organization had picked Sotille because he has shown "the best understanding of Pittsfield's problems and its potential growth."

Mr. Weatherhead pointed out that this will be the first venture into politics for many of the organization's members. "The indecisiveness of the Haughey administration," he said, "has aroused them to the point that they no longer feel they can be silent in such an important election."

Others on the GGA's campaign committee include Miss Ellen M. Hogan, Bernard D. Cook, Nicholas Guletsky, David Corman, Almon K. Lincoln, Meredith M. Fessler, and Winthrop F. Sherrin Jr.

Chapter 90 Funds Approved; Holmes Rd. Bridge Included

Chapter 90 funds of $28,000 were included in appropriations totaling $32,500 authorized by the City Council last night. The Health Department received $2,750 for a new autoclave (a steam sterilizer), and the Fire Department $1,600 for equipment repairs and fuel. Mrs. George Griver of Dalton received $150 for injuries sustained in a fall on North Street in July of 1960.

The Chapter 90 appropriation was broken in two sections. Some $10,000 was allocated for work this year on Crane Avenue between Benedict and Oak Hill roads. The remaining $18,000 went toward a new bridge on Holmes Road crossing the Housatonic River.

Another $18,000 will be added next year, making the total city participation $36,000 for the bridge. Under Chapter 90, the county will kick in a like amount and the state double the city's portion. Bridge construction is estimated at more than $100,000.

Opposition Dwindles

Expected opposition to the Holmes Road bridge did not materialize last night. Most residents who earlier fought the bridge agreed with the plan if the structure was limited to vehicles of 10 tons or less.

The 10-ton limit was a recommendation of the Public Works Committee, and became a stipulation when the Council authorized the Chapter 90 funds.

Only one vote was cast against approving the money. This came from Ward 7 Councilman John F. Fraser who maintained there was no guarantee the 10-ton restriction would not be repealed in the future. "The restriction is not worth the paper it's written on," said Fraser. He said the Council had made the restriction, but a future council could eliminate it.

State plans call for a 20-ton capacity bridge, but capacity can be limited by city ordinance, and posting of signs.

Though there were no major objections from Holmes Road residents, those living on nearby Pomeroy and Preston avenues lodged a complaint about heavy truck traffic on the streets. The Pomeroy and Preston residents favored the new bridge, feeling construction trucks could use Holmes Road, which, they said, was better constructed than the other two streets.

Vibrations Cause Damage

Some residents said vibrations from the trucks had cracked windows and plaster walls. They were told that most of the truck traffic was for large construction jobs further out Holmes Road, such as the new sewage treatment plant.

The trucks cannot use the present Holmes Road bridge as it is limited to three-ton capacity.

Discussion of heavy trucks on residential streets again entered the Council meeting, as petitions from residents of three other streets were sent to the Public Safety Committee for further study. Residents of Elmhurst and Dorchester avenues, plus Revere Parkway, had asked that the streets be "off limits" to such vehicles.

A Traffic Commission report recommended that the petitions be killed because closing the streets to trucks would set a precedent. The commission felt this would eventually hinder commerce.

Richmany Hits Quadrozzi on Ward 'Defects'

James M. Richmany, Ward 5 Council candidate, again leveled another shot at the incumbent Ward 5 Councilman Samuel J. Quadrozzi.

He said:

Apparently the present Ward 5 councilman is so impressed by his two years in office that he thinks his "record of accomplishments" is speaking for him. If that is his reason for not answering charges of inaction, then his defense is extremely inadequate.

Cites Ward 'Defects'

There are many defects in Ward 5 which are obvious and which should not have to wait for a complaint to the councilman before a remedy is sought. Some of these defects are listed below.

There is an obstructed corner on Mill Street north of the Oxford Street intersection which is dangerous in winter and summer.

The corner of Hungerford Street and West Housatonic Street beyond Lebanon Avenue looks as if it has been used as a dump for fill and rocks.

Cloverdale Street has a boulder in the middle of the road that projects to a point of over eight inches in height.

South Church Street needs an additional catch basin. The existing system is not adequate to stop the flooding of the street.

These are but a few of the defects plaguing Ward 5 residents. There are many, many more. Why hasn't something been done about them? Because the city isn't going to fix a defect if someone doesn't speak up, I am a person who is willing to speak up. The people of Ward 5 deserve a person who will speak out to actively represent them.

Candidate Vincent Opens Headquarters

Mayoral candidate Sammy Vincent has opened campaign headquarters at 73 North St. The office, open from Monday through Saturday, is on the second floor over J. J. Newberry's store.

Mrs. Edward Reynolds will be the full-time receptionist.

City Council Cheered

To the Editor of THE EAGLE:—

Thomas Jefferson prescribed occasional bouts of political turbulence as being good medicine for the political health of mankind.

What sly observations would Jefferson make about a mayor like Haughey who took control of School Committee meetings and squelched discussion and public interest? A routine vote of praise and confidence for School Superintendent Russell [*Eagle*, Sept. 6] substituted for free debate is a sorry way to run a democracy.

And Haughey's recent move to create only a five-member new school-building commission and pack it with city employes was nicely blocked [*Eagle*, Sept. 13] by the City Council led by Joseph Scelsi. Why did Haughey attempt this move? Wasn't control of the Codey [Crosby Junior High School] building commission enough for him?

Good for the City Council for the reforms it voted. The new building commission will have seven members. One member shall be the department head involved. The other six members shall not be full-time city employes. The meetings must be held after 7 p.m. in public buildings. A meeting agenda is to be mailed to members, and bids are to be opened at regularly scheduled meetings open to the public.

If we can't insist on the safeguarding of public interest and money at the local level, how can we hope to attain it at the state level?

MILDRED FERREE.

Pittsfield.

Not To Sign Zoning Measure, Passed by Council, Flynn Says

The battle over spot zoning between the City Council, on one side, and the Planning Board and city solicitor on the other, continued today.

City Solicitor William R. Flynn said he would not sign and would advise the mayor not to sign an ordinance calling for a zone change for land at the Lyman Street-Hathaway Street intersection. Flynn supported a Planning Board ruling that to rezone the area would constitute illegal spot zone.

The City Council on Tuesday rejected the opinions and recommendations of the two city agencies, and voted to accept a petition from James Scalise. Though the direction was not specifically stated by the Council, the petition will go to the Ordinance and Rules for drafting of a law. When the proposed ordinance is returned to the Council it must be approved twice by a two-thirds vote.

Scalise has requested the lot presently zoned R-3 (one- and two-family dwellings,) be changed to C-3 (central business.) The lot has 50-foot frontage on Hathaway and about 135-foot frontage on the south side on Lyman Street. He plans a garage for the repair and sale of hydraulic jacks.

Planning Board's Position

The Planning Board said because the petition was a request for spot zoning it should go to the Zoning Board of Appeals. Chairman John J. Donna said that spot zoning requests were not in the province of the board or the City Council.

He said the matter should be brought before the Appeals Board in a try to obtain a variance for the planned operation. He added that if the Council passes the order, and it is spot zoning, then the petitioner is open to legal problems if anyone wishes to contest he subject. He said a Council ordinance in this case would be a nullity, for the Council has no control in this area.

Mr. Donna noted that the board was trying to protect the petitioner, as well as trying to get the change accomplished correctly.

Councilman - at - Large Roy F. Brown, chairman of the Ordinance and Rules Committee, said he would invite the city solicitor to a committee meeting to give his views. He said the committee could draw the ordinance, but without the solicitor's signature, the committee might recommend nonpassage of the law.

Brown along with Ward 4 Councilman John Burbank were the only two who voted against acceptance of the petition at Tuesday's Council meeting. Brown said if his two-committee colleagues, Councilmen Crow and Butler, wanted to recommend passage of the unsigned ordinance, he(Brown) would file a minority report against such passage. Butler and Crow voted to accept the petition at the Council session.

City Solicitor's Opinion

Flynn in his opinion quoted the Massachusetts Practice Series on Municipal Law as saying; "spot zoning has been defined as the singling out of a parcel of land for different treatment form that given to similar surrounding land indistinguishable from it in character." He continued to say that a zoning ordinance or by-law, or an amendment to either, singling out a lot and imposing lesser (zoning) restrictions than on the surrounding area, is spot zoning.

The Scalise property is in an R-3 area which has more limits as to what can be done on the property than in a C-3 area.

The Council on Sept. 12 accepted another petition for the same R-3 to C-3 change for about 12-acres of swamp land a few blocks from the Scalise property.

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Council Votes Zoning Change On Lyman-Hathaway Streets

In an unusual move, the City Council last night rejected the recommendations of both the Planning Board and the city solicitor and voted 8 to 2 to approve a zoning change petition.

What the Council did not do, either inadvertently or intentionally, was to refer the petition to the Ordinance and Rules Committee for shaping of the appropriate law.

The matter centered around a request from James Scalise who wanted a plot on the Lyman-Hathaway streets intersection changed from R-3 (one- and two-family dwellings) to C-3 central business.) The Planning Board and City Solicitor William R. Flynn ruled that to grant the request would constitute illegal spot zoning. Scalise wanted the change to build a garage for repair of hydraulic equipment.

Previous Change Cited

Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo said the Council previously had gone against the recommendations of the Planning Board, while Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi said other land in the area had been given the same change at the Sept. 12 Council meeting.

The Scalise property is bounded on one side by the Housatonic River. Some Councilmen believe that the C-3 zone on the opposite river bank should be considered as abutting the Scalise land. This, they feel, eliminates the spot zoning threat.

Councilman-at-Large Roy F. Brown and Ward 4 Councilman John Burbank voted against approval of the Scalise petition.

The Council did refer three other adopted petitions to the Ordinance and Rules Committee for ordinance drafting after hearing favorable recommendations from the Traffic Commission.

The drawn ordinances will call for one-hour parking for 50 feet either side of the Gulf Oil Corp. plant on Merrill Road; for no-parking on the south side of East Street for 60 feet west of GE's railroad crossing; and for no-parking on the north side of Tyler Street for 25 feet easterly from Cortland Place.

Other Business

In other business, the Council passed a law for no-parking on the north side of Depot Street and on the east side of Clapp Avenue.

Permission was granted the Berkshire Street Railway Co. to extend bus service on Merrill Road from Plastics Avenue to Dalton Avenue in Coltsville. Service was also authorized on Holmes Road from Chapman Road to the Lenox town line.

Mailing of a copy of a legislative act to every registered voter in Pittsfield was waived by the Council. The act calls for life tenure for City Auditor John J. Norton, provided the measure is adopted at the Nov. 7 city election. The question will appear on the ballot.

Councilman Scelsi was appointed by pro-tem Council President Donald C. Buler to arrange a meeting with the Civil Defense Department to discuss what more could be done locally in the event of an emergency. Councilman Scelsi suggested the idea, adding that one area of importance was the returning of children in school to their parents if disaster struck. The councilman has said roads may be jammed in an emergency if parents rush to get their children from school.

Councilman Butler is serving as Council president until the return of Councilman-at-Large Daniel England. Councilman England has been suffering from a larynx disorder for several weeks.

Dr. Kirvin, Callahan Fire at GGA

Two mayoral appointees fired back at the Good Government Association today.

Dr. Robert J. Kirvin, Park Commission member, and Francis N. Callahan, Licensing Board member, issued statements on GGA remarks made yesterday.

Bernard J. Murphy, GGA president, had invited Callahan to talk over in private various mayoral appointments. The organization last Friday had charged Mayor Haughey with not appointing the "most competent people available." Callahan had then attacked the GGA for not being specific in its criticism.

In a letter to Callahan yesterday, Murphy said it was not the association's intent to single out any one individual for criticism or to give blanket indictments to all Haughey appointments. He said there were some that could be criticized. He also invited Callahan to join the GGA.

Dr. Kirvin said today: "I was happy to see the Good Government Association's apology to Frank Callahan on their implied charge of incompetence. I would now like to ask the GGA if I am one of the so-called incompetent appointments. As their statement stands, all appointees, except Callahan, are under a cloud of suspicion."

Callahan said: "The invitation to meet with Mr. Murphy in private to discuss the select grievances against certain of Mayor Haughey's appointments must be refused. I firmly believe that secret meetings concerning public matters are not in the best interest of a democratic society.

"The invitation to join the Good Government political club, while deeply appreciated as a vindication of my competency, must be declined with regret, as I could not in conscience belong to an organization which has cast a shadow over the ability of my fellow appointees."

Bunt Outlines Platform, Names Doyle Manager

William A. Bunt, candidate for the Ward 7 Council seat, stressed four points of his platform last night during a "Bunt for Councilman" meeting.

About 20 supporters heard their candidate name Gerald S. Doyle of 80 Plinn St. as campaign manager. Mr. Doyle is a surveyor for the state Highway Department.

The candidate's four points were:

To see that a great number of streets that have been neglected in the past will not be neglected in the future. Of main interest are street reconditioning, lighting, and snow removal.

To do everything in my power to bring back the industries which have been lost to our ward.

As a former member of the Police Department, I am well aware of the problems of all city employes, firemen, policemen, and city department maintenance employes. I am sure that by working hand in hand with these people, much that is now desired can be accomplished.

To see that the renovation of the Causeway is completed. Also to renovate the pumping station into a small fishing pier which would allow more people to enjoy the fine fishing at this favorite spot.

"By energetic and diligent representation this section of the city will once again be second to none," Mr. Bunt said.

Sottile Offers Proposals For Public Works Overhaul

Mayoral candidate Anthony W. Sottile today expanded on one of his major campaign planks—reorganization of the Public Works Department.

Candidate Sottile listed seven points he would inaugurate in the department if he was elected mayor. He said:

The Public Works Department is responsible for the maintenance of sewer and water facilities, streets and street lighting, the removal of snow and refuse, and the maintenance and repair of city owned equipment. Because of its many responsibilities it also requires one of the largest budgets in the city.

The functions of this department are of such a nature that the best possible results can only be obtained through the concerted, coordinated efforts of the commissioner, the division superintendents and their subordinates.

Seeks Co-ordinated Effort

It is my opinion that these vital co-ordinated efforts are visibly lacking, and if elected mayor, I am determined to inject the essential ingredients to produce a Public Works Department that will operate in a capacity which will be most beneficial to our taxpayers.

If elected mayor:

I would immediately call for a meeting at which the commissioner and all division superintendents would be asked to program a more efficient method of planning the organization's entire activities.

I hope to find and eliminate the incubating nest of the low-morale seed which has grown among the employes of this department.

I would ask that an inventory be taken of all equipment assigned to this department. I believe there is much equipment lying idle which could be utilized with a minimum of readjustment. In this category there could well be many thousands of dollars worth of snow removal equipment waiting for winter. Why not explore the possibility of using this equipment in other seasons?

Other Proposals

I would ask that all city owned vehicles be housed at our municipal garage if at all feasible.

I would insist that the department properly maintain those areas known as traffic islands. In some areas of our city these islands have been neglected. These existent conditions do not reflect the possibilities of this department.

I would request that the commissioner submit the department's needs for capital improvements for the ensuing year to the Capital Outlay Committee no later than July 1, of any current year. This will provide ample time for this very important committee to make the necessary studies and proposals.

I would instill an atmosphere of courtesy to the public. I fully realize that the department is constantly beseiged with calls from irate taxpayers, but I am also convinced a "we can't do anything about it" answer is unnecessary.

These are but a few of the changes I hope to carry out if elected mayor.

City Report Distribution Scheduled Today

Pittsfield's 1959-1960 City Report will be distributed today with The Eagle.

Report editor Philip C. Ahern said that 10,000 copies would be delivered to residents not living in the center of the city. He said that those not receiving the report could get copies at the Berkshire Athenaeum, City Hall, and the Morningside branch of the library.

The report committee printed 14,000 copies of the 65-page report. A bicentennial theme was chosen for the booklet, which covers two years because a report was not compiled in 1959.

Charter Changes To Be Discussed By Committee

Filling City Council and School Committee vacancies will be the subject of the Council's Charter Revision Committee meeting tomorrow night at 7 in City Hall.

The committee was formed in January to determine if charter changes were necessary to alter the present system of selecting members to fill unexpected vacancies on both councils. A charter amendment in 1958 provided that the Council and the School Committee should fill vacancies by elections within each group. This move was adopted to save the expense of special ward or city elections.

DelGallo's Proposal

Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo has advocated filling Council ward vacancies by an election in the ward. He also feels that when a councilman-at-large seat becomes vacant the Council members should elect a ward councilman to the position and then hold a special election within the ward to fill the ward vacancy.

School Committee Chairman Joseph W. Overlock suggests that anyone interested in being a candidate for a vacancy should file a 100-signature petition and actively campaign.

Under the present system anyone can be a candidate, just by having a Council or committee member nominate him.

Councilman-at-Large Roy F. Brown is chairman of the revision committee. Ward 6 Councilman Joseph S. Scelsi is the third member of the committee which includes Councilman DelGallo. This will be the first committee meeting.

Sottile Urges Appointment Of City Planning Director

Calling for a "full-time planning director," mayoral candidate Anthony W. Sottile today promised full support of the Planning Board if elected.

Saying that the city planning program requires revitalization, the former city auditor noted that the total planning budget should be "at least $25,000 a year." Sottile said the board has not served as a coordinating agency among the various city projects because of the lack of a permanent staff.

After stating the board's function and powers, the candidate said the board's plans for development of the city are "impractical, theoretic, and academic."

Sottile's Statement

One of the points of my platform calls for employment of a full-time planning director and active participation by the members of the Planning Board.

It is my conviction that the city planning program requires revitalization if Pittsfield is to meret intelligently new development problems and face up to deterioration and obsolescence in the older parts of the city.

Pittsfield requires a full-time planning organization to fulfill its function. Moreover, it should have a total planning budget of at least $25,000 a year. No matter how willing the part-time members of the Planning Board may be in trying to encompass the variety of matters calling for their attention, they will fail without a permanent organization to do the day in and day out work.

The city ordinance adopted in 1937 gave the Planning Board a broad scope of power involving the following: providing a city plan, planning for public buildings and sites, investigation of conditions injurious to public health in and about rented buildings, recommendations concerning highways and traffic, municipal revenue and taxation of real property to provide uniform assessment, the development of schools as social centers, and recommendation of sites for any public buildings.

The Planning Board is empowered to make recommendations to the City Council and also to city departments. It has power to require any department, board or commission to furnish it with information. The board may hold hearings and may require the attendance of any city official or agent, and it may organize unpaid, volunteer citizen committees to consider and report on any matters of public interest. Under the Statutes, Chapter 41, Section 81, it has full power in relation to subdivisions. It also has original jurisdiction in zoning reclassifications.

Planning Board problems not only relate to the lack of a permanent staff; they also relate to the power to coordinate the many commissions which have been established for specific projects (schools, water, sewer, traffic, housing authority). The powers granted to the board make it clear that it is the focal point for all planning undertaken by special commissions. In the absence of coordination, its plans for the development of the city are impractical, theoretic and academic.

The city is changing swiftly today and the board provides a focal point for control of new development and plans for improvement of older and deteriorated parts of the city. Orderly growth will occur in Pittsfield when the Planning Board becomes the focal point of all activities which relate to the city's development. The board has all the power necessary to fulfill this function, and this vehicle should be used for the purpose for which it was established.

If I am elected mayor I will support the Planning Board in execution of the powers granted it under the city ordinance and the general laws of the commonwealth.

Meledeo Heads Public Works Supervisors Assn.

Anthony Meledeo was elected president of the newly formed Public Works Supervisors Association at the group's second meeting, which was held recently at his home, 21 Allessio Ave.

Mr. Meledeo is superintendent of the sanitation division of the Pittsfield Department of Public Works. The association consists of Public Works Department supervisors and their assistants. The object of the association, says Mr. Meledeo, is to "provide a means of discussing mutual ideas and problems confronting division heads and to promote a harmonious relationship between divisions for their best interests and for the interests of the city."

Other officers elected at the meeting were William L. Flynn, vice president; John B. Roberts, secretary-treasurer; Canfield S. Dickey and Ralph Langdon, executive committee.

Four Budget Requests Filed; Police Department Up $36,000

Police Chief Thomas H. Calnan has requested $555,198 for his department for 1962 compared to $519,285 in expenses for this year and $509,081 for last year.

Of the total, $343,041 of next year's police budget is earmarked for salaries. The chief is asking for four new cruisers, a new patrol wagon to replace the seven-year-old present vehicle, 11 new radio units, and a new sedan for transportation of prisoners to out-of-town institutions. The chief did not ask for any additional patrolmen in next year's budget, but he said he will put in a request for additional men at a future date.

The Berkshire Athenaeum was another of four departments which submitted budget requests to Mayor Raymond L. Haughey yesterday. The public library is seeking a total of $166,814 for 1962, but is asking the city for only $151,187 of this amount since it will receive $15,627 from other sources. Expenses this year have amounted to $156,504, of which $125,947 was for salaries.

Park Department Seeks More

The Parks and Recreation Department is seeking $284,519 for an expanded program in 1962. This amount is about $52,000 above this year's total. Supt. Vincent J. Hebert is requesting, as he has been for the last three years, provision for a new recreation director with an annual stipend of $6,420. The superintendent also is asking for 10-week playground program instead of nine and a 12-week beach season instead of 11. This program includes operation of one beach each at Onota and Pontoosuc lakes and wading pools at Springside Park and Crane School.

The Park Department has also requested provision to expand the Babe Ruth Baseball League so that more games may be played, and extension of the outdoor basketball season so that new facilities may be more fully utilized, Hebert said. He added that the part-time help — the summer playground staff, the park police and lifeguards—have not had a pay raise since 1956, and that they should have such consideration. He pointed out that the regular staff members have had six raises since 1956.

Farr Budget Up

Supt. of Public Buildings Donald E. Farr has requested $298,898 for 1962, approximately $56,000 more than this year's appropriations. Biggest item in next year's budget is approximately $83,000 for school repairs, up $23,000 over this year's. Farr noted in the report that he and the mayor are scheduled to make a tour of all the schools where major repairs are to be made. Farr also stated in his communication to the mayor that the August pay raises, besides the major repairs, account for the larger budget.

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Petition Asks Pay Increase For Marchesi

About 400 city residents have submitted a petition to the City Council asking for a pay increase for John C. Marchesi, recreation supervisor in the Parks and Recreation Department.

The move, under the leadership of Ward 3 Councilman Remo DelGallo, is aimed at increasing Marchesi's salary-grade rating. The petitioners feel that the large amount of work and responsibility involved in Mr. Marchesi's job requires a "re-evaluation of this extremely . . . difficult position."

Overtime Cited

The petitioners referred to his work with the city's youth, while Councilman DelGallo mentioned that Mr. Marchesi worked many uncompensated overtime hours.

The petition will be considered by the Council at Tuesday's regular meeting. It is expected that the request will be sent to the Finance Committee for study.

Mr. Marchesi is presently at Grade 17, Step 5. This is a basic salary of $5,720. The Council has the power to increase pay grade limits for specific city jobs.

GGA To Consider Policy On School Buildings Use

A suggested policy for the use of public school buildings by community groups during non-school hours will be presented by the Pittsfield Good Government Association at the November meeting of the School Committee, Wednesday, Nov. 8, it was announced today by Bernard J. Murphy, GGA president.

Mr. Murphy said that the association's school affairs committee, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Abbott C. Combes, has completed an extensive study of how the city can make more effective use of its school buildings. The recommendations will be made in a letter to the School Committee.

The Good Government Association announced in June that it would investigate the school-use issue because it felt that "certain fees" to community groups appeared to be excessive and that there seemed to be divided responsibility between the School and Public Buildings Departments.

Mr. Murphy pointed out that the GGA will report regularly its findings on various local issues. He said that the study of basic issues is continuing even though the organization is currently campaigning for Anthony W. Sottile, its endorsed candidate for mayor.

Under the present setup, school buildings are rented by the School Department for after-school uses that relate to educational programs. Custodial costs, which vary, are charged.

Rental of the schools for non-educational uses are handled by Donald E. Farr, city superintendent of buildings. Mr. Farr charges $74 for use of the High School. He said there is no standard rental for use of the junior highs, but that it is usually about $25.

10/27/61 Myers

THIS BIG MISSILE, on display yesterday in Park Square, is a Navy Regulus II, brought here as part of the Navy Day observance Saturday at the Pittsfield Naval Reserve Center on Onota Lake Boulevard. It was shown at Allendale Shopping Center on Tuesday and Wednesday, will be at the Lee Supermarket in Lee today, and at the Reserve Center on Saturday. Center will be open to public Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., with other exhibits.

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Pittsfield—A View Over North Street

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To be honest about it, this was a rather slow news day, picturewise, and instead of putting in this space some boring wirephoto of obscure tribal chieftains conferring in the Congo we present this aerial view of a familiar city, trusting that it will be of greater interest. The picture was taken Tuesday afternoon at about 3:30. Many of you were there at the time.

Mercer PTA Will See Slides

John Marchesi, supervisor of recreation for the Park Department, will show slides of Park Department activities, at a meeting of Mercer Parent-Teacher Association Monday at 7:45 p.m. at the school.

Refreshments will be servel by Mrs. Louis C. Litano and Mrs. Joseph E. Coty.

Capt. Reddy Elected Head of Firemen's Assn.

Captain William H. Reddy was elected president of the Pittsfield Permanent Firemen's Association in the election yesterday at Central Station. He succeeds Lt. Robert P. Villanova.

Firefighter Richard E. Plankey was elected secretary. Firefighter Ronald E. Plankey and firefighter John T. Lisi, running without opposition, were named vice president and treasurer respectively.

Elected to the board of directors were Lt. David J. Cullen and firefighters Gerald F. Keehnle and Ralph A. Decker.

Spring Flower Show In Revere March 17-25

The 91st annual New England spring flower show, sponsored by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, will be held again at Wonderland Park in Revere, Mass., March 17—25, 1962.

In keeping with the policy established last year, the nine-day show will open on a Saturday and close on Sunday of the following week, thus enabling visitors to take in the show on two weekends.

Vincent Takes Exception On City Experience Issue

Sammy Vincent, mayoral candidate, today attacked his opponents by saying that experience as a city employe does not necessarily give a man the ability to be mayor.

"Four, 16, or even 25 years of working for the city does not make a man the best possible choice for mayor," Vincent said.

Experience Not Everything

Saying that "experience alone does not qualify a man for a job," Vincent charged Mayor Haughey with lack of action, and with not becoming a decisive leader while acquiring experience. "As for Anthany W. Sottile's much-advertised 16 years in city government, I would merely ask whether 16 years as a mechanic at the city yard would automatically make a good fireman." Sottile was city auditor from 1938 to 1954.

Vincent said that many city employes have more than 16 years' service, but this does not necessarily qualify them for the mayor's office, though "they perform their various jobs superbly." He also said that because a man holds an office does not mean that he is necessarily the best man for the job.

Vincent said that there are many people in Pittsfield not being used who should be used and who are willing to be in city government. "If elected," he said, "I will seek out these untouched reservoirs of talent, and make a solid start on building a progressive Pittsfield with fresh outlooks and new ideas."

Hitting the mayor's office, Vincent said:

"The lack of action taken on many, many issues in the past four years shows clearly that Mayor Haughey has not become a decisive leader while acquiring his experience. It is time for Pittsfield to elect a mayor who will make decisions and take action, instead of continuing to accept a mayor who does nothing and calls it 'prudent.'

"The next few years will be crucial ones for our city. If Pittsfield is to be modern and progressive; if Pittsfield is to successfully compete with other communities; then Pittsfield must have strong aggressive leadership. That is the most important quality in a mayor."

Park Square Traffic Survey Recommended

The Traffic Commission recommended last night that cost estimates for a traffic survey of Park Square be obtained from professional engineers.

A number of petitions to correct traffic congestion in the area are before the commission. Hugh R. McKean, commission chairman, said that everyone has an idea of how to correct the problem, but that a professional survey would be needed.

In other business, the commission has invited District Highway Engineer William J. Goggins of the state highway Department and John Sturgeon, city signal department superintendent, to attend the next commission meeting. The group will discuss possible remedies to ease the traffic flow on Tyler Street.

The commission also recommended no parking on Allen Street in front of the southern half of the Police Station. Some vehicles parking in the area have been damaged by fire equipment leaving the Central Fire Station, which is directly across the street.

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Burbank Park Pier Repaired

Repair work on a section of the existing pier at Burbank Park, Onota Lake, has almost been completed, Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Parks and Recreation Department said today.

But, Mr. Hebert said, additional funds will be needed before the pier can be extended for use by youngsters and oldsters as a fishing pier.

About $600 of the $800 allotted for the work already has been used in doing repair work on the old portion of the pier, he said. "With more money," the superintendent noted, "we hope to extend the project next year."

Workmen at the lake also have been removing as many rocks as possible from the water at the public bathing beach.

Girl Scouts Plant Bulbs at Springside Park

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Members of the Berkshire Hills Girl Scout Council planted 200 daffodil and crocus bulbs yesterday at Springside Park as the beginning of their 50th birthday celebration. Alfred K. Persip is shown on the right helping the girls, and Mrs. Abbott C. Combes in center, back.

The Berkshire Hills Girl Scout Council began formal celebration of its 50th birthday year with the planting yesterday of 200 daffodil and crocus bulbs at Springside Park.

This is the first part of a project by the Girl Scouts which will be finished in the spring when they plant a rose garden.

Alfred K. Persip, president of the Berkshire Museum Garden Club, has helped plan for and make arrangements for this planting. Vincent J. Hebert, superintendent of the Parks and Recreation Department, has made the sites available and is co-ordinating the planting into the park's long-range development program. Mrs. Abbott C. Combes, of the Girl Scout program committee, was in charge of the planting yesterday. Miss Nancy Ewart, executive director, also was present.

Troops participating were Troop 80 of Lanesboro of which Mrs. Laurence Brody and Mrs. George Mathes are leaders; Troop 28, Mrs. Joseph Mitchell, leader; Troop 11, Mrs. Walter Petrowski, leader; Troop 37, Mrs. Edward R. Davis, leader; Troop 40, Miss Florence McConahey, leader; and Troop 1, Mrs. William J. Spaniol and Mrs. Harley Blodgett, leaders.

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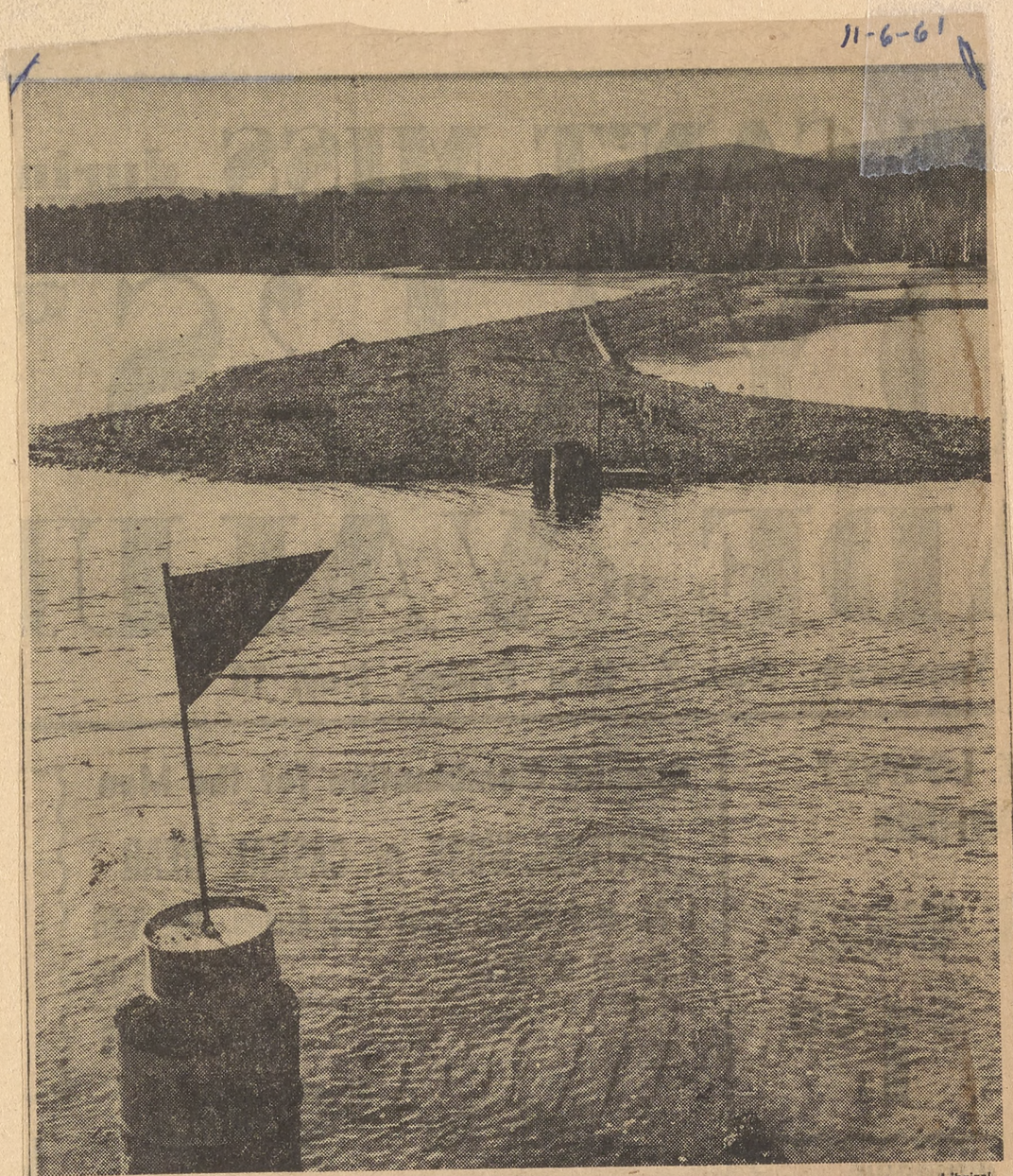

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ONOTA LAKE CHANNEL, formerly about 15 feet wide was widened to about 30 feet last week. Vincent Hebert, Park Department superintendent, said extracted pile of earth will be left there to warn boats of shallow water. Channel intersects dam or so-called road that stretches across northerly end of lake. Work crews also cleaned and smoothed out public beach area and removed rocks from the boat basin. Onota Lake water level is extremely low.

City Employes' Club Schedules Picnic

The City Employes' Social Club will hold its annual picnic on June 17 at the Boys' Club Camp in Richmond. The event is scheduled to start at noon.